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Taurus Full Moon Eclipse Friday 11/19

Mars in **Scorpio** opposing Uranus in

Taurus 11/16-11/21

One way to ride out eclipses is to listen for surprise insight.

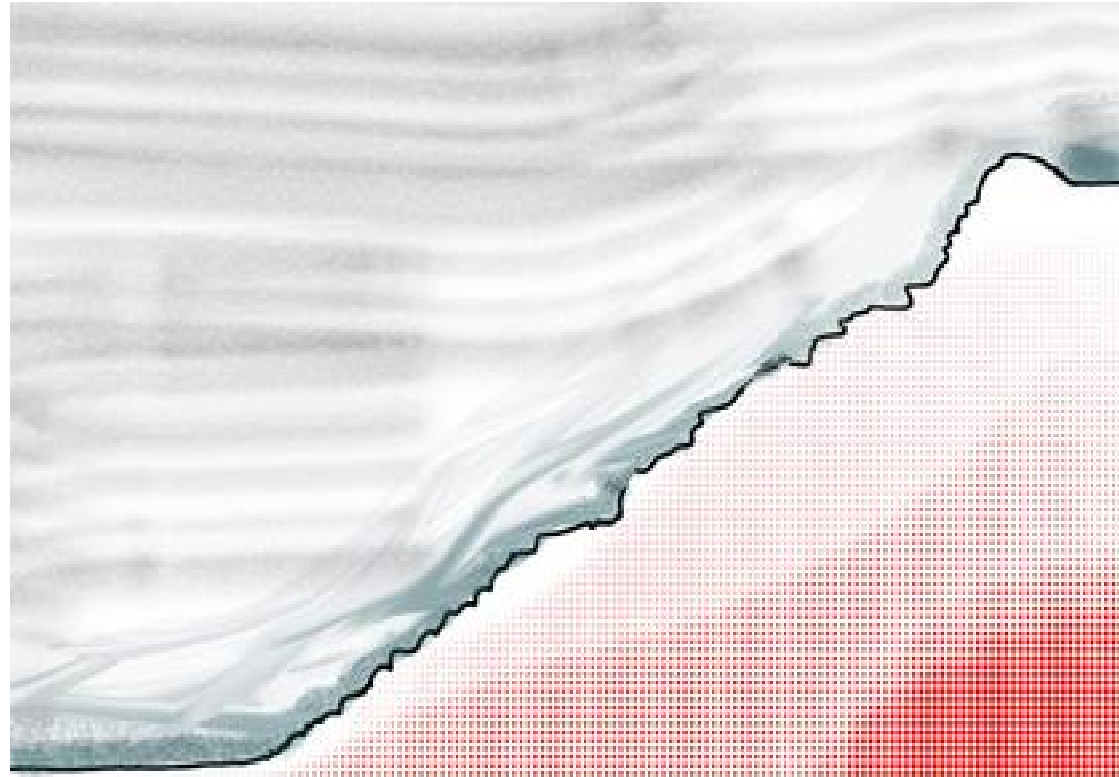
The Taurus-Scorpio Eclipse insight calls you to follow your primal urge and your natural rhythm. It's a chance to listen more deeply to your body's instinctual movement, your natural timing and your personal growth cycles. Notice the difference between physical sensations and subjective emotions. There is an interplay between the more apparent physical experience of living in your body and the subtler awareness of your mostly subconscious emotional life.

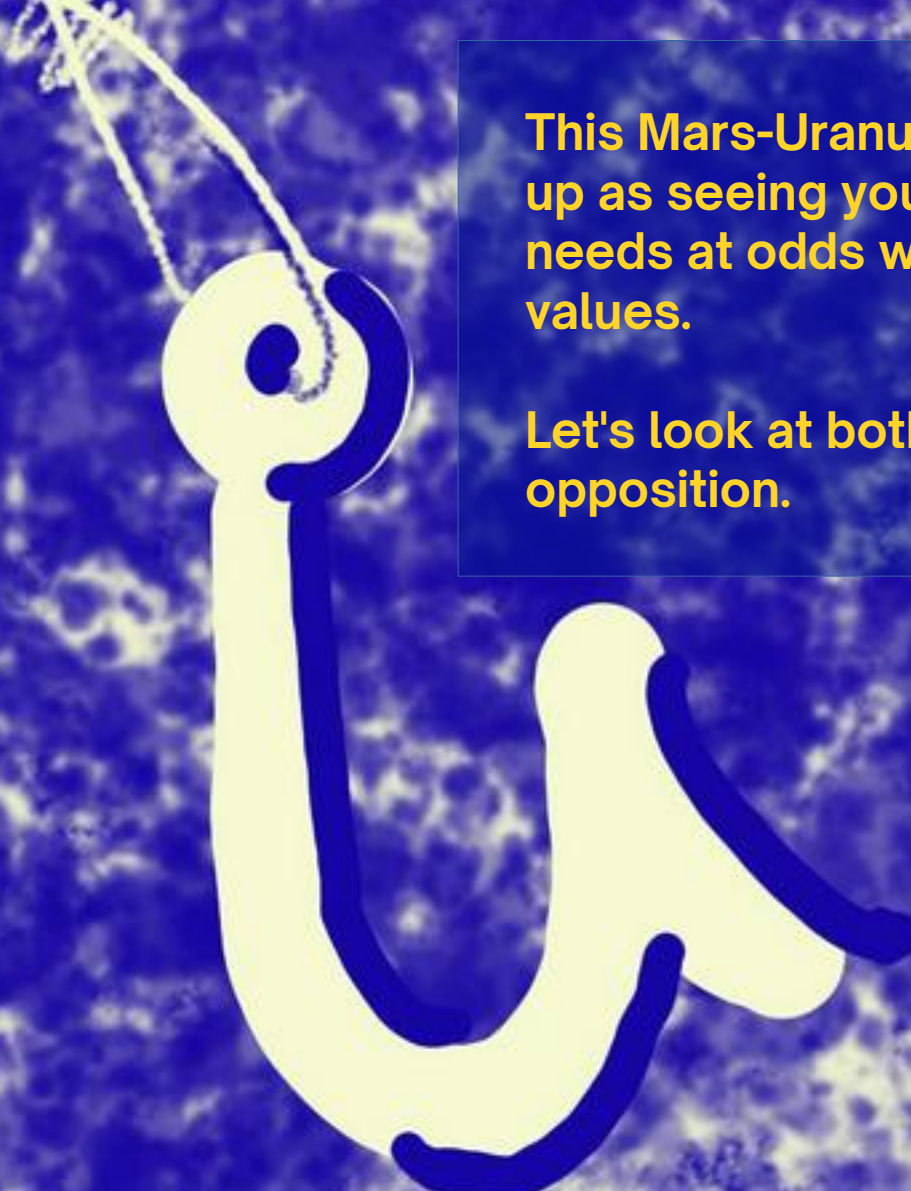
What makes this Friday's Full Moon Eclipse so special is the Mars-Uranus opposition.

With oppositions, you see the dynamic of a love/hate relationship. When an opposition shows up in your life as a hard aspect, you learn (the hard way) to integrate sides of yourself that you project onto others. It's an adversarial relationship that shows up as tit-for-tat bickering. As you mature through an opposition, your communication skills develop. You are able to state what you need and listen to what others need, and dynamic partnerships form.

Outer planets (like Uranus) have long transits through a sign (like Taurus), during which you work on a life change or project. Oppositions from inner planets (like Mars) give feedback to inform your development.

An opposition interjects an outside perspective. It's the difference between coming up with a "great idea" in a meeting and actually sharing a prototype with the public.

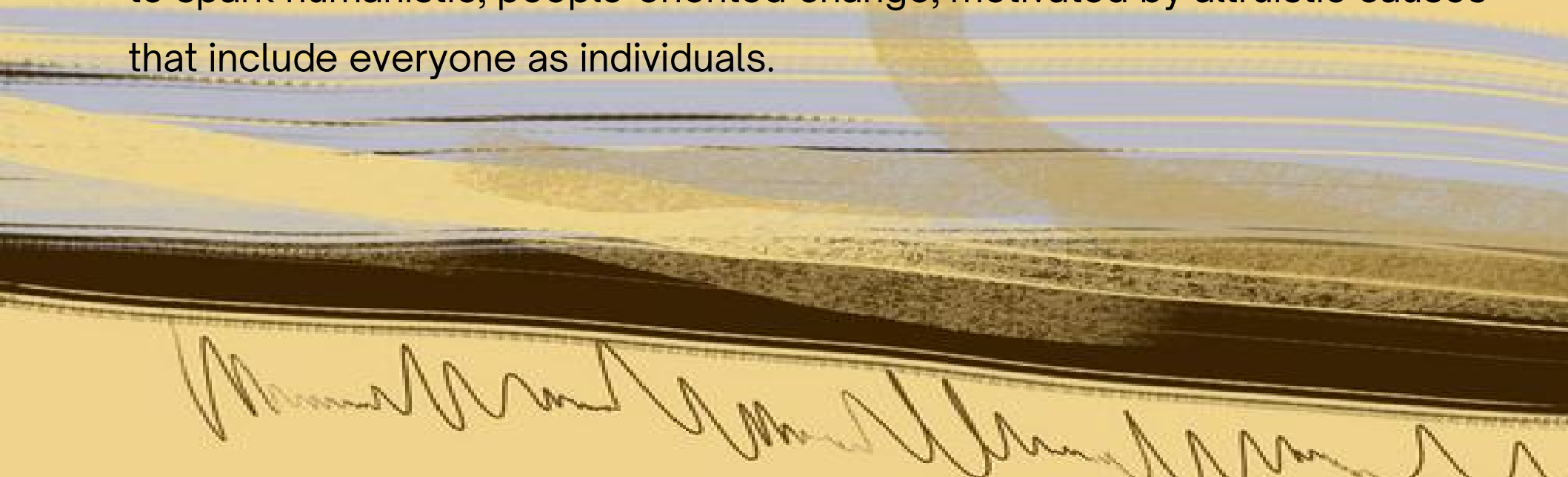





This Mars-Uranus opposition can show up as seeing your personal survival needs at odds with societal egalitarian values.

Let's look at both sides of this opposition.

The pleasure activist, the Bitcoin enthusiast, the WPA artist, **Uranus in Taurus** is devoted to the cause and motivated to engineer a system for everybody to have an equal chance at accessing resources. Taurus is a sign that instigates a human-centered approach, dealing with the five senses and living a comfortable and embodied life. Uranus is a planet that brings energy to spark humanistic, people-oriented change, motivated by altruistic causes that include everyone as individuals.

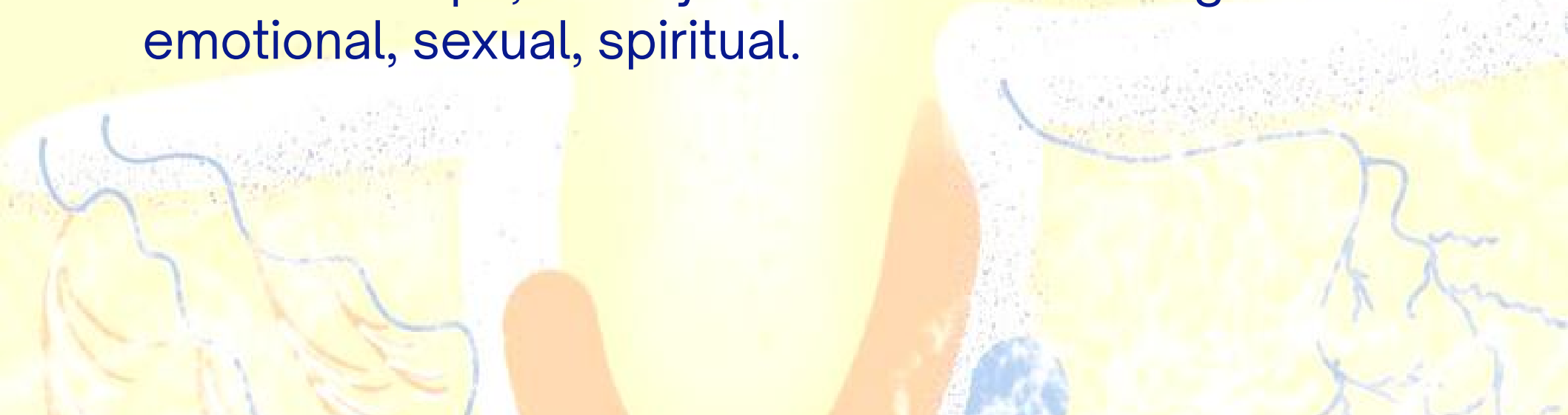




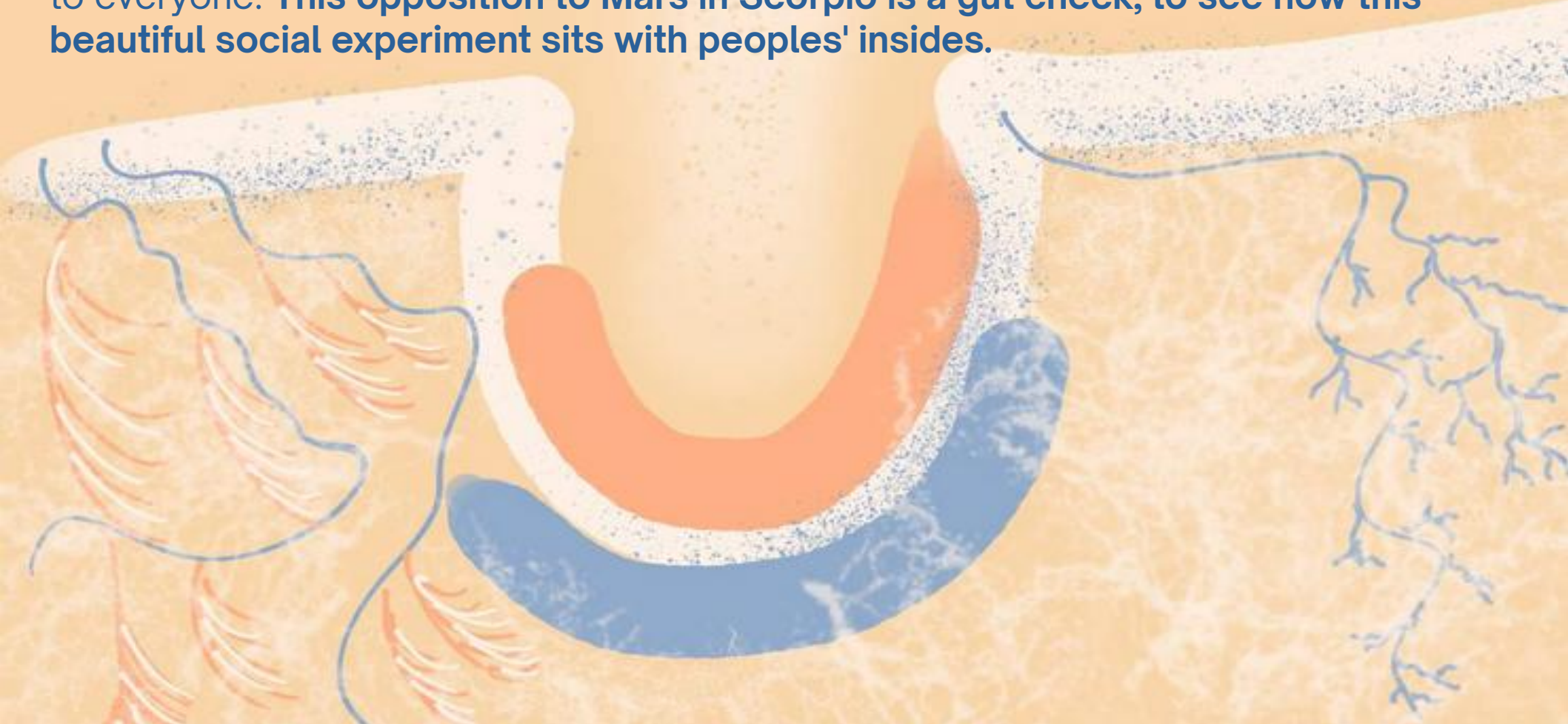
In spite of these **human**-centered themes, Taurus is stoic and materialistic; Uranus is cerebral and detached. Uranus in Taurus is engineering a top-down solution to bring comfort to more people, but can steamroll sore spots and messy emotions.

On the other hand, **Mars in Scorpio** is the protector of your deepest emotional wells. Where you feel Mars in Scorpio, you tend to the core of what makes you human: the relationship to your psyche, your need for intimacy and your need to share survival resources in your closest relationships.

Where you feel Uranus in Taurus, you avoid touchy subjects in the name of progress and growth. You may even want to eliminate the inconvenient humanness of being you, wanting to invent an emotions vacuum, something to rid people of their problematic nature, their drives for survival and sex, the craving for intimacy in relationships, the mysterious core of things: emotional, sexual, spiritual.



What started as a "good idea" at the beginning of the Uranus in Taurus transit, is now a full-fledged experiment to engineer a more equitable way of distributing resources to everyone. **This opposition to Mars in Scorpio is a gut check, to see how this beautiful social experiment sits with peoples' insides.**



With this opposition, peaceloving Uranus in Taurus contends with messy emotional truths, power games, inherited trauma and the fact that no system or social agenda is going to solve things permanently for everyone. Although you may feel the jolt, this feedback wakes up the Uranus in Taurus experiment and eliminates dead weight. **The Mars in Scorpio honest, gut response will ground the experiment, and inject it with life, and give it a chance to survive long beyond the 8-year Uranus transit through Taurus.**

Through
Scorpio, we
come to know
the mysteries of
life and death. I
can't help but
think of
Frankenstein -
infusing the
mystery of life
into dead
organic matter.

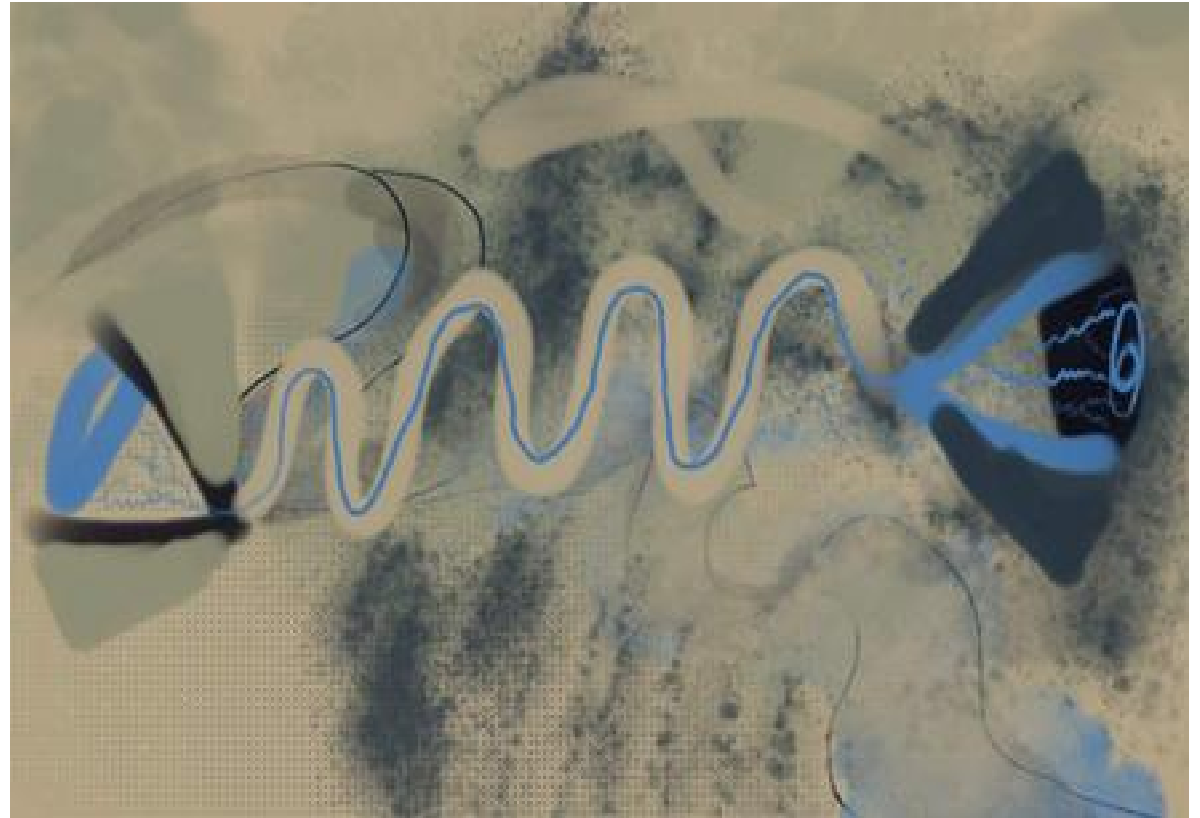


While Mars is in Scorpio, opposing Uranus in Taurus, you can get insight into the Taurus-Scorpio Eclipses coming this next year. Your beginnings and endings and what makes your loved ones tick.

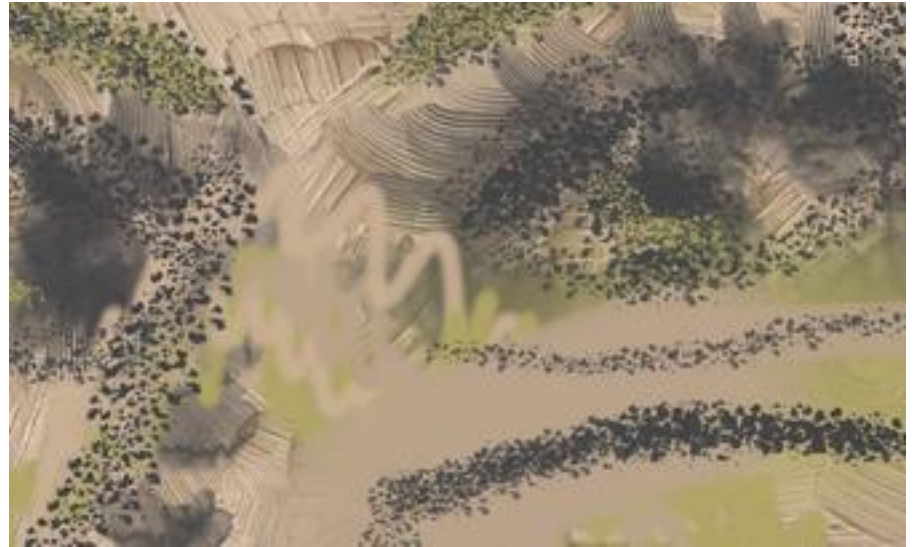
Listen to your heart sounds in proximity to others' hearts. Test how space makes them go at different rates. The slowing, the quickening and the in between.

In between the physical stuff of your heart pumping blue juices, your emotions touch your heart and your heart touches your emotions.

Your inner Taurus and Scorpio are independent creatures who want love, the love of deep connection, more than any other signs. They both relish in intimate closeness, with Taurus, it's the Heart and with Scorpio, it's the Crotch. There is a need to follow your desires, to relax into your rhythms, and soften into trust.



love
and the touch in between
when people come together
your emotions have form
your body comes alive
your scorpio side sizzles.
your taurus rolls around in the mud.
imagine if you loved all the way.
i mean, don't. but
your scorpio and taurus sides have loved.
and it is the scariest thing.
it takes resolve to be able to endure a close relationship.
with yourself or with other people.
your taurus and scorpio are either in or out.
they feel the connection. and the betrayal.
if you are ok with admitting to those feelings.
once you cross them. that's it.
forever. for ever ever.
except when they are ready again.
nobody loves as good, as thoroughly, as deeply as
the taurus-scorpio in you.



“To examine the causes of life, we must first have recourse to death. I became acquainted with the science of anatomy: but this was not sufficient; I must also observe the natural decay and corruption of the human body. I do not ever remember to have trembled at a tale of superstition, or to have feared the apparition of a spirit. Darkness had no effect upon my fancy; and a churchyard was to me merely the receptacle of bodies deprived of life, which, from being the seat of beauty and strength, had become food for the worm. I beheld the corruption of death succeed to the blooming cheek of life; I saw how the worm inherited the wonders of the eye and brain. I paused, examining and analysing all the minutiae of causation, as exemplified in the change from life to death, and death to life.”

-Mary Shelly, Frankenstein



Mary Shelley's Frankenstein

was published January 1, 1818.

The **eclipses** were on the
Taurus-Scorpio axis 1817-1818,
with the North Node in Taurus /
South Node in Scorpio.

This Friday's Taurus Full Moon
Eclipse is the first of **eclipses** on
the **Taurus-Scorpio axis** that will
run through summer 2023.



I decided to focus on one aspect this time because of your feedback. I heard back that sometimes the technical details were a little much.

There is a lot of other stuff happening during tomorrow's full moon, like Venus-Mars sextile. Venus in Cap in its shadow, slowing down to station retrograde. Mercury and the Sun in Scorpio have also been opposing Uranus (and squaring Saturn).

I focused on Mars in Scorpio, since Mars is in its domicile and is speaking to the Sun and Merc as well.

Spending time with this Mars-Uranus opposition can reveal a lot about the Scorpio-Taurus dynamic that we will be dealing with in the eclipses. And the Uranus transit through Taurus will be strongly influencing the Scorpio-Taurus eclipses all next year through summer 2023.

A FEW ASTROLOGY PEOPLE WHO DO RADNESS

Golden Dome is a mystery school dedicated to art, science and spirit. From their website: “The Golden Dome School’s practices seek to destabilize the authority of conventional structures of knowledge and power through an engagement with mysticism and the formation of heart centered communities of learning.” Golden Dome host lots of great events throughout the year that are worth checking out at **golden-dome.org**.

Quan Tracy Cherry was the only astrologer to spritz the virtual space during their talk at the Queer Astrology Conference in 2020. Part of why I love Mr. Quan is that, like me, he mixes astrology with intuition (some astrologers just go by the data and passed-down correlations). He has a delightful way of speaking about his latest astrological insights and observations on youtube and instagram **@quantracycherry** and **beliefisnotrequired.com**.

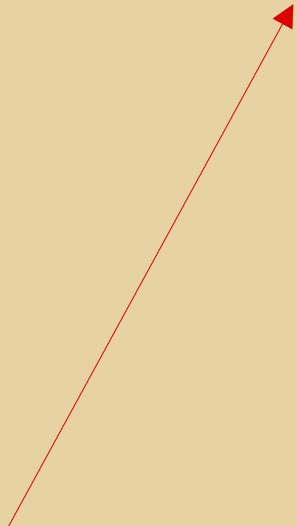
Midnight Prisms, aka Alicia Beck, makes astrology songs for all of us to sing and dance to. Her song vignettes for each of the 12 signs are equal part celebration and roast. All accurate and entertaining. My excellent friend, Alex, along with her sensitive goth pre-teen daughter, picked me up last night to see Midnight Prisms perform last night. Alex’s daughter stopped texting and actually cracked several smiles during Midnight Prism’s astrology songs performance. You too can smile, dance and sign along at youtube, instagram **@midnightprisms** or **midnightprisms.com**.

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