



# Earth Moon and Stars

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Easter Monday

I hope your holiday is a  
Happy Holiday

To each and every one of you; look at the earth and know that you are supported, look at your hands and know that you are unique, and look at the stars and know that you are part of something greater than yourself.

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## Your Sun Sign Forecast for April 2018



**Aries** 21 March – 19 April

Do not make any decisions until later in the month but it's a perfect time to build a list of pros and cons, or to work on a project. Anybody that thinks they can tell you what to do will cause tension. The whole situation becomes very involved and while major difficulties are likely aimed at other people, it can still feel edgy.



**Taurus** 20 April – 20 May

Your "sparkle" has increased which means you can ask for a favor and it will be smiled upon. It can also mean people are drawn to ask for help because it looks like you can manage anything! Tell them to get professional advice and also get it for yourself; especially on legal matters, as issues can "hang around".

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**Gemini** 21 May – 20 June

Mutual trust issues, and tensions over belongings, which are normally shared, are likely. This can be a minor irritation, or a big upheaval, but look to the higher level which is asking you to investigate your inner values and resources. And whether you can count on yourself or let/ask others to support you, emotionally, ethically or financially.



**Cancer** 21 June – 22 July

Awkwardness with loved ones or friends means that the relationship is changing. It does not mean it is ending; but a new level of mutual expectations is being explored and some will find it confronting. A new activity, a dash of playfulness or opening up to artistic, creative or spiritual learnings will help. Hiding in being busy is only a distraction.



**Leo** 23 July – 22 Aug

Your home is expanding, needing renovations, rearrangements, or a big clean up, and you need to knuckle down to make it happen. Co-workers or helpers will be overly dramatic and while you may not get the help you expect (or would like), any work will flow easily and it will happen with minimal emotional or physical effort.



**Virgo** 23 Aug – 22 Sep

A red light signals a slowdown in creative momentum bringing a serious note to any self-expressive activities or youthful playfulness. It may be that the younger people in your life are facing a big Stop sign. Be open to new information and people will help in whatever way they can, but their love cannot open doors or bring inspiration.



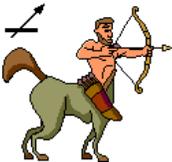
**Libra** 23 Sep – 22 Oct

The important people in your life cannot decide what to do until mid-month, so let them take a while and don't hurry them. This is a great time to undertake home renovations both literally and figuratively. So, it's either hammers on the walls, or making the effort to resolve family-of-origin tensions, and either can create a deafening "noise".



**Scorpio** 23 Oct – 21 Nov

Habits seem set in concrete and changing them seems hard to do but take a stand for your new values and point of view. Be prepared to stand up for the consequences, for after all, this is about you.... and how you want to experience life. Don't be discouraged, for self-expression and acceptance are treasured values.



**Sagittarius** 22 Nov – 21 Dec

Everything has its cost in emotions, in resources and in finances. Its time to balance the books and sort out which is worth keeping and what must be label as bad debt. It's not easy, as you were heavily invested, but get practical, streamline it, or let it go, before it costs you any more time, energy, money or emotions.



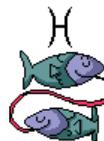
**Capricorn** 22 Dec – 19 Jan

Roll up your sleeves, knuckle down and get it done. Stand up for what you believe it. This could be seen as an opportunity or a hard time, but there is help available and once you ask... they will come. Be clear in mind what you need done, or they will misinterpret what THEY think is needed, so have a specific list.



**Aquarius** 20 Jan – 18 Feb

Your time to decide comes mid-month but it's still a watch and observe situation in the outside world. Nobody out there will see your inner world tensions but it's not all "your stuff". Some belongs to past family members, some belongs to old habits, and some is the consequences of past actions. Are you ready to forgive or let go?



**Pisces** 19 Feb – 20 March

Your long-term goals, a groups goals, will demand your time and energy. Sometimes life seems more about your "tribe" than it is about you. It could be your social, work, cultural, or political connections, even the football tribe! Are they asking too much of you? We are allowed to change "tribes" if we wish!

We do not go around the Sun in a perfect circle each year so the dates that the Sun appears to move into the signs can vary by up to one day. If you are born close to the border of two signs, then you are on the cusp and you are a blend of the two sun signs.



**It's time** to see what's happening for you.

In my work I will always use both Astrology and Palmistry. The Stars show your potential and your hands show how you grab **hold of life. Through them we look to your strengths, especially now and** to the future, and to see what to avoid, and what to enjoy.

**Moe at Gippsdown on the Highway** on various weekdays by appointment in the beautiful and peaceful grounds of Gippsdown Heritage Village on the highway at Moe. The days change each week so there will be a date that suits you.

**Traralgon** On Sunday the 22<sup>nd</sup> April at Dyoligy, a gorgeous shop where all things are beautiful and alternative in the heart of Traralgon.

**Koonwarra** in South Gippsland on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> April at the Artisan Workshop Gardens Studio in beautiful Koonwarra.



**And Phone readings** for those at a distance at a time that suits you.

## Birthday Greetings go out to

**Aries** 21 March 19 April

*"Seek to deepen and open the experience of life rather than just explain its meaning"* Joseph Campbell with 3 planets in Aries.

I give thanks to the Arian rough diamonds with hearts of gold who can trip over the so-called niceties and socially proper rules but who are involved in the moment, and when they speak to us they are involved in us with every fiber of their generous nature.

Let us channel this energy by being full of life and being totally aware..... and switched ON! Thank you for showing us this incredible focus. 😊

**Taurus** 20 April 20 May

*"We must like what we have when we don't have what we like"* Roger de Bussy-Rabutin a 15<sup>th</sup> Century writer  
Yep... I needed to read that one twice ....then once again to check that my mind agreed with the conclusion my heart made.

I give thanks to the Taurean who appreciates what is around them even though it may not be what they desired; they smile and do it with good grace. Good grace is a quality that is deserving of being bottled! Think about the term "Good Grace". Where does grace come from? Do they decide to have it? Have they practiced having it? Do they learn it or are they born with it? And the big question... how do we develop it?

Let us channel this energy and grow into the quality of having Good Grace and liking what we have. Thank you for showing us Grace. 😊



## Quote of the Month:

*"You are the sky. The clouds are what happens, what comes and goes."* Eckhart Tolle

A clever man is Mr. Tolle, his books (better yet, his CDs) impress me and his common sense delights me. We all need reminding that life comes and goes and while it may be something one season, it will be something else another. What it may be one day, it will be something else tomorrow. I suggest that you write down your concerns in a little book. Just a quick line and do it for a month. Then in a years' time read it, and you will see that those concerns no longer matter and golly yes... you will wonder why you paid them so much attention. They are the clouds that pass.

## Gossip Corner What am I getting up to? Everything!

Coming.... Great dates to put in your diary



## Myths, Astrology and Palmistry Discussion Group

On Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April at 3.30pm at Dyoligy of Traralgon

This experiential ongoing monthly workshop explores your natal chart, hands and life.

This month's theme is Partnerships. Why do unlikely ones work? Why do likely ones fail? What to look for in a partner for business or for love? It's not what you expect! Call Dyoligy to book on 51747576.

## Monthly Planning Calendar for Moon Harmony – For Business and Life **NEW!!!!!!**

You know how it is when a task takes twice as long as you expect!

It may not be the time to do that task but it may be the best time to do another one.

We know that working in the garden with the Moon works great but did you know that it also works for business and all the various activities of life. From the days to hold meetings, to send in your tax return, to get things fixed, to call so called help-lines, to do the house work, to finish a relationship, to start a relationship, to fix the data-base, to send out marketing, to design, to complete, to go to the hairdressers and much more.

Call me to talk about the **Monthly Planning Calendar for Moon Harmony** which gives you the days for optimal performance and to increase outcomes in all areas of life. Its \$ 30 emailed for a whole year!



*Yes, that was me before working with the Moon! Please insert voices calling "Mum...!"*



*This is me in balance with the Moon's help. 😊*

## Ancient Moon Gardening

Gazing out the window I can see the veggie patch and after this cold windy spell I pulled out the beans and some of the tomatoes and planted broad beans. I will plant more as the rest of the tomatoes finish in a week or two depending on the weather. Broad beans are a handy legume which pulls nitrogen out of the air and take it into the soil, which desperately needs it. I will dig the plants into the ground before the beans actually grow (green manure crop), but they will feed us with lots of green growing tips which taste like snow peas... Yum!

Now that the pumpkins are starting to die back I can now see all of their babies seemingly rising up from the foliage which reminds me to get out and make sure slaters are not nibbling where the pumpkins touch the ground.

I pruned the hedge at the perfect time to prune to keep it under control and I also pruned the lemon tree which gets too much water and food from the vegetable garden and wants to take over the garden. I cannot bring myself to pull out the cucumber as she has done a marvelous job giving roughly 60 cucumbers! Its almost like she needs to be adored as she crackles and wrinkles into decay and I am happy to adore her. 😊 Watching nature and plants grow is a metaphor for life, and this month I learnt that as Ms. Cucumber wants to be adored as she falls apart; so too the old

people amongst us want to be admired and respected. Its easy to be dismissive of their confusion but all they want is to be honored and by golly... they deserve it!

Dates AEST	Moon Position and Phase	Ancient Moon Gardening Planting and sowing days
2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Waning Fertile Moon 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter	Ideal to plant root crops.
16 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>New Moon</b> in Aries	Rest time. Grow in spontaneous initiative.
18 <sup>th</sup> 21 <sup>st</sup> 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	Waxing Fertile 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter	Perfect for all sowing and planting. Especially for vegetables whose leaves we eat.
27 <sup>th</sup> (pm), 28 <sup>th</sup> April	Waxing Fertile 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter	Perfect for all sowing and planting. Especially for vegetables that bear fruits or seeds for eating.
30 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Full Moon</b> in Scorpio	Official gardeners rest day so do nothing. ☺ Share a resolute attitude.

Now you know when to plant – you will want to know when to

- prune to enhance growth,
- prune to reduce growth,
- fertilize,
- weed,
- harvest crops
- treat pets for fleas and ticks
- manage plant and animal diseases
- and make gardening easier!
- when to get haircuts and colors



The Easy Planning Calendar has timing for every possible garden task!

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## News from the Stars this April 2018

- 3rd April Mars conjunct Saturn in Capricorn
- 14th April Jupiter in Scorpio sextile Pluto in Capricorn
- 15th April Mercury turns direct in Aries
- 15th April Mars in Capricorn sextile Neptune in Pisces
- 16th April **New Moon** in Aries
- 18th April Saturn turns retrograde in Capricorn
- 18th April Chiron enters Aries
- 20th April Sun enters Taurus
- 23rd April Pluto turns retrograde in Capricorn
- 24th April Mars in Capricorn sextile Jupiter in Scorpio
- 25th April Venus enters Gemini

26th April Mars conjuncts Pluto in Capricorn  
30th April **Full Moon** in Scorpio



The movement of the planets herald time when we feel mood changes, times we are galvanized to take action, and others times when we lack energy. There are shifts in feelings and energy levels at all New and Full Moons, when planets move into signs, or when there are connections (aspects) between planets, or when they turn retrograde or move direct again. Enjoy the ride!

## What's that Star in the Sky this April 2018?

To be amazed by the heavens, first get your bearings and note that North is the warmest side of the house. Face north and on your right is the east where the Sun rises, and on your left is west where the sun sets. Behind you is south. The brightest night is with the Full Moon on the 31st March and then again on the 30th April. The darkest night is on the New Moon on the 16th April.

For all you Night Owls

Lok to the east to see the beautiful Full Moon close to sparkling Jupiter. Rising behind them is the Scorpion who will be clearly visible by 10pm. By then, the Moon and Jupiter will be high overhead. The brightest star directly north is Regulus in the heart of Leo the Lion who always keeps us company over Autumn. High overhead is Sirius, the dog star and to the west is the Saucepan, otherwise known as Orion's belt and sword.

Turn around to the south to see the heart-warming sight of the Southern Cross, our home star. It is the right side up and high above the two pointer Stars who are so named because they always "point" towards the Southern Cross.

For all you Early Birds

The Moon begins the month close to the western horizon. Jupiter is brilliant and high in the north-west. Look north-east to see Mars close to Saturn. Mars looks reddish, Saturn looks an off-white or creamy. Let the Moon be your guide when she passes by them around the 8th April. By mid-month Mars and Saturn will be overhead. The Southern Cross is now lying on its side with the Pointer Stars above.

Let yourself be awed!



Massage time for me

## Thank You to those that keep me healthy!

Your body is a temple so do something that helps you maintain great health. Pop over to my website to see the practitioner's page to find somebody perfect for you.

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**And a BIG Thank You to every single one of you reading this!**