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INTRO *to* TRANSITS

Welcome to your guide on navigating life's significant astrological transits! If you've ever wondered why certain ages or periods in your life felt particularly transformative or challenging, astrology might have some answers for you. **Transits are essentially the movements of planets as they travel through the Zodiac, forming specific angles to your birth chart.** These cosmic alignments serve as celestial markers, offering opportunities for growth, reflection, and change.

Astrological timing is like the universe's way of sending you seasonal updates for your life. **Just as nature has its cycles—spring for planting, summer for flourishing, autumn for harvesting, and winter for introspection—so do we experience cycles in our own lives.**

These key transits are like milestones on your life's journey, each bringing its own set of opportunities and challenges. This booklet aims to help you understand these pivotal moments and offers practical tools to navigate them with grace and wisdom.

INTRO *to* TRANSITS

Now that you have a basic understanding of what astrological transits are and the role they play in your life, you're probably eager to dive into the specifics. And we're just as excited to guide you through them!

In the following sections, you'll find **a detailed exploration of key life transits**—those significant astrological events that act as milestones on your life's journey.

For each transit, we'll provide you with **a grounded description that demystifies the astrological jargon, making it relatable and easy to understand**. But we won't stop there! We'll also offer you **practical tools and exercises rooted in Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT) to help you navigate these pivotal moments with greater clarity and purpose**.

So, whether you're approaching your first Saturn Return or contemplating the legacy you'll leave as you near your second, this guide is designed to offer you both celestial insight and earthly wisdom.

Let's embark on this cosmic journey together!

the 1st NODAL RETURN

AGE 18-19

THE TRANSIT

The North and South Nodes in astrology are often **referred to as the nodes of destiny**. They represent your life's purpose and past life experiences, respectively.

At age 18, these nodes return to their natal positions, offering a celestial nudge to consider your long-term goals and the steps you need to take to achieve them.

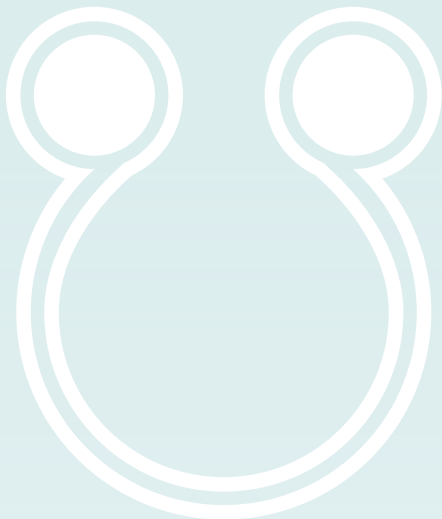
This is a crucial time for **decision-making, especially about your future path**, whether it's choosing a college, a career, or even a gap year to explore your options.



THOUGHT JOURNALING

During this pivotal time, keeping a thought journal can be incredibly beneficial. **Track your thoughts, feelings, and actions daily.**

Identify any negative thought patterns and challenge them with evidence or alternative perspectives. This practice can help you gain clarity and make more informed decisions about your future.



the 1st SATURN RETURN

AGE 27 - 29

THE TRANSIT

Saturn is the point associated with rules, structures, and order. It takes about **29.5 years to complete its orbit around the Sun.**

When it returns to the position it occupied at your birth, you experience your first Saturn Return, which acts as a pressure test for every aspect of your life.

This transit serves as **a reality check and is often marked by significant life events like marriage, the birth of a child, career changes, or buying a home.**

It's the period of time when you begin "defining" yourself in your own terms and not those of your youth and early life, beginning with your parent or parents, and extending to school, peers, and employers.

The transit is a period of **maturation** where you're prompted to **reassess your life's direction** and make long-term commitments.

S.M.A.R.T. GOAL SETTING

The S.M.A.R.T. framework is particularly useful during your first Saturn Return.

It encourages you to set goals that are **Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, and Time-bound.**

This structured approach can help you navigate the **complexities and responsibilities that come with this transit**, ensuring that you're setting yourself up for a sustainable future.

the 2nd NODAL RETURN

AGE 36-38

THE TRANSIT

At age 37, the North and South Nodes make another return to their natal positions.

This is often considered a **mid-life checkpoint**, offering you a chance to **evaluate your life's direction** and make any necessary **course corrections**.

You might find yourself **questioning your career path, the state of your relationships, and whether your actions align with your long-term goals** and values.

CORE BELIEF INVENTORY

During this transit, taking a core belief inventory can be enlightening.

Identify your foundational beliefs and assess how they influence your behavior and decision-making.

Challenge any limiting or outdated beliefs and consider adopting more constructive ones that align with your current life goals.

the NEPTUNE SQUARE

AGE 38-42

THE TRANSIT

Neptune, the planet of **dreams, illusions, and spirituality**, forms a square aspect to its natal position around age 42.

This transit often prompts a **deep reevaluation of your beliefs**, values, and life philosophy.

It can be a time of confusion, unclear direction, and dissolving leading to a spiritual awareness of your life purpose,. You might find yourself **questioning long-held assumptions, experiencing a spiritual awakening,** or seeking a more authentic way to **express your inner self.**

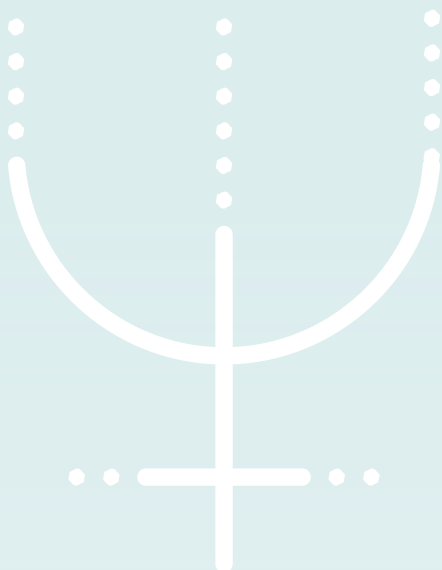


MINDFULNESS MEDITATION

Mindfulness meditation can be a **grounding practice** during this period of internal questioning.

Spend 10-15 minutes each day simply observing your thoughts and feelings without judgment.

This practice can help you **become more aware of your inner world**, making it easier to navigate the external changes you might be experiencing.



the URANUS OPPOSITION

AGE 42-44

THE TRANSIT

Uranus, the planet of change, **innovation, and rebellion**, takes about **84 years to complete its orbit**.

At age 39, it reaches the opposition point to its natal position, often triggering significant life changes.

The Uranus opposition is **designed to “shock” us into awakening and embracing our authentic selves**. This period of life can be, and is supposed to be, intensely disruptive, both internally and, if necessary, externally.

The Uranus opposition is like a lightning strike that instantly burns away the fog so you can see clearly where you are and where you need to go. This can manifest as a **career shift, a change in relationship status, or a newfound focus on personal freedom** and individuality.

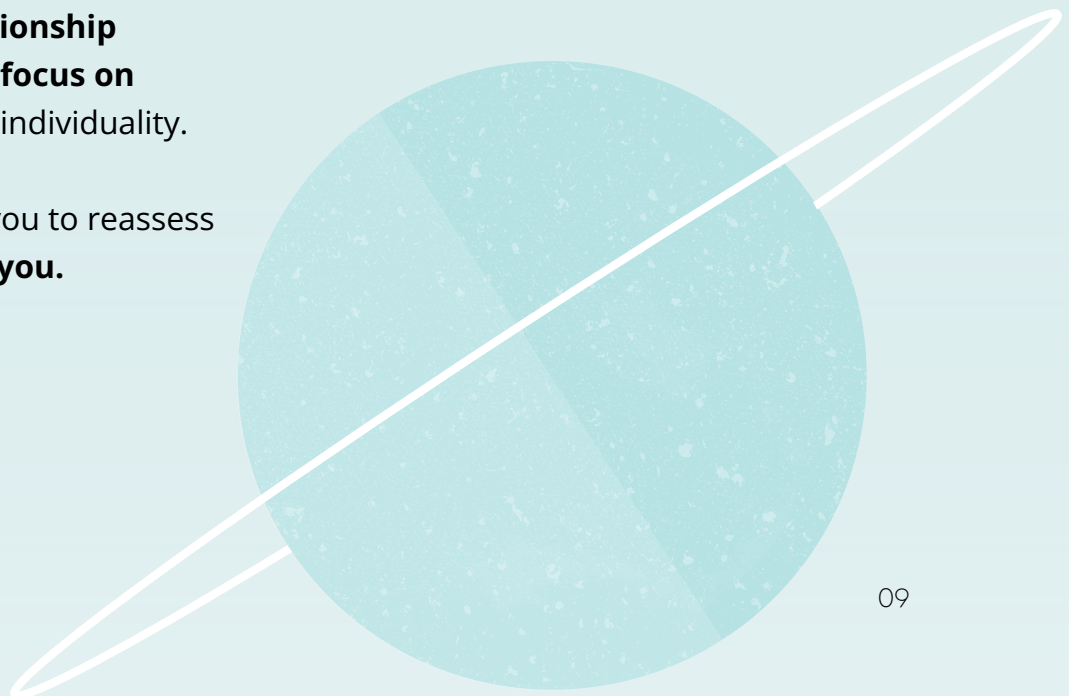
It's a period that urges you to reassess **what truly matters to you**.

THE WEEK OF 'YES'

To fully engage with the transformative energy of this transit, consider undertaking a **"Week of 'Yes'."**

For one week, **say 'yes' to opportunities or activities you'd normally decline**. This could range from social events to new projects at work.

After the week, **evaluate how these new experiences made you feel and what they taught you about your own limitations** and desires.



the CHIRON RETURN

AGE 49-51

THE TRANSIT

Chiron, often referred to as **the "wounded healer,"** takes about 50 years to return to its natal position.

When Chiron returns you should be ready to heal your spiritual wound; we all get one at birth based on the position of Chiron in our chart. This transit is a powerful time for **healing old emotional wounds and turning those experiences into wisdom.**

You may find yourself **revisiting past traumas or challenges,** but with the perspective and tools to **heal and integrate them this time.**

SELF-COMPASSION EXERCISES

During this healing transit, self-compassion exercises can be particularly beneficial.

Write a compassionate letter to yourself, addressing any past hurts or challenges and acknowledging how they've contributed to your growth.

Use positive affirmations to **challenge self-critical thoughts** and to foster a sense of self-worth.



the 2nd SATURN RETURN AGE 56-58

THE TRANSIT

As Saturn makes its second return, you're prompted to **think deeply about your legacy and what you want to leave behind.**

This is a time for **serious reflection** and potentially, a significant life change.

By the time we reach our second Saturn Return we should have **started our authentic journey at around 30, experienced a chrysalis transformative period between 36 and 39 and healed our lifelong spiritual wound.**

This was all to become wise and ready to impart our knowledge and wisdom responsibly to the generations behind us.

This is the time to act as guiding lights for improving civilization. You may find yourself **contemplating retirement, the transfer of responsibilities, or how you want to be remembered.**



LEGACY PLANNING *with* S.M.A.R.T.

During this introspective period, consider what legacy you wish to leave behind.

Use the S.M.A.R.T. framework to **outline specific, measurable, achievable, relevant, and time-bound steps to make your legacy tangible.**

Whether it's **writing a memoir, creating a family history book, or establishing a charitable foundation**, this approach can help you make your aspirations concrete.

the URANUS RETURN

AGE 83-85

THE TRANSIT

At age 84, Uranus completes its first full orbit around the Sun and returns to its natal position.

This is a time to **celebrate your life, the wisdom you've gained, and the freedom that comes with age.**

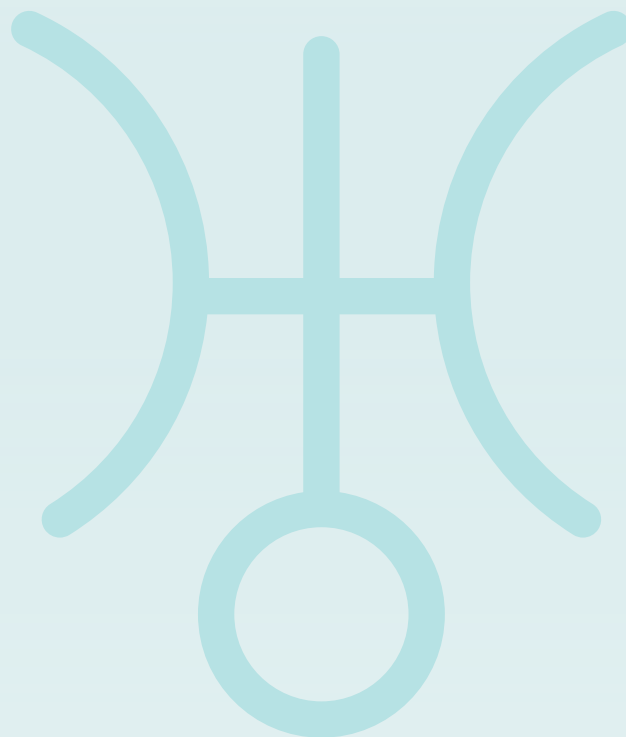
It's a period where **societal norms and expectations often take a backseat**, allowing you to live more authentically.

LIFE AUDIT

A life audit can be a powerful exercise during this transit.

Take stock of various aspects of your life—relationships, achievements, regrets, and unfulfilled dreams.

Create lists or vision boards for each category, and then assess what changes you can still make and what you can let go of, embracing the freedom that comes with this stage of life.



the NEPTUNE OPPOSITION

AGE 80-84

THE TRANSIT

Between ages 80 and 84, Neptune opposes its natal position, often bringing a **heightened focus on spiritual matters and a reflection on life** and what comes after.

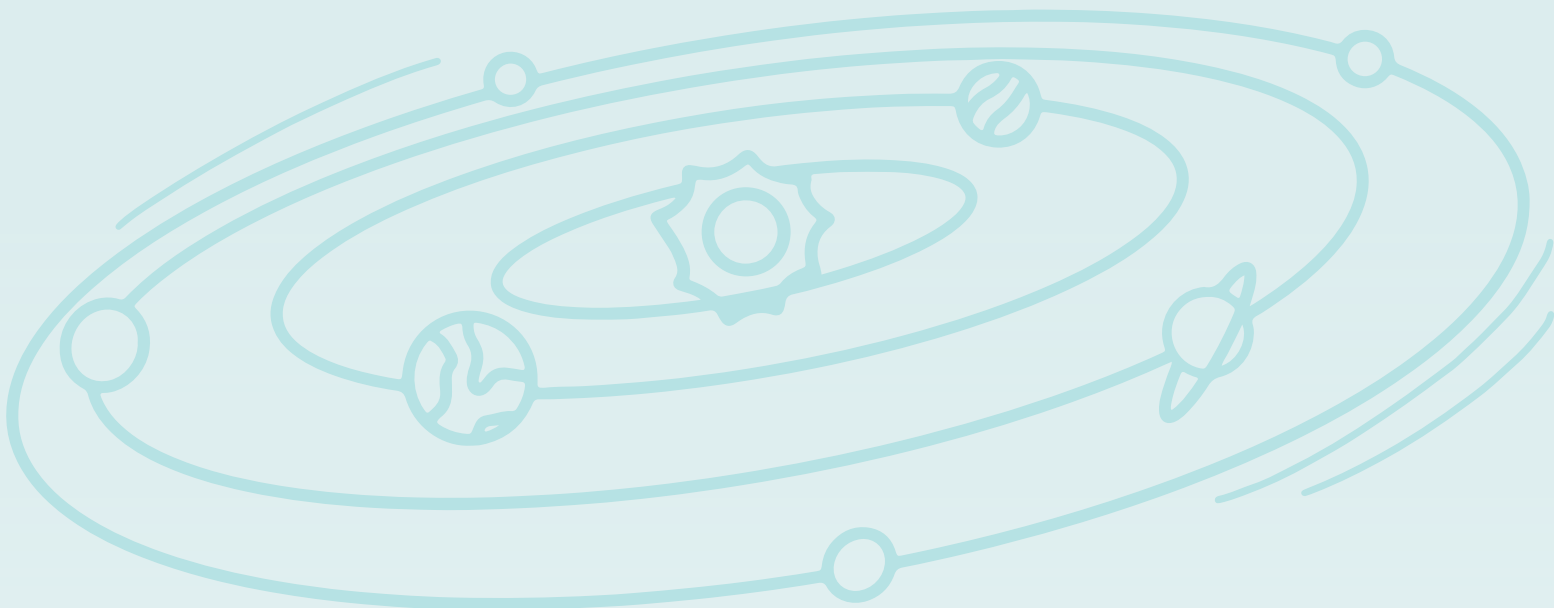
This transit invites you to delve into the **deeper questions about existence, legacy, and the afterlife**, often leading to a **strengthening or reevaluation of your spiritual beliefs**.

LIFE REVIEW

During this transit, a life review can be both enlightening and grounding.

Take time to **reflect on your life's journey, the highs and lows, and the lessons learned**.

This can be done through **journaling, storytelling, or even creating a digital or physical scrapbook of your life's most significant moments**.



CLOSING THOUGHTS

As you've journeyed through this booklet, **you've gained insights into the significant astrological transits that act as milestones in your life.** From the youthful exploration of the First Nodal Return at 18 to the reflective Neptune Opposition in your 80s, **each transit offers unique opportunities for growth, self-discovery, and transformation.** We've provided you with grounded explanations and practical exercises to help you navigate these pivotal moments with greater clarity and purpose.

But remember, **the stars may impel, but they do not compel.**

Astrology offers a framework, a celestial guidebook if you will, **but the choices are ultimately yours to make.** The exercises in this guide are tools to help you align with the cosmic energies, but your journey is uniquely your own.

