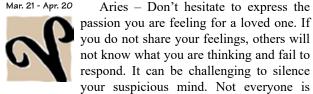
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## Your Horoscope for August 2018



trying to pull the wool over your eyes. Avoid gossip whenever possible, and you'll be fine. Even if you believe you have a handle on all that is going on around you, some surprises are bound to pop up. Enjoy any unexpected turn of events. Something has been on your mind for awhile, so write down your thoughts and try to act on them. This will take the mystery out of the situation. If you want to get out and see the sights, you have to plan an excursion. Start planning a vacation and don't forget to invite a pal along for the trip. Asking for assistance is not a sign of weakness. In fact, it is a true test of strength because it means getting help before situations turn worse. Accept help graciously. Do not be quick to accept the word "no". If you are seeking a promotion, it may take another round of negotiations to sell your position to a supervisor.



Taurus – It's time to trust your instincts. When something does not seem on the up and up, you owe it to yourself to speak up. Keep in mind that others may not believe. Wear your heart on your sleeve. Doing so may endear you to others. It may seem like

you're putting all your cards on the table, but you're showing you're genuine. Embrace your inner storyteller in the days ahead. Family and friends will want to catch up, and sharing memorable moments can be fun.



Gemini – Your romantic life seems to be full of complicated patterns that could be perceived as obstacles. Don't let these things hinder your relationships. Start making changes. Toning things down is not necessarily your style. You may want to

keep a few details to yourself. Maintain a low profile for the next few days. Words flow effortlessly from your lips, and others are captivated by your tales. You can use this power and creative streak to your advantage. Express your creativity every chance you get. Sooner or later one of your ideas will appeal to another person, and this could just be the catalyst you need. Some things are at play and you may need to gather some facts. Don't try to piece things together, but rather start at the beginning and get a comprehensive view.



Cancer - Sitting back and not doing much will move you nowhere quickly. You need to find motivation to be productive and get to the tasks at hand. It is very easy to get wrapped up in the problems of others. But sometimes you have to let others work

things out on their own. Offer advice if it is sought. You may have been a little preoccupied of late. Focus on what has been on your mind and how it is affecting your relationships, making changes where necessary. Sometimes the first step to starting something big is just believing you can do it. Then all you have to do is put all of the other factors in play. You have to hunker down and work through tasks that hold little interest for you. Success comes from tending to all of the details, even those that are less interesting.





Leo – If you can stay on course, things will move along quite well for you. There are plenty of distractions that may be in your way, but you must look beyond them. Behind the big lion's roar beats the heart of a pussy cat. Your sensitive side is bound to

come through, when you provide comfort to a person in need. Relationships with friends and associates have significant influence on your life. They can create new business opportunities and expand your social circle. Stay focused on the journey and you will certainly get to the destination in record time. You have a passionate desire to see things finished through the end. Plenty of opportunities to make big changes are on the horizon. You need to figure out what it is you want to do with yourself and where to make change.

Aug. 24 - Sept. 22

Virgo – Get outdoors and enjoy a walk through the park or a hike. It's what you need after being cooped up for too long. Outdoor projects also may beckon you. What you show to the public may not be the true you keep close to yourself. Let a few

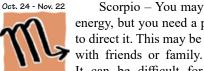
intimate details sneak out, and you may be surprised at the reactions. There is fun to be had in the days ahead. Embrace any opportunity to have some fun, rewarding yourself for all your recent hard work. This month presents a perfect opportunity to focus on a project you have been meaning to revisit. It's good to relax, but free time this month may be better spent working. Sit quietly aside and let others talk while you listen. Listening can be a great way to learn about others as well as yourself. Use this time wisely.

Sep. 23 - Oct. 23 Libra - Start planning a much-needed vacation right now. And don't forget to look beyond your usual haunts, as there are many other options available as well. This is a prime time to nurture business relationships that could push your employment career into a new direction. There are many possibilities at your disposal. A budding relationship is ready to be taken to the next level. Devote the time necessary to make that happen, as doing so can further build on an already strong foundation. You're inclined to focus on others, but it may be time to carve out some time to care for yourself. If you

burn out, everyone will pay the price. Indecisiveness may

cost you in the days ahead. Try to come to a decision on

an important situation so you can begin moving forward



once again.

Scorpio - You may have a great deal of energy, but you need a plan regarding where to direct it. This may be a good time to spend

It can be difficult for your detailed-oriented self to draw the line at what to include in a task and what to leave out. You strive for perfection in all you do. Reaching an acceptable conclusion is easier if you run ideas by others as you work out some details in your head. Discussing any doubts you have can be helpful. It's hard to run away from love and romance this week. Prioritize an existing relationship or devote more time to a budding one. Sometimes you don't see the purpose behind certain actions. Don't hesitate to ask questions to clear things up. Forge ahead and things will become clearer.



Sagittarius - Try not to get swept away by bad habits. Try something new and obtain a

perspective, whether the task is large or small. Accept challenges as they come. You are wondering if you should play it safe or dance closer to the edge this week. It may be because you are feeling trapped by routine. Change can be good. Make a concerted effort to keep lines of communication open in the days ahead. This can benefit you and your loved ones in some surprising ways. It is time to decompress between adventures, Sagittarius. Try sticking closer to home this month and take a breather. There will be plenty of exploration down the road. Sooner or later, if you try different things you are bound to stumble on the right course of action. It just may take longer than you initially expected.

Capricorn - There is no need to go to extremes to get your point across. Listen to other people's opinions, recognizing that their insight may prove valuable. you want to be there for all the people who may need your assistance. But avoid stretching yourself

too thin so you can approach each situation energetically. You feel like you are in the driver's seat as it pertains to your love life and relationship. But a partnership requires sharing responsibilities. accept constructive criticism, which is a part of many successful endeavors. Take away important lessons and apply them now and in the future. Don't worry if you cannot get your act together just yet. You will find your groove soon enough and everything will ultimately fall in place.



Aquarius - There is nothing wrong with questioning the actions of others. This can be a great way to understand others' points of view and fine tune your own. Choose your battles. There are not enough hours in the day to be an activist for every cause. Only select

the ones that you truly feel strongly about. Nearly everything you do this month will be connected to your career. Strategic moves come easily to you, and certain pieces may fall into place just when you need them to. Sometimes the best way to improve your bank account isn't by racking up long hours, but by moving into a career you love. Now is a great time to explore your options. Some things can't be avoided forever. If you feel like you are running away from problems or things you don't like, you may need to confront them.



Pisces – All it takes is a little spark and then your motivation will renew. It won't take very long to get back on track if you desire it. Try not to record every moment on social media. It's good to leave an aura of

mystery from time to time and enjoy the moments. There is a time to share your dreams, and this month may be the perfect time to do just that. Open up to your closest loved ones. You often put other people's needs before your own. Others appreciate this and may attempt to express their gratitude in the coming days. Funny things happen when you least expect them. Just when you may have thought a situation was dire, some fun will change your opinion.

