

THE NINTH HOUSE



OCTOBER - DECEMBER, 2011

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We regretfully announce that due to a family health crisis, Christopher Gibson's online course on The Decanates of Astrology has been temporarily suspended. We are hopeful that this course will continue in the New Year.

Those students wishing to pursue further study at this time can do so by watching archived courses on www.churchoflight.tv. Some of the classes available include:



Lynne Palmer
Learning to Love Our Differences
Cancer, it's Astrological Indicators and Nutritional Antidotes



Yvette Fortin
The Mayan Calendar and 2012
Esoteric Psychology

Paul Brewer
Aspects of Astrology



Christopher Gibson
An Introduction to
Hermetic Astrology
Astrological Indicators of Success
Hermetic Progressions in Action
Astrological Delineations
The Planets in Hermetic Astrology
Alchemy Applied



Meg Dissinger
Ethics for Astrologers

Allyn McCray
Beginning Egyptian Tarot
Understanding the Minors of the Tarot



Archived services are also available for online viewing commencing with October 2009.

THE NIGHT SKIES: OCTOBER—DECEMBER 2011

At the beginning of October, Saturn, Venus and Mercury can be found hovering above the western horizon after sunset. The Sun passes Saturn on October 13th, and for the remainder of the year Saturn will appear in the morning skies. The crescent of the waning Moon can be seen in conjunction with Saturn on the eastern horizon, just before sunrise on October 25th, and even higher in the predawn skies of November 22nd and 23rd, and December 19th and 20th.

In October, Mars is found in the early morning sky ascending the eastern horizon around 2:30 a.m. and preceding the Sunrise. Every day he will rise a little bit earlier, until by New Year's Eve, Mars will be rising around 11 p.m. The waning moon can be viewed in conjunction with Mars in the predawn hours of October 21st and 22nd, November 18th and 19th, and again on December 16th and 17th.

Jupiter, the third-brightest object in the skies is visible throughout the last quarter of the year. Jupiter mounts the eastern horizon around 9 p.m. at the beginning of October, and rises a little bit earlier each night. By year's end he is rising well before sunset. The Nearly Full Moon will

conjoin Jupiter on the nights of October 13th, November 9th and December 6th.

Lovely Venus, the next brightest object in the night sky after the Moon, will be an evening star throughout the fourth quarter of 2011, visible each night on the western horizon after sunset. Be sure to look to the western horizon after sunset on October 27th to see the Lunar crescent in conjunction with Mercury and Venus. This conjunction will repeat again on November 26th. On December 26th, at sunset the Moon will again be in conjunction with Venus.

Mercury is an evening star through much of the last three months of the year. By the end of November, he draws close to the Sun's rays to render him invisible, and by mid December he will reappear as a morning star. Just before sunrise on the morning of December 22nd, Mercury can be seen in conjunction with the Moon on the eastern horizon.

The Ursids meteor shower begins around December 17th and ends on the 25th. The peak day of activity is December 22. The radiant point for this meteor activity is located near Kochab (Beta Ursae Minoris) in the constellation of Ursa Minor or the Little Dipper.

2011 CALENDAR—FOURTH QUARTER

ALBUQUERQUE-ACTIVITIES

FORT WORTH-ACTIVITIES

October

- October 2, 9:30 a.m.— Zain Spirit
- October 9, 9:30 a.m.— Fall Cleanup
- October 16, 11 a.m.—Sunday Service—Scorpio
- October 23, 9:30 a.m.— Chart Talk

November

- November 6, 9:30 a.m.— Zain Spirit
- November 13, 9:30 a.m.— Chart Talk
- November 19, 8 a.m.— noon—The Order of the Sphinx Annual Meeting
- November 20, 11 a.m.—Third Sunday Service—Sagittarius

December

- December 4, 9:30 a.m.— Zain Spirit
- December 11, 9:30 a.m.— Chart Talk
- December 18, 11 a.m.—Solstice Service

For details on Albuquerque activities contact:
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October

- October 4, 7-9 p.m.— Spiritual Astrology
- October 16, 11 a.m.—Sunday Service—Scorpio

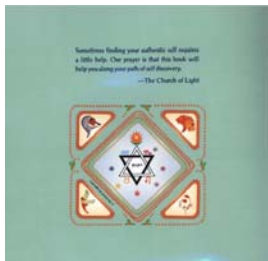
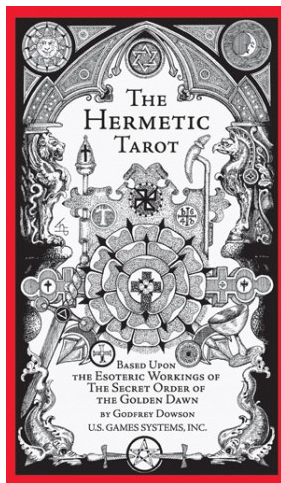
November

- November 1, 7-9 p.m.—Spiritual Astrology
- November 6, 11 AM - 2:00 PM
11th Annual Luncheon
- November 8, 7-9 p.m.— The Sacred Tarot
- November 20, 11 a.m.—Sunday Service—Sagittarius

December

- December 6, 7-9 p.m.— Spiritual Astrology
- December 13, 7-9 p.m.— The Sacred Tarot
- December 18, 11 a.m.—Sunday Service—Capricorn

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Tarot Cards and Meditation Guide

The Church of Light is pleased to announce some exciting additions to our bookstore. In celebration of our recent all-tarot conference, we are offering a selection of historic and artistically – inspired tarot cards for purchase. We will be featuring different decks in forthcoming issues of The Ninth House. However, all of the cards can be found in the bookstore of our website: www.light.org

Medieval Scapini Deck - After recreating the missing cards from the 15th century Tarocchi decks to form the U.S. Games' reproduction of the Visconti-Sforza Tarot, Luigi Scapini was inspired to create his own version of the Tarot in a similar genre. The resulting Medieval Scapini Tarot is a very interesting blend of 15th century imagery and contemporary artwork. The dark, gold-and-bronze colors and realistic representations of the Visconti Sforza Tarot appear to juxtapose in stark, yet pleasant, contrast with the vivid colors and near-caricature additions of the artist. **This boxed deck of 78 Full Color - 2 3/4 x 5 1/8 inch – Cards sells for \$20.00 + S&H.**

Hermetic Tarot is based on the esoteric workings of the Secret Order of the Golden Dawn. Esoteric designs emphasize the astrological attributes with further sephirotic, angelic, geomantic, numerical and kabbalistic elements. The black and white artwork by Godfrey Dowson features intricate detailing that highlights the powerful symbolism. This deck is one of the few that easily reveals the planetary influences at work.

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This beautiful Trade Paperback is 6 3/4" x 6 3/4" Square, and retails for \$25.00 + S&H.

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