



The Tree of Life

Month Three

Temple and Consolidation

The key to growth is the introduction of higher dimensions of consciousness into our awareness.

Lao Tzu

Mercury

As the messenger of the zodiac Mercury is a planet of communication, we all know that; right?

But are you aware of his other roles? He's also God of financial gain, commerce, spoken words, divination, travellers, boundaries, luck, trickery and thieves! One of his other roles is to help guide souls to the underworld, hence his link to the astral worlds.

Remember we travel up and down the Tree of Life, he brings you into manifestation via the Moon Temple.



He's the governor of both Gemini and Virgo, if you were born with him in either of those signs it gives him some extra credit. If you were born with him in Sagittarius or Pisces it kind of makes him grumpy, but grumpy can be worked with too.

His greatest gift is clarity, use of your logical mind and in seeing through the obstacles in whatever way you work with him. His trickster nature is double edged, yes it can lead to elongated explanations and well spun tails, but it also enables your ability to see through someone who is trying to outfox you.





His Tarot card is The Magician, so if you've been seeing that a lot recently this may be why. In this card you generally see a lot of juggling going on and the ability to keep a lot of things going at once is very mercurial.

Pay attention to what sign you have him in, when the Moon is full or New in that sign it may be in contact with Mercury, this makes for some tough head and heart choices. If he's reversing when you were born, denoted by a small letter R beside him in red, you may find Mercury retrogrades don't affect you as much as others.

Sowing Seeds

A modern world has transformed an ancient practice through the introduction of memes, gifs and so many other ways of getting seed words into our vocabulary. Seed words are used to contact your soul, to hold you in a form of meditation as you mull over the phrases. Not quite mantra, not a quote, more a few words of wisdom that speak to the core of your being. I have been known to use a few! As above, so below. All there is, is all you are.

These words have more of an impact on you than you think, look for them and ask yourself what seeded words have been sown in you; what do you repeat to yourself or use around others? Small meditations on life.



Temple Set up

This is where we learn to make images, to be particular in their construction and to make them with as much knowledge of the subject we are constructing as is possible. This sphere has the accumulated wisdom and knowledge of all that's gone before, and it must be put to good use. This is a temple of splendour and of great truths, some may be surprising as finally seeing the truth often is.

Hewn from solid ice this eight sided temple, Hod in traditional Qabalah, is also home to the Akashic Records home to the book that contains the memories of all your past lives, the records can be accessed in an annex, a shift in vibration.

For our purposes this temple is one of the colour orange, once inside it dominates the space and attracts the angelic order of the Beni Elohim, Sons of Gods, said to have taught humanity the arts and sciences.

More will be revealed on the MP3, for now it's best not to spoil the magic.

Use the same set up procedure as before plus the magical image you have chosen, to enhance your temple experience here are some room and altar suggestions, correspondences, that will attract its energy:

The Four Eights in Tarot:

Be careful here, the eight of wands is the gentlest of what can be a challenging lot!

Eight of Wands – The Lord of Swiftmess, a direct image of clarity and what should happen next. A vision of a new phase in your life.

Eight of Cups – The Lord of Indolence, look for those who impose their will more than you do your own. They may take your energy, or rather you may give it away?

Eight of Swords – The Lord of Interference, things may not be going your way. Perhaps step away and do something else?

Eight of Disks – The Lord of Prudence, be ready for an opportunity but also ready to work with any stress or change required.

Correspondences

The Magician card

Access from Yesod is via The Sun Path – 30

The incense is storax, a kind of gum

Colours are orange and blue

Flowers are orchids

Animals are Jackal, Hermaphrodite, Ape, Fox

Crystal is fire opal

Traditional Archangel is Raphael or Michael

New angelic force is **Cassatron**

Planet is Mercury

Element is Water



Cassatron

Part of this journey is working with the new energies for change, some are angelic some appear to be from other dimensions and are introduced by Ioniel as such.

Cassatron may not be as angelic as others, he is the first being you meet on this sacred journey that's from outside the angelic realms.

Ioniel brought Cassatron forward in a flash of light, a flash of light that exploded into numbers, letters, codes both linear and random and all used to form a mighty energy that's akin to Thoth, an energy that's made of science, intellect and on first meeting is well, let's see how that goes!

Consolidation

When the conscious mind expands to embrace deeper levels of thinking, the thought wave becomes more powerful and results in added energy and intelligence.

I have a dream: is it the same as last month, or have you made some changes?

Astrology: Where is Mercury in your chart, what house, what sign? That information is in your natal chart print out. What does it tell you about your conscious mind? What words would you use to describe your intellectual responses to your astrology?

Tarot Cards: what cards came up more than once in your daily reading. The four eights represent this energy, have they been dominant and if so, what suit?

The Celtic Cross, or a three card reading: what information does it have for you?

Cassatron: what guidance did he offer you?

Other temple images and symbolism: Cards, animals, beings, who you saw and what they had to offer you in the way of information.

How has it manifested in my life: On reflection, what splendour has your conscious mind shown you?

Moving forward I commit to: using your newfound information what are you making plans to bring into manifestation, what truths are you now willing to share?

Homework

- Choose a day and time for your temple
- Set up and complete the temple meditation
- Consolidate your experiences
- Look for your seed words
- Continue to take your daily card
- Continue with interwoven light meditation

Next Meeting Online is

June 6th at 19:00 UK

Month Four: Relativity and Perception

A look at where things may be all glamour and no substance, and what about those folks who seem to fit everything in where you struggle to keep on top of life? You'll also look at judgement, how staying out of other people's business will free up more time to concentrate on you!