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Study Questions: Course 10-1, Natal Astrology: Delineating the Horoscope (Hermetic System)

Chapter 1, First Eighteen Decanates Analyzed

Please Note: There is only one final examination sheet for the two sections of Course 10.

1. What decanate is pictured by the Hare?
2. What is the scientific decanate of the sign of thought?
3. What constellation pictures the middle decanate of Virgo?
4. Just what does a birth chart represent?
5. What indicates that which will be attracted into each department of life if nothing is done about it?
8. What does the constellation Eridanus signify?
7. What decanate is pictured by Perseus?
8. What decanate relates to twin souls?
9. By what constellation is the middle decanate of Cancer pictured?
10. What is the natural field of endeavor of persons born under the first decanate of Gemini?
11. What is the decanate of struggle?
12. What decanate is pictured by the Charioteer?
13. People of what decanate quickly sift the grain from the chaff of learning?
14. How can the fortune of any department of life be improved?
15. Just what does a progressed aspect represent?
16. What decanate is chiefly given to service?
17. What viewpoint is it very essential that people born under the last decanate of Leo should cultivate?
18. What constellation pictures the middle decanate of Leo?
19. Which is the decanate of rulership?
20. Which is the decanate of research?
21. Why should a person receiving an astrological reading be given a chart correctly erected for the time of day, as well as for the year, month, day, and place of birth?
22. What is the decanate of activity?
23. Why is it necessary that the house positions of the signs and planets of a birth chart be known?
24. Why is natal astrology quite different than divination?
25. Why should each person learn to erect, progress and read his own chart?

Chapter 2, Last Eighteen Decanates Analyzed

1. What decanate is pictured by a queen on her throne?
2. People of what decanate reach their greatest efficiency only in harmonious association with a kindred soul of opposite sex?
3. What is the decanate of Martyrdom?
4. People of what decanate should at all times have some definite work to accomplish?
5. People of what decanate are the most religious of all?
6. People of what decanate are capable of leading the strenuous life at its maximum?
7. People of what decanate are "Wise as serpents" in worldly affairs?
8. How is the Polarity of the Mentality determined from the birth chart?
9. What does the Sun-decanate in a birth chart indicate?
10. How does man secure his greatest happiness?
11. What does the sign where the Sun is located in the birth chart show?
12. Do the constellations symbolizing the decanates always picture the thing persons born under the decanate should attain?
13. How is the Polarity of the Personality determined?
14. People of what decanate sometimes use the brilliance of their minds to enslave their fellow men?
15. What decanate is pictured by the sacrificial altar?
16. People of what decanate become the best managers in the world?
17. Persons of what decanate are alert for the new and unique?
18. People of what decanate have the natural ability to gain information from an invisible source?
19. What is the decanate of Self-Sacrifice?
20. People of what decanate are natural detectives?
21. What is the decanate of Idealism?
22. People of what decanate have the power to attain the highest states of consciousness?
23. What is the decanate of attainment?
24. How does a man usually become famous?
25. People of what decanate usually find some opposition to their views to conquer?

Chapter 3, Stature, Temperament, Disposition and Mental Ability

1. Illustrate that the birth chart does not indicate the evolutionary level of the creature for which it is erected.
2. Why is it much easier to determine the type of ability possessed by an individual than to determine how far he will go in the development and expression of the qualities thus so clearly indicated?
3. Of what is the psychoplasm of the astral body formed?
4. By what agency are the stellar cells which compose the astral body organized?
5. Through what process have the stellar structures within the astral body at birth been built?
6. Just what is it that the positions of the planets at the time of birth map?
7. What is it that attracts events into the life?
8. Through the operation of what law are events thus attracted into the life?
9. Name, in the order of their importance, the four factors which indicate stature and appearance.
10. What is the most important factor as indicating temperament and disposition?

11. What maps the most deep-seated and permanent of all the thought elements comprised within the astral body?
12. In what respect do the four factors which indicate character differ from the four factors which indicate temperament and disposition?
13. What are the five factors which indicate mental ability?
14. What dynamic stellar structure is the most open avenue by which impressions and information find access from the outside world to the astral body?
15. Are the inharmonious aspects to Moon and Mercury to be considered as afflicting the mental ability?
16. Why is it more important to know the best and worst quality of a sign or planet than merely to know the usual influence?
17. In what way can any planet or sign which is unusually prominent in the birth chart, even when afflicted, be turned into an asset?
18. When a planet or sign is unusually prominent in the birth chart what happens when an attempt is made to suppress the manifestations of its energies?
19. When a planet or sign is unusually prominent in the birth chart is it feasible to make it express in terms other than its own nature?
20. What is the easiest way to remember the best and worst qualities of each sign and planet?
21. What is the best way to remember the type of thoughts and experiences ruled by each sign and planet?
22. What unusual quality has the Pluto person?
23. What is the best quality of the planet Pluto?
24. Is the planet Pluto ever milk and water?
25. What is the worst quality of Pluto?

Chapter 4, Vitality, Health and Disease

1. To what extent is the physical body a replica of the astral body?
2. Why is the state of consciousness which accompanies an event usually more significant than the event itself?
3. What is retained by the astral body of every living thing on earth, from bacteria and amoeba to man, that determines the kind of physical organism it occupies?
4. Is the astral body of man dependent, except for physical expression, on the astral form of the cells of his physical body?
5. What, in the birth chart, maps the zones of the astral body?
6. What, in the birth chart, maps the compartments of the astral body?
7. Thoughts about health and the physical body add their astral substance to what compartment of the astral body?
8. Is the zone embraced within a compartment the same in different persons?
9. Of what is health the expression?
10. The disease, or whatever condition of life is under consideration, is attracted by what?
11. What constitute the receiving sets of the astral body for picking up astral vibrations?
12. What performs the functions of aërials for the receiving sets within the astral body?

13. What is the difference between a permanent stellar aerial and a temporary stellar aerial?
14. Indicate the difference between health and vitality.
15. Explain the composition of the etheric body of man.
16. From what position in the birth chart is vitality to be gauged?
17. Next to the Sun, what planet is most important in judging length of life?
18. How is the strength of the constitution to be judged?
19. The weighing of what two factors against each other indicates the length of life?
20. In what way does Mercury have a profound influence over the health?
21. What significance have the First House and the Sixth House in matters of health?
22. State under what conditions, and why, a planet is considered Prominent?
23. What is meant by the Birth-Chart Constant and the Progressed Constant of a disease?
24. Are the conditions mapped by Birth-Chart Constants and Progressed Constants unalterable?
25. Through what process can the same type of energy be added to the astral body, and produce the same effect on external environment, that can be added by any planetary position?

Chapter 5, Business, Finances and Vocational Selection

1. By what should we gauge the spirituality and success of a life?
2. What, therefore, should vocational selection have for its object?
3. Illustrate that the amount of revenue obtained from a given type of work is seldom proportional to the benefit it confers upon others.
4. That which we call luck is in reality the habitual manner in which what performs when the individual is brought into conflict with certain environmental conditions?
5. Upon what depends the intelligence with which the thought cells within the astral body work from the four-dimensional plane?
6. Why are some persons, or for that matter some dogs, born with one kind of ability and fortune, and their fellows are born with a different kind of ability and different fortune?
7. Whenever the astral body contains a powerful group of stellar cells, as mapped by an unusually prominent planet, what does this indicate as to previous experience and present ability?
8. What kind of ability is denoted by each planet?
9. What, relative to ability, do the aspects of the planets denote?
10. What part have temperament and disposition to play in the selection of the abilities which can be used to greatest advantage?
11. In the selection of a vocation why is it so important to select the proper surroundings in which the abilities may be expressed?
12. To what extent are the character vibrations of objects and the thought vibrations of people similar in their effect to the vibrations from astrological sources?
13. What happens when the stellar structures within the astral body which are composed of discordantly compounded thought elements are given additional energy from the thoughts, from the planets, or from character vibrations of objects?
14. What is the influence of associating with those things the character vibrations of which are ruled by a harmoniously aspected planet in the birth chart?

15. What is it within the astral body which so readily picks up the character vibrations of an object with which we associate and adds them to the thought cells of our astral form?
16. Where the information has been compiled, what is the best way to determine the suitability for a given vocation?
17. What is the more general method of determining the suitability for a given vocation?
18. What are the three factors to be considered in judging business success?
19. What, in the birth chart, maps the sharp blue line which acts as an amplifier?
20. In what compartment of the astral body are located all the thoughts, impulses and feelings of the past which have to do with credit, honor, business and promotion?
21. A temporary stellar aerial leading into which house is always present when there is any marked change in the matter of labor?
22. Why do people sometimes lose their jobs under a good progressed aspect to the ruler of the tenth house?
23. What are the four factors to be considered in judging the ability to make money?
24. What house in the birth chart indicates the most favorable source of wealth?

Chapter 6, Friends, Enemies and Associates

1. Upon what depends the power of the various objects and persons which an individual contacts to influence his life and destiny?
2. Why, in the control of his life and its most effective direction into the channels of his choosing, should there be care in selecting friends and inanimate associates?
3. Through what device do the invisible energies from objects and the thoughts of others add their activities to the stellar cells within his body?
4. Any stellar aerial is capable of picking up how many types of astral energy?
5. What determines whether stellar aerals picking up invisible energies will give them a harmonious trend or impart to them discordant static?
6. Whatever energy comes in over an aerial mapped by a square aspect has what effect upon the stellar cells which it thus reaches?
7. When the stellar cells are prodded in this way, what do they do?
8. Explain the principle of sympathetic response through which the thought cells in a certain compartment not reached by the aerial may also be given similar activity.
9. Only under what special conditions are events of noticeable importance attracted into the life?
10. What in the birth chart indicates a group of thought cells within the astral body which are in a high state of activity?
11. When the stellar cells of a compartment surrounding a dynamic stellar structure becomes active, how does this affect the dynamic stellar structure?
12. When there is a planet in a sign, and the energy is added to the stellar cells mapped by the sign, which is more important, the ruler of the sign or the planet actually in it?
13. Associating with an object ruled by a planet adds energy most pronouncedly to which compartment of the astral body?

14. Associating with an object ruled by a sign adds energy most strongly to which compartment of the astral body?
15. What determines whether the energy so added will tend to attract fortune or misfortune in the department of life indicated by the compartment?
16. To what circumstance is it due that the thought cells in the astral body act harmoniously or discordantly?
17. What is it in the birth chart which indicates how the thought cells within the astral body have been compounded?
18. Can these thought compounds be changed?
19. What is the significance of a Grand Trine?
20. What is the significance of a Grand Square?
21. How, from a birth chart, are the type of friends attracted determined?
22. From what consideration in the birth chart are to be judged if the hopes will largely be realized?
23. What is the significance of many planets in the twelfth house?
24. From what must the type of religion which an individual embraces be determined?
25. What, in the birth chart, indicates the chief motive which prompts others to become open enemies?

Chapter 7, Love, Marriage and Partnership

1. Indicate how different people use various yardsticks to measure the success of marriage.
2. What are the four chief factors that must be considered as contributing to the success of marriage?
3. Illustrate how a planet in the 7th indicates the type of person attracted into partnership.
4. How is it determined what effect on the life such a partner will have?
5. What is signified by an aspect from the ruler of the 7th to the ruler of the 2nd?
6. What is indicated when a planet which aspects the ruler of the 7th is unusually prominent?
7. If the planet ruling the 7th is more prominent than the planet ruling some other house with which it makes an aspect, what is indicated?
8. What is the significance of Uranus or Neptune in the 7th house?
9. What planet indicates the influence of men in general upon the life of a woman?
10. What planet indicates the influence of women in general upon the life of a man?
11. To what planet must we look to determine the success of the affections in general?
12. From what position in the birth chart should love affairs both in and out of marriage be judged?
13. What positions in a man's chart, and in a woman's chart, indicate the various opportunities to marry?
14. Of what value is it thus to be able to determine the planet which signifies each person with whom there will be opportunity to marry?
15. What three factors are particularly important in selecting a marriage partner?
16. What position in the birth chart indicates the quality of the positive etheric energy?
17. What position in the birth chart indicates the quality of the negative etheric energy?
18. What acts as the ground wire, and in what manner does it influence the quality of the personal magnetism which reaches the outside world only through flowing over it?

19. Why is it that people's magnetism that fuses nicely during the special conditions of courtship may refuse entirely to blend after financial worries and other irritations impose themselves in marriage?
20. Why, in marriage or other close personal association is it so essential that the permanent magnetic vibrations should be similar?
21. From what positions is to be judged the mental harmony between two people?
22. From what positions is to be judged the spiritual harmony between two people?
23. When should people marry?
24. How should be time for children to be born be selected astrologically?
25. How may the effect upon the life of the father and the mother be determined?

Chapter 8, How to Delineate a Horoscope

1. By what standard should the success of a birth chart reading be judged?
2. What are the three worthwhile objectives of human life toward which the advice of the astrologer should assist his client as much as possible?
3. Instead of indicating his faults, in what should the astrologer instruct his client?
4. Instead of merely telling his client that a certain event will transpire about a certain date, what should the astrologer do?
5. Rather than inevitable fate, how should progressed aspects be viewed?
6. In delineating a horoscope what is of far more importance than merely telling the individual the facts about himself and his future?
7. To what extent should the rules carefully be followed?
8. Should some system be adopted and always followed?
9. What significance as related to the thought cells in his astral body are planets which are powerful in the birth chart?
10. When a chart is weak, what advice should the astrologer offer?
11. When too many planets are in mutable signs, what advice should be given to the client?
12. When too many planets are in movable signs, what advice should be given to the client?
13. When too few planets are in fiery signs, what advice should be given to the client?
14. When too few planets are in the early signs, what advice should be given to the client?
15. What is signified by the house containing the most planets, and what advice should be given concerning this department of life?
16. What birth-chart position is a guide to the mental antidote which should be applied to benefit some particular department of life?
17. When the relation between two departments of life indicates a preponderance of one which is to the individual's disadvantage, what advice should the astrologer offer?
18. When the seventh step of delineating is reached, in which the aspects are considered, what order of sequence should be followed in the reading?
19. In each department of life, as considered, what should be the astrologer's task, whenever undesirable traits or weaknesses are discovered?
20. Why should the astrologer thoroughly understand the technique of establishing new habit systems?

21. Why should the best planet and the worst planet in each chart always be selected?
22. Explain through what process rallying forces are able to reach stellar aeries and thus compartments in the astral body which are not directly connected with the stellar aerial which picks them up.
23. Explain how this same principle can be utilized, when there is some favorable aspect in the birth chart, to supply all the compartments with its energies, and thus make the whole life fortunate.
24. Explain the application of mental antidotes to improve life.
25. Explain the process of conversion, by which an inharmonious aspect may be changed, in so far as its effect is concerned, into a harmonious aspect between the same two planets.

Note: There is only one final examination on the two sections of Course X.

