Black Moon Lilith Report by Tom Jacobs

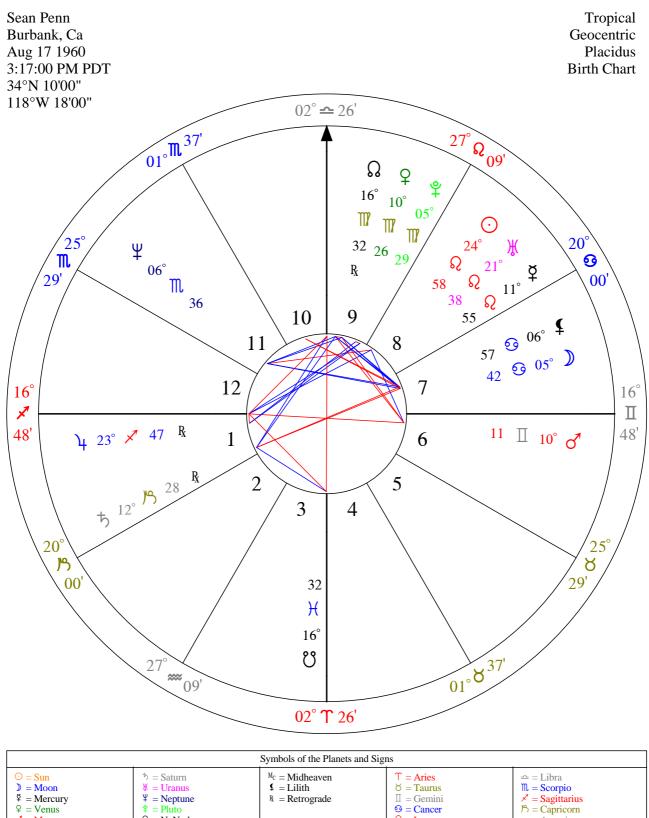
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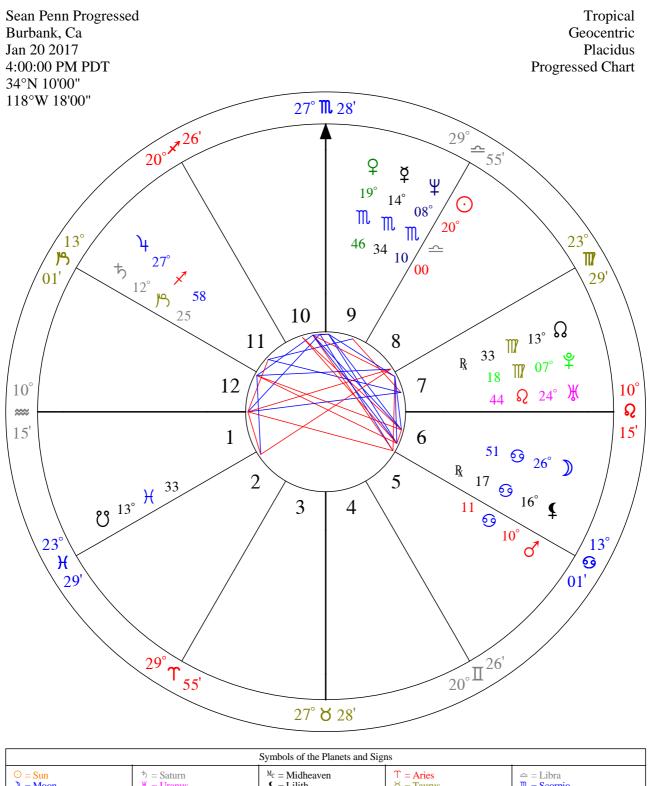
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1. Who Is Lilith?

Many people want to know, and that you're reading this report means you're one of them. There is a hunger for deeper, more meaningful, real, and useful interpretations of Lilith. I know many people who came upon a mention of Lilith and for an unknown reason were intrigued to learn more about her. Others have been consciously in touch with Lilith as an archetype and as a story that they live. They want to learn about Lilith in their natal chart, making astrology that much more relevant to their unfolding journey.

Writing about Lilith based in her mythology as we've received it always misses a mark. To understand her we need experience. Only that kind of understanding can lead to integration and healing, which is the deep desire of most who are drawn to learn more about her.

Understanding Lilith means reconnecting to her and, in our unique ways, becoming her. In each of us she needs to be recognized and integrated. The process of healing Lilith within us lies in this reconnection, in learning to love how we are wired, and in understanding that, contrary to what have been led to believe, expressing Lilith does not have to be from a place of rage and violence.

This report aims to aid you not simply to understand how to think of Lilith, but how to recognize and reconnect with this visceral, primal part of you -- a part that craves attention and healing. This craving arises from the way we have culturally filed this natural part of us as a troublemaker who's best kept out of the way. And yet she *is* a natural part of us, and if we are to be healthy on all levels we need to get in contact with her and allow her to inform us. Any of us who has expressed our Lilith in our lives has done so at least part of the time from a stance of victim consciousness. This is where we begin with Lilith, given the history of suppression that each of us carries and our anger about it, and what we have been told that suppression and anger mean.

When it comes to Lilith, maturity involves taking responsibility for our selves, experiences, and lives. This is the first step toward self-love, something we all need to develop. I want this report to show you how to use your Lilith energy differently, proactively, and without perpetuating a victim consciousness. If you commit to learning what the energy of Lilith is, and you choose to consciously reconnect your self to her self as she lives in you, you are going to come to see the world in a different way. You will be embarking on a critical process of emotional healing, bringing the hiddenmost parts of your emotional body in line with the rest of you, creating a more whole vision of yourself and a deeper orientation to self-care and health.

Two facts have driven me to write this report. One, Lilith represents our personal connection to the wild in us, and reconnecting to our natural selves is what we need to remedy not only our individual, but also our present collective sickness. Our relationship with the planet and our resources, our evolving understanding of what it means to survive in this kind of culture, rests on this. Too, many of us live elements of Lilith's story. This part of us is real and cannot be denied.

Congratulations on opening to the message that you-as-Lilith have for yourself.

The Astronomical Basis for this Report

Astrologers use several points named Lilith: an actual body (asteroid number 1181), a hypothetical body (the Dark Moon Lilith, a possible second satellite of the earth first postulated by Waltemath and written about by Delphine Jay and others), and, finally, the Black Moon Lilith, a mathematically determined point like the lunar node.

This report uses the Black Moon Lilith. This marks the empty focus of the Moon's orbit around the Earth, which is also the apogee of the Moon's orbit. This point is on the opposite side of the Earth from where the Moon is. As with the lunar Nodes, there are two ways of calculating this point's position. Just as many astrologers use the mean lunar Nodes, many use the mean position of the BML, which is more readily available and which, like the mean lunar Nodes, travels at a steady pace.

In contrast, I use the true BML, which is based on where the Moon is *at any given moment*. This takes into account short-term fluctuations (osculations) in the plane of the Moon's orbit. Over the long term the mean and true positions will end up at exactly the same degree, but over the short term the motion of the BML is highly erratic, with sudden changes of direction and velocity that arise from the erratic quality of the Moon-Earth relationship. At times, the true BML can vary from the mean position by up to 30 degrees. It spends several months going back and forth between two signs, changing from direct to retrograde motion every 11-20 days. As a point determined by the Moon's imperfect orbit of the Earth, it does not have a regular orbital period as do the planetary bodies we use in astrology. As Juan Antonio Revilla points out, use of the true BML is the only of the two options that lends itself to the "irrational, instinctive, and primal symbolism of Lilith" (http://www.expreso.co.cr/centaurs/blackmoon/lilith.html).

I believe that use of the mean BML is an echo of the preference of Eve over Lilith, of controlled(/-able) blandness over an unpredictable aliveness. The true BML gives us trouble in her erratic travel, just as Lilith gave Adam; the true BML is unmanageable, just as Adam found Lilith. The mean position will never offer meaningful and useful insights into the true nature of Lilith, as Eve can tell you nothing meaningful or useful about Lilith.



2. Lilith and Her Myth

I differentiate between the Lilith story as we understand it today (it having been shaped by human culture) and what the story is at its core, which involves basic elements independent of any culture's telling of it. With some archetypes this means we have to go back in time to peel away layers of overwriting. With Lilith, we must peel away layers of *stigma* added to her story, layers we have each internalized to one degree or another. In other words, her story is still readily available; it is only our relationship with it that needs work.

The essential element of the story is the suppression of the basic, natural creative drive which is an integral feature of each of us. This has us choosing to ignore an important facet of our nature so that we can be acceptable to others or avoid being punished. Above I quote Juan Antonio Revilla using the word "instinctive": At your root is an animal nature that doesn't question and doesn't conceive or think -- it simply *is*. This part of you operates without regard to anything but its impulses. It is pre-human. It is something that we have in common with the rest of life, and it ties us to it.

When we break away from our culturally-conditioned control-freak and brainy glory and use Lilith's energy to guide our behavior -- when we give in to that instinctive side of ourselves -- we cannot be controlled. When steering with this energy we can meet our individual need, but it threatens our collective societal need. Airing that side of ourselves in our Saturn-saturated culture is more than likely to get us into trouble.

Here is Lilith's story from the Jewish tradition, touched upon in Genesis and elaborated on in the Jewish texts and scriptural commentaries known as the Midrash: On the sixth day God creates Adam as both male and female. After Adam names all the animals, he realizes just how lonely he is. The other animals have a natural mate (and, searching for his mate, Adam copulates with all the females or attempts to do so). Having created Adam both male and female, God answers Adam's request and splits him so that he will not be lonely. The result is Adam and Lilith.

Things are great . . . for a while. Each has someone appropriate to play and make love with. But in time Adam demands that in their lovemaking the female always be on the bottom. Lilith refuses, because they were created at the same time from the same stuff and are therefore equals. Ultimately, she leaves him, heading to the Red Sea, home to hordes of demons. Lilith makes love with them, expressing herself freely, and each day she bears a hundred immortal children. Lonely, Adam asks God to bring her back. God sends three angels with a message: Return to Adam, or your children will die at the end of each day. Lilith refuses to return, and when the sentence is enacted, she flies into grief that is expressed as rage.

I will spare you the bogey-woman stories that have grown up around Lilith in different cultures. They are useful only in perpetuating your fear of approaching wholeness. Suffice it to say that she has been thoroughly demonized so that we never attempt to honor this part of ourselves.

The story of Lilith is about an individual consciously choosing to live in alignment with this side of herself, in integrity. But it is also about what happens as a result, because she lives with others who are trying to maintain a rule of law. She is making a *conscious* choice to remain connected to *instinct*. The idea of not doing so doesn't appeal to her, doesn't seem an option, even though in the myth she is threatened with heinous things if she continues on the path she knows she must take. Her refusal to obey the angels' command isn't so much Uranian (anti-Saturnian) as it is simply following her gut instincts about what's good for her (something that is pre- or a-Saturnian). It isn't in her nature to deny her nature.

How We Live the Myth

It's useful to treat archetypes as processes, both to avoid stereotypes and to see how we live them as stories in our lives. If we talk about Lilith in fewer than three dimensions, we settle for keywords and risk talking in stereotypes, missing the critical point that Lilith resides within each and every one of us. Using a shorthand for Lilith based in the abundant distractions that surround her story simply won't work.

How Do We Make Lilith?

As a counseling astrologer, my most important question about Lilith is this: How do we make a Lilith? Why is she raging? How is a person inspired to bring out that energy? What do we do to bring out such rage from a person? When does that seem the right, the best, or the only thing left to do?

It's not enough to talk about the myth and end with a couple of keywords. People are living, breathing, walking myths. Consciously or not, we regularly take on the stories of mythological figures. If you can help someone understand the myth she is living (and perhaps is confounded by), you can help her understand what her choices are and why she has made them, opening the door for her to forgive herself if needed. (And with the Lilith part of ourselves, it is needed frequently!) Once this happens, she will naturally see how to make different choices if she desires to, or at least see the sticking points that keep her from doing so.

In my work with Lilith I focus less on the idea that she is raging than on the fact that all rage is a reaction to pain. Getting on track with one's Lilith means healing the pain that inspired the anger. Then, in time, we must learn to channel Lilith's fiery energy into proactive expressions.

Focusing on our rage, we merely perpetuate an internalized anger. While we do need to express the anger and the fire, we also must learn to address the source of our Lilith anger. We do this by understanding how it came to be in the first place. Healing these deep parts of ourselves calls for emotional archaeology. I am motivated to write this report because the birth chart gives key clues to what kinds of situations inspired the original rage, and why. I want you to understand where the rage came from, and what you can do to evolve out of being stuck in Lilith's anger.

Everything that happens to us is necessary for our evolution. To accept this is to accept responsibility for our lives. It may be difficult to accept that we have drawn pain to us for good reasons, yet healing Lilith-related issues rests on this. If we insist that others have wronged us, we perpetuate a victim consciousness. With Lilith, we would then maintain a basic orientation to anger from which our Lilith will always act.

The Lilith archetype is generally about suppression of the basic, natural creative drive and a resultant feeling of not honoring a basic element of the self. Through the lens of culture, of our regular day-to-day lives, this is only where the story begins. The ensuing period of suppression is one of building tension as we attempt to reconcile what we feel might break us if we step fully into the tension and anger.

We experience this actively as anger, resentment or rage, or we stuff it into a quiet corner where we think (or hope) it won't cause any trouble. But festering resentment/anger/rage always causes trouble. Whether or not we are aware of it, the outward manifestation of living the Lilith energy can cover a vast range of attitudes and behaviors. These can include pessimistic passivity or suspicion, irrational and instinctual/primal behavior, resentment for being thought to be uncontrollable, and the oft-mentioned rage. It could also manifest as cautiousness in admitting power in any form -- whether the existence or importance of one's own power, or someone else's. (Recognizing someone else's power will lead us to see our own.) Since we as a collective have created our own particular taboos, these attitudes and behaviors will often revolve around issues of sexuality and gender, and the way power issues have informed and shaped them.

Independent of individual chart interpretation, the Lilith archetype relates to a part of us so far removed from the kind of lives our societies teach us to live that it is deeply hidden. It's so deep, in fact, that reaching into it can trigger an explosion. The well of creative energy that we each have is in fact the natural sexual energy that society makes it taboo to freely express and embody. This can make it potentially difficult to delve into the places where we keep our Lilith energy.

I don't believe that the nature of the archetype is about being hidden, but that social conditions have led to an overall necessity of it being hidden in the individual, in order for us to survive in this bell-curve-oriented, nature-denying culture. I also don't believe that doing Lilith work is about sexuality per se. Rather, it reaches into the part of us that doesn't differentiate our sexual being from our overall nature.

Cultural Containers

Lilith's story in particular myths is a container that a culture retains in order to keep the energy out of the mainstream. It is an attempt to keep her and her culture-busting influence at bay. There is no doubt that groups understand that containing it is necessary to their survival. But no matter how hard a culture works to squash or deny them, there will always be each energy in existence flowing through all people. The danger that Lilith energy poses to the collective comes when individuals get in touch with it inside themselves. Individuals then rely more on their instinctual nature, usually bringing them to see that certain ways in which they participate in society don't do them any good. Admission of Lilith in ourselves will in this kind of culture lead to the urge to drop out, or, if anger or a desire for vengeance outweighs the individual's freedom to leave, resort to sabotage. Society will do everything it can to prevent this.

The way astrologers treat Lilith shows other attempts to contain her wild energy. One person asks, "Hey, what about Lilith?" and someone else says, "Heeeey, hold up, don't get confused. There are three Liliths. Don't mix them up." This doesn't explain anything meaningful, and I think it is a red herring. There is also the promotion of the mean BML position over that of the true position. I feel that both of these are subconscious diversions stemming from the collective fear of Lilith and the natural wild.

The more I work with this archetype, the more I see the threat that individuals who own this part of themselves pose to society, and the less ready I see the society perceives itself to be for people to truly embrace this part of themselves. But here is something: No society is ever ready to admit, recognize or confront Lilith. Her aims can seem to run counter to a society's. The degree to which we have bought into self-suppression as a survival mechanism indicates the level of cultural, social and religious conditioning we have accepted.

Reconnecting with Lilith

On the individual level, I often see people ready to deal with this energy and looking in some form to do so. Welcome to those ranks! The fact that you're holding an astrological interpretive report focusing on Lilith means that you are opening yourself to reconnecting with a deeper layer of your being.

For most of us in this process, we have neither an outlet nor a support structure, and proceeding can be cautious if we even begin. My clients often manifest the beginning of this process as shame and anger, which stem from pain. These are rooted in various personal sexual or creative experiences, those of family members and friends (whether the native is conscious of it or not), and the society's mores and taboos. In other words, negative manifestations of Lilith experiences are due to pain, and can result in shame and anger at the surrounding structures that seem to have caused the pain (that is, if we listen to others about who we really are or should be). Always there is the experience, had or witnessed, of someone being treated in a hurtful way for being what he or she naturally is, because it cannot be controlled. This treatment comes from a group or from individuals acting out the group's fears and taboos. The pain associated with the story of Lilith that we all carry is so buried that we act it out according to the oblique, indirect mandate of the group. Since people don't understand how to take responsibility for their portion of the energy, the expression of it is often careless and confused.

Sexual violence of all kinds fits here, whether it be rape or other violence rooted in sexual issues or themes, or sexual expression touching the borders of the darkest territory inside us. In some of us Lilith always seeks expression, while in others it is triggered by changes in consciousness (related to transits, progressions, solar arcs or other people). The prevalence of sexual violence in our collective stems from the fact that we don't know what to do with this and other natural parts of ourselves. And here is something critical: Healing sexual trauma (which can be deeply connected to our experiences of living the Lilith myth) relies on accepting the depth to which we as a culture are sick regarding our sexuality, and on understanding that people who perpetrate sexual violence are as much victims as are those who receive it. That is, *they are acting out the collective sickness*. This does not relieve people of responsibility for their actions, but it does help them to see things from a larger perspective: We don't accept being the animals that we are or understand how to be them, so in our confusion and ignorance we end up acting out in destructive ways.

We absolutely must learn to channel our rage into some form of creative expression. This can serve as a loving expression of our true nature, and as a way to transmute victim consciousness. Creativity moves energy in us, illustrates and instructs and inspires. It makes our deepest experiences manifest in the world, allowing others (and thereby, slowly, the collective) to connect consciously with their own deeper layers. Such connection is the only true way to begin healing whatever imbalance we may experience.

The tailoring and editing of the myth as a vehicle to explain the energy, to create a justification for the energy, is rather transparent. The Hebrew version has Adam created from dust, with Lilith created from sediment (considered to be filth). Her perspective is that, each being made from earth, they are equals. His position is that she, being made from inferior material, is inferior, and hence not his equal. But just what is sediment? Dirt and other organic material that has been mixed with and transported by water, air and ice -- that is, other organic features of our planet. Regardless of what sediment connoted to Adam and Judaism, it can be useful to us today: Sediment is *earth plus*, earth that has seen more of the world and is settling back to offer something new to where it lands.

The evidence of an equal being standing in front of you cannot be reasonably denied, and yet this is what this myth serves to do (or rather, refusing to submit to reason, it tries to escape it entirely). We are in essence told that a being made from the same material as Adam/man is not equal to him, and that as a mate, only a being made *from* him is acceptable. Eve is acceptable because there is no possibility that she will expect to be treated as an equal. Because she can never forget that she was made from a part of Adam; Eve knows her place and that she owes it to Adam's existence.

Lilith, as the first woman, is the mother of women. Eve is the plastic stepmother introduced as an example to women of what society will tolerate in the form of a woman. The sticky part is the truth that women are not Eve, they are not created from a portion of men. Men and women are humans, the same species; each is conceived and born in the same way from the same genetic material. And it turns out that you can't convince people of that kind of garbage for very long. It has been just a few thousand years and we are waking up quickly. We can internalize all the red herrings and misdirection, keep ourselves focused on how we *should* be, but people will always have access to their own true nature, and at one time or another they will wake up to it.

It is often easier to see difficult things in others first. When clients with a sensitivity to Lilith issues around them come in to see me, I encourage them to begin by getting to know this energy in themselves. Since we don't have many positive, culturally sanctioned examples of people taking this journey, the first step is to find within one's self the willingness to look into this space. Because the Lilith archetype is about being true to the self, each person has to get there on his or her own.

Reading the information in this report is a first step in reconnecting consciously with the Lilith inside you. Never forget that the ultimate goal is to learn to express your Lilith in positive, healthy ways. I offer this report as a brief annotated map of this part of you, to give you the tools to begin knowing and consciously integrating the Lilith within you into your life as a whole.

3. Your Lilith House

The astrological houses represent different areas of our lives, the *where* of an energy's place in us. What house a planet is located in will determine its home turf, so to speak, where the energy is at home in you. Lilith's house in your chart indicates where in your world she needs to be allowed space.

Lilith in the 7th House

The 7th house is the house of relationships with equals, including friendships, romance, and business, and all other arenas of life offering opportunities to learn fairness, balance, and equality. Opposite the 1st house of self, it is the house of the other. It describes what kind of others we'd like to meet, and how we will tend to meet them.

With Lilith in the 7th, we can look for Lilith in other people so that we don't have to express her (the 7th holds energies we're not necessarily sure how to relate to in ourselves and so we seek others to embody them). Whatever is in the 7th house, we need to learn to run the energy for ourselves. When we keep others around us to do it for us, we make the statement that we're not whole. With Lilith here a person needs to take responsibility for being Lilith, and take care not to keep a door open for others' understandings of and reactions to Lilith to come in.

What happens when we keep an energy out of our own consciousness and invite others in to show it to us, or be it, is that the experience of the energy is unconscious. Its manifestations will tend to be exactly what we *don't* want in our lives. At worst, we wonder why we see an energy in everyone and why it has to bring difficulty. At best, we can use whatever we have in the 7th house to guide self-reflection to see what parts of us we might not be fully owning and using proactively.

With Lilith in the 7th house, then, you have the evolutionary intention of inviting others to show you how you do and don't relate to Lilith in your life. It can be a constant feedback mechanism about your evolving level of consciousness of the instinctive and wild side of yourself. If you've had periods in your life in which you've drawn abusive or judgmental partners, see that as a reflection that you don't own your Lilith (who, when positively expressed, doesn't stay in such relationships).

As the house of learning from and with others about how to develop fair and equal ways of relating, with Lilith here you might have had numerous experiences that make you think fairness and equality are not possible. They are of course possible, and with Lilith in the 7th your challenge is to tap into your instinctive understanding of how to create harmonious relationships, while being clear that you also will have to learn to be selective about your relationship choices, whether friends, lovers or mates, or those with whom you do business.

Learning to bring the part of you who is Lilith to others in all of your one-to-one relationships means first taking a proactive route of reconnection to this part of yourself, and then being willing to show that part to others. Others will already see the primal, wild side of you, even if you do not. Again, this is the house in which fit all experiences showing us about ourselves that might be difficult to see. People may assume that you have a wild streak and approach you with the expectation that you bring it out, that you live it -- that you *are* Lilith. On one level, they're doing you the favor of pointing out something to you that is true about you.

Reconnecting with Lilith in the 7th involves allowing yourself to respond to others in absolutely honest ways, even ways that might challenge their comfort level. It may not be easy, as all Lilith healing challenges us. When you bring such a level of honesty, you'll begin to draw people to you who can not only handle seeing Lilith in someone else, but also want to interact with her.

4. Your Lilith Sign

The sign in which the true Black Moon Lilith is found in your chart tells us of the way your Lilith seeks expression. A sign is a lens through which the energy of a planet or point works. It indicates the method and also the motivation of an energy.

Your Lilith sign shows the zodiac method and motivation in you that is checked, or limited, based on an expectation of punishment when you use it. It can feel like having one of the twelve parts of us marked, so that this part of us stands out and gets unwanted attention. Your Lilith sign is the way of being in you that needs to be reconnected with as you integrate what you Lilith has to say.

Lilith in Cancer

The method of the sign of Cancer is to go inward in order to find out where the self is rooted. Establishing roots to develop security is critical for Cancerian energy, and it relates to the world through an emotional lens. Feeling is therefore a primary tool of Cancer. Its subjectivity is a strength when we don't hang on to the experiences of any moment as definitive of overall reality; when we don't carry the memories and feelings of the past into the present in order to describe or define our reality.

With Lilith in Cancer, the emotions are the field on which the primal, instinctive, and raw side of the self is played out. The person's emotional nature exhibits the energy of Lilith, and any abuse or power struggles related to Lilith that a person has experienced in his or her life can contribute to a limiting of his or her willingness to process experience life through the lens of emotion. In other words ,if a person has been shamed for bringing out this emotive side of him or herself, the emotive capacity will be under wraps. Various means of quieting down the emotions will be attempted, from numbing behaviors (addictions of all kinds, over use of media/entertainment, destructive eating of one kind or another, etc.) to a lot of time alone so that, if the emotions can't actually be quieted, others won't have the opportunity to experience and react negatively to the nature of the individual's emotional expression.

Healing with this placement is to be willing to feel as much as one can, in the sense that the mode of processing emotions offers a direct connection to the natural world. With Lilith operating through this sign, the primal wisdom nature offers and the identification of the self with the natural world on its own terms is what we are challenged to honor by developing. The vulnerability we experience when connecting with and honoring our true emotional natures is, with Lilith in this sign, a means to a healthy empowerment.

Any and all shame we've internalized from witnessing others' fears of our natural emotional expression needs to be moved through our emotions, which means that it needs to be felt, acknowledged and released. The emotional faculty in the person with Lilith in Cancer needs to be kept open, to allow feelings and impressions to flow in and out. Health here rests on an individual's willingness to let go of the past, to embrace a sense of presence that has him or her living in the now, feeling in the present, and responding with his or her whole being, including the emotions.

The evolutionary intention of Lilith in Cancer is to reconnect with the natural world by becoming willing to inhabit our emotional bodies and experience the wildness we carry there. This can lead to an exciting and (in our culture) rare aliveness, a way of being that embraces the incredible feeling potential of a human soul when experienced via a conscious joining with a human body.

5. Lilith in Aspect to Your Natal Planets

Lilith in aspect to a natal planet or point involves that planet or point in a conversation about Lilith's issues: suppression to ensure survival/protection, the need to be authentic and free to express one's self naturally and fully, and an uncompromising orientation to self that is raw, primal, and unchecked.

These inner conversations that manifest in life will vary from person to person. Factors influencing them include the quality and invitation/challenge of aspect itself, the kind of treatment Lilith characters received in the person's family of origin, schooling and relationships, and an individual's beliefs about life and his or her place in it.

No aspect is good or bad. Aspects thought of as traditionally easy, sextiles and trines, can be difficult to experience, as too much prodding (sextile) or support/boosting (trine) can lead us into spasmodic, unconsidered expression or laziness and complacency, respectively. Aspects thought of traditionally as not so easy, squares and oppositions, can bring wonderful opportunities for creative change (square) and self-awareness (opposition), allowing us to lead ourselves into new levels of healthier, happier living. Conjunctions, traditionally thought of as either good or bad depending on the natures of the planets involved, indicate a fusion of two energies, which is neither automatically good nor bad. For all of these relationships between energies, infinite manifestations are possible.

Moon Conjunct Lilith (Orb 1`15')

The Moon in the natal chart represents our emotional nature, what and how we like to feel, our needs and desires, and often one of our parents. It's also what we need to do to make ourselves happy.

With a Lilith-Moon aspect, the feeling nature and orientation to the world of feelings is informed by Lilith. She is present in the emotional expression of the person, and authentic and free emotional expression from the person can be raw, total, and very intense. It can access a rage deep inside the person. Consequently, people with this aspect natally may be hesitant to express their emotions fully, thinking that the intensity and possibility of unbridled rage would be totally unacceptable. They're right, of course, that it's socially unacceptable, but people with this aspect need to find or create a space in which to express freely what's inside.

These people learned early in life that spontaneously and fully expressing their deepest, most intense, and darkest emotions was not appropriate or acceptable. The emotional nature itself and the natural means of emotive expression is what in these people has been feared and judged by external authorities, and it's what they've been punished for in the name of not shaking up the Saturnian status quo.

If Lilith is conjunct the Moon, a person will feel Lilith inside him or her, and likely will be able to feel it in others. The two energies are fused, making one incapable of working without the other. The range of emotive possibility seems increased in people with this natal aspect, as well as the familial/social injunction to keep a lid on those possibilities. People with this aspect need to learn how to find or create outlets for expressing their intense emotionality, whatever it is that's held there. As long as this person does not know what's held there, it will seem like monsters populate a space in him or her, and that the door needs to be kept locked at all times and at all costs. Keeping something out of our consciousness takes a tremendous amount of energy and allows us to give it an ugly face -- it's shadow, after all. Those around this person will sense that he or she is not fully present, perhaps that the person is not honest about his or her feelings. The dream scenario for people with Lilith-Moon aspects is to find a Lilith-like person, or someone who can handle being around Lilith, with whom the door into his or her deep, raw, intense and primal emotional reality can safely be opened, but the reality is that this person must learn to open the door on their own and find out what's inside, and make peace with it.

The Moon in any of us is always on the lookout for a confidant, someone with whom to share our inner world. Someone by whom to be accepted, and someone for whom to do these things. In other words, our Moons are wired to look for opportunities to give and receive nurturing. If natives with this aspect get caught up in looking for someone else to validate their emotional realities, they will bottle themselves up, creating a backlog of unprocessed emotional experiences that can take a long time to work through. At some point, each of them must, however, if they want to take further steps toward emotional health.

One practical strategy to begin to unlock and inventory the warehouse of bottled up Lilith-infused and Lilith-inspired emotions begins with observing our reactions to the idea of expressing our intense emotions intensely, and then creating a private space for ourselves to explore what it is to admit them into consciousness. Taking charge of this as an individual is important because healing Lilith issues involves honoring what's happening for one's self, and it needs to be done by the native. To heal our Lilith-Moon pain, we have to be the ones to open space for expression and nurture ourselves: Lilith's authentic expression involves being on her own. This is not to say that others cannot or should not be involved in our emotional lives, but to say that taking responsibility for our own needs is incredibly healing for those of us with Lilith-Moon aspects.

With Lilith-Moon aspects, healing and healthy living means being willing to feel all that we have the capacity to feel. With these aspects, you've signed up to learn how to integrate the nasty realities of rejection and suppression, and the resulting rage, and the marvelous realities of allowing spontaneous authenticity into your emotional life.

Venus Sextile Lilith (Orb 3`28')

Venus is the planet of values, worth, sensuality, and relatedness. Your Venus indicates how you go about creating fairness and harmony in anything you do, ranging from relationships (harmony between people) to art (harmony between colors, shapes and textures) as well as the kind of relaxation and pleasure you're oriented to seeking and enjoying.

With Lilith in aspect to Venus, your relationships and capacity for pleasure and enjoyment are wrapped up with this primal, irrational and instinctive side. All Venusian expression from you will carry the raw energy of Lilith. If you are hiding Lilith, these relating and creative functions will be hiding to a degree too. If she is out and about in you (if she's got a hall pass), you can expect your relationships and creativity to exhibit her energy, getting you noticed from others for expressing your Lilith.

In the arena of relationships, this will affect all of them with one or another side of what Lilith brings. Love relationships, friendships, those with anyone you consider an equal are possibilities. Others could be mistrusted because of past experiences of being judged and punished as Lilith was, leaving one to avoid initiating or expressing interest in relationships of various kinds. Or others could be approached with a directness and honesty that is truly refreshing.

The sextile of Lilith to Venus leaves them stimulating each other into action, pushing each other's buttons until a reaction is had. Art, pleasure and relationships will bring up in the person Lilith's responses and concerns, and in turn primal and instinctive behavior will push the person's Venusian buttons, stirring creativity and relating issues. The best strategy with this aspect is to become conscious of the needs of each part of the self so that when one is triggered into Lilith or Venus action, it is not haphazard or desperate but actually serves the evolving needs of the person.

In creativity, the raw, primal and instinctive side will come out in the choice of materials and vocabulary of expression. A piece of art viscerally made can affect viewers or listeners viscerally, too, and this is possible if Lilith is integrated and allowed to participate in a person's expression. As many of us are uncomfortable with being provoked viscerally, the creative person with a Lilith-Venus aspect needs to learn not to take unconsidered negative reactions to heart -- they're intended as a protective measure from others. With this aspect, this person has signed up to learn how to creatively express Lilith's energy, bringing her to others in imagery, shape, sound, color or texture.

Venus' role as the planet of values is informed by Lilith in what is important to the person. Those of us with this aspect who do not figure out how to reconnect with Lilith run the risk of never making a statement about what's important: If Lilith is to be found with that part of us and we fear Lilith, we'll suppress the part of us that makes a stand about what's important. There will probably be numerous opportunities to take such a stand, as life gives all of us opportunities to stretch into new territory, and at some point if the Lilith-Venus person takes the opportunity, Lilith will have the chance to wake up.

She also will have something to say about the kinds of people the individual prefers to interact with. With this aspect, Lilith has opinions about who the individual chooses to spend time with -- friends, lovers, mates. If Lilith is suppressed in a person with this aspect, the relationships chosen may prove the kind that are not designed to provide space for the individual to be truly who he or she is, or might even depend on the individual not finding this out. This is to say that if we do not recognize and honor Lilith in us, we will draw others to us who also will not. If this is our pattern, we can find ourselves in the midst of power plays, abusive relationships, and those with people who can't really see us. The way out of such patterns is in reconnecting to our self, and learning self-love in all matters affected by Lilith. We need to unlearn our conditioning about who Lilith is and what is her worth, and release the harsh judgments of others when we brought her out in the past.

In relationship, a Lilith-Venus aspect can also manifest as a partner who brings a primal, raw, irrational edge. Depending on how the native and the partner perceive and choose to react to Lilith, this can bring sparks that drive a relationship deeper and deeper into meaningful bonding, or the other partner being terrified and fleeing, or what looks like war if the energy is thought in need or corralling. Any power struggle in our lives reflect power struggles inside us, and so the remedy for these situations is to alter the relationship one has with his or her self.

If Lilith is accepted by each partner in a relationship and she is free to come out, new levels of earthy, primal and instinctual approaches to all parts of a relationship are possible. We look to Mars to understand the heat of a relationship, but Lilith in conversation with Venus will add some instinctual and irrational flavors to the sensual side of the relationship, which can seem to push us into Martian territory. I write "seem" because it's different. The Venusian side of desire is magnetic, drawing us to be close to others. Lilith with Venus can intensify others' draw to us, and shift the kinds of people we're drawn to. If a Lilith-Venus person is drawn to something raw in another who does not express that rawness, there can be a misconnection or a waking up of the other person's wild side. Healing with Lilith-Venus aspects involves trusting the wild in the self and the accepting the fact that if others are not ready to express theirs, it's to do with their journey and has nothing to do with the native. Again, healing is in allowing ourselves to bring Lilith out as she naturally is, while we accept that others may be afraid to see her in their midst.

Saturn Opposite Lilith (Orb 5`31')

Saturn is the planet of structure, maturity, authority, discipline, delayed gratification, and work. Where it is our natal chart shows us where we have work to do in this life, to figure out how to develop healthy expressions of the above ideas. As the planet associated with how society is put together, Saturn also relates to conditioning, how we have been formed into productive members of any groups to which we've belonged at times in our lives: family, school, religious organizations, nation, work, etc.

Lilith in aspect to Saturn creates a conversation between the raw, primal, irrational and instinctive side of us and this heavy planet, the planet of structure, restriction and limitation. Much will depend on the aspect and the signs and houses involved, but the general tenor of the conversation between them is about what kind of Lilith-inspired expression is acceptable, and what part of it (if any) will be permitted. In many people this will look like a conversation between the urge for expressive freedom and the need to have socially appropriate controls.

As the archetype of social order, Saturn is the archetype most opposed to Lilith. People behaving precisely how they're viscerally guided in any moment is the single biggest threat to the law and order Saturn aims to build and maintain. Consequently, people with an aspect between these two energies will seem to struggle more than most to find out who Lilith is and how to honor her as part of the self. The level of struggling will be tied up in the degree to which the individual has taken on the judgments of others about him- or herself for carrying Lilith energy.

The opposition between Lilith and Saturn brings a confrontation, an argument about freedom versus control. If Lilith is not stomped and kicked out of the way, she can teach Saturn much about what it means to experience nature and natural ways of being, modes that Saturn resists and fears because they cannot be controlled. Saturn can teach Lilith mature ways of creating appropriate times and places to express the wild, instinctive side.

Whatever the aspect, the conversation between these two energies can seem a personal, microcosmic summit on one of our culture's most important questions: What is the place of the primal in us? I'm not down on Saturnian energy or what it aims to do or does do, but we as individuals, and then as a collective, need to learn that Saturnian energy isn't all there is. The answer to Saturn traditionally is Uranus, the planet of freedom and the breaking of bonds. Yet at this stage in our collective evolution, Uranus isn't the only answer. Uranus as the liberator is the anti-Saturn, and I view Lilith as an equally important energy to cultivate, reflecting that if we are not connected to ourselves-as-nature, we will not connect meaningfully and personally with the need to take better care of ourselves and the planet. An important note is that Uranus is a mental planet, and Lilith connects us to the physical world.

As the archetype of the authority figure, Saturn also relates to one part of our parenting. A Lilith-Saturn aspect could indicate a specific parent or parental figure in an individual's life, and relationships with authority figures in general. The person could have a history of being judged and punished by Saturnian types, at home, school, work and elsewhere. There are two extreme results to such treatment: learning

Neptune Trine Lilith (Orb 0`21')

Neptune in the birth chart represents our individual means of connecting with realties outside the confines of our usual understanding of space-time. This includes spiritual dimensions, the realms of dreams and fantasy, mysticism, inspired creativity, and escapist behavior of all kinds, whether good for us or not.

Lilith in aspect to Neptune involves the two energies in a conversation about the positive and negative possibilities of connecting to levels of reality not endorsed by the normative mainstream, the Saturnian environment in which we all find ourselves. It's the method of directly connecting to greater realities that's been judged in the person by others, and for which he or she has been punished.

If Lilith in a person is not out in the open, but hiding to avoid punishment for expressing this part of the self, the person will manifest a disconnect with the whole being by denying the possibility of or blocking access to these other realms. Neptune in us can manifest as a longing to connect to something on another plane, something we might call "higher," larger than or beyond ourselves. Our conception of the divine, and how we connect with what we think it is, is something we will hinder for fear of repercussion.

If healing surrounding Lilith wounding and fears is done, the native with this aspect can give an inspiring example of what it means to connect with the natural world and its cycles as an expression of the divine. Conscious work with Lilith reconnects us to the natural world, reminding us of the primal rhythms of our bodies as they relate to those of the natural world around us. Connecting to Lilith when there's a Lilith-Neptune aspect presents the possibility of tuning in to the natural world as a site of the greater reality, allowing us to situate ourselves beyond the norm. Doing this changes our context, allowing for a Neptunian refiguring of what it means to be human and a being on earth.

The trine has the two energies in some sort of support, whether expressed or not. If Lilith is suppressed in a person, the trine can manifest as a dialogue about how there's no need to work to express either energy out in the open. If however Lilith is expressed outwardly, Lilith and Neptune can teach each other and boost each other's expression, in that they speak the same language and are on the same team.

Whatever the aspect, healing with a Lilith-Neptune aspect will involve creating time and space in which the natural sense of connectedness with all of creation can be experienced without the input and feedback of others, until a solid footing in one's natural sense of doing this is established. A personal relationship with the internal wild divine must be developed, so that the natural sense of connectedness to other realities can be informed by Lilith's primal, instinctive direction.

If you have this aspect, you have the evolutionary intention of reconnecting with the wild by accessing realms of consciousness outside the normative, consensus reality in which we're conditioned as we grow up to be productive members of groups and societies. Your challenge in healing your history of suppression and punishment for exploring ways of being and bringing Lilith into the world, and your opportunity is in reconnecting to an utterly natural version of the divine that recognizes and incorporates more than what can be seen with the naked eye or felt with just the heart.

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Pluto Sextile Lilith (Orb 1`28')

In the evolutionary astrology paradigm, Pluto represents the deepest wounding to the soul, as well as the deepest desires and intentions of the soul. Related to these ideas are all issues of power and fear, and the realm of Pluto in a person is deep -- as deep as any of us go. The desire here is of the unconscious kind, driving us without our conscious awareness. The wounding of Pluto also drives us, often causing us to shape our choices and behavior in order to avoid repeating the pain also wrapped up in our experience of this energy.

With Lilith in aspect to Pluto, the two are engaged in a conversation about the risks and rewards of going for what we truly want at the deepest level, given the resistance and backlash we've risked in the past when we do what's right for us. Each energy can hold its hand close to its chest, not revealing anything that could be used against it, being deeply in touch with the pain possible when the wrong people are given access to our most intimate selves. In aspect to each other, they seem to be comparing notes of the consequences of action and what's worth going for.

The sextile indicates that they trigger each other, Lilith urging Pluto to mobilize and Pluto urging Lilith to erupt into authenticity with a powerful nudge. The trick is in ensuring that they trigger each other into healthy action that serves the evolution of the person with this aspect. All anger about repression and shaming the natural wild self (related to Lilith) and all pain related to feeling not strong enough to live as one wishes (related to Pluto) need to be addressed, processed, and healed in order to ensure that Lilith and Pluto are not pushing each other to unconscious, fear- or anger-based action that is ultimately damaging to self and other.

Pluto is a driving force in our lives, representing our deepest desires and intentions and our deepest fears. Lilith in aspect to Pluto brings a need for primal, irrational creativity to those desires and fears. If Lilith is hidden for fear of retribution for the content or style of expression, the desires of the person might also be hidden, being wrapped up with Lilith. Most of us spend a long time delaying dealing with our Pluto fears and wounding in order to get to the point where we can begin work to manifest our desires, and with Lilith added to the equation we can wait even longer. It may also add an urgency to the perceived need to protect one's self from further instances of wounding, or an urgency in going for what one most deeply desires. If Lilith in the person is not hiding but is openly expressed, Pluto can lend a feeling of total investment to Lilith's primal wisdom, aims, and concerns. Pluto doesn't do anything halfway, and a conversation between these two energies can intensify the feeling and urge to action of each.

The Plutonian soul desires and intentions of a person, outlined by house, sign and aspect, are important for any of us to learn to manifest. The energy of transformation represented by Pluto offers us a critical key to a major reason we come here at all to incarnate: To learn how to change. The foundation of evolutionary astrology is that people change, over the course of a single life and over the courses of many lives. While all the planetary energies we speak of in astrology are unique to the experience of being born on the earth, Pluto seems a key to advancing along the soul's journey on this plane and in this place.

With a Lilith-Pluto aspect, then, a person has the evolutionary intention to connect with Lilith on the deepest levels, and to manifest as his or her most important work in the world, his or her gift of soul to the world, a reclamation of the wild nature that each of us possesses. A Lilith-Pluto aspect speaks to reconnecting the soul to the natural wisdom and primal methods of the natural world. For those with this aspect, the challenge lies in healing the Plutonian wounding in order to make this reconnection, and to allow that healing to be informed by an orientation to the processes of nature foreign to the kinds of collective realities we've created over the last few thousand years.

If the Lilith-Pluto person engages in this reconnection, he or she can be a powerful force in his or her community or the world, offering an example of soul empowerment by connecting to the deepest levels of self, and bringing into the world in a passion for redefining our idea of change with reconnection to the natural cycles of life and the primal wisdom of the natural world.

Midheaven Square Lilith (Orb 4`32')

Lilith in aspect to the Midheaven/IC axis involves Lilith in conversation with a person's private and public lives. The IC begins the 4th house, the house of home, family, emotional foundations and private self. The MC begins the 10th house, the house of work in the world, our place in that world, and our ambition, status, and reputation. The IC represents who we are internally, and the MC who we are externally.

What is personal and what is not is the general dialogue between these angles. Adding Lilith to that dialogue can add a stigma to both, making healthy expression of either 4th or 10th house matters hampered.

The square from Lilith to the MC-IC axis will drive the public-private debate in a person, requiring him or her to develop ways to respond creatively to the change called for by this friction. Inner and outer situations that present each other with tension will be constantly created so the person can come to see how he or she relates to Lilith. This can continue until consciousness of Lilith is increased and she's accepted as a natural part of the self that's not going anywhere.

The potentials will depend on how the person responds to Lilith's energy. If Lilith is hidden, there will be hesitancy about manifesting anything meaningful or of true use involving anything to with this axis. If Lilith is lived actively, the person will experience judgment about being Lilith either in his or her heart, or on a public stage. External judgment will come only to the extent that the person has internalized the fear and harsh criticisms of others.

We all accept this to some degree and up to a point. The healing for someone with this aspect is to learn to integrate Lilith as she exists in the self, as she exists in others in the public sphere, and to truly accept that it's a given that others fear the wild and instinctual side of anyone. Acceptance of Lilith's existence, and a willingness to understand that we all carry her and can develop our sight to learn to see her in others, is called for. This person needs to accept that we all are symbols of something to others, and we usually cannot control what that is. Very often it can have to do our shadow, in that people readily see in us what we refuse to see in ourselves. In this case, for someone with this aspect, a more conscious relationship with one's Lilith energy, and understanding the message she has for us by house, sign and aspect, will reduce the external attention, or at minimum reduce the harsh judgment that comes with it. Being honest about and taking pride in who you are will leave those who wish to belittle you for being it without fuel.

In either case, with Lilith in aspect to this axis, you may feel an historical weight of Lilith issues coming to rest on your shoulders. Your job is to develop a personal relationship with the energy inside you, and allow that your external life will change as a natural result. As you do this, you must overlook the tendency, or temptation, to allow the public-private debate from your history to derail you into unhealthy patterns of rebellion and punishment. Lilith's story as we each live it does not have to end with all our Lilim (the name for her children) perishing.

Lilith aspecting this axis can tell us about the kind of work we're drawn or guided to do. Much will depend on the particular aspect and how Lilith is experienced, but the highest potential with Lilith affecting our work choice is that we come to accept our own Lilith and learn how to bring her out in our public and private lives in authentic and meaningful ways. Given Lilith's raw, primal energy, we might become for others a symbol of a dangerous sexuality (the kind others fear) that may or may not reflect our true nature. But with Lilith in aspect to this axis, it can be easy for others to categorize us and even make assumptions about us that stem from their fear of the instinctive wild. If we take this personally, we risk engaging with others at a divisive level of dialogue that can get us nowhere but cemented in others' perceptions as the monster they think we are. If we can accept that others make monsters of what they don't understand and fear about themselves, we're in a far better place. The way to alter the negative external manifestations is to heal whatever judgments of others we've taken on and learn to accept our sexuality and its natural expression. Nothing with Lilith is neat and tidy, and we have to learn to create appropriate circumstances to enable our expression.

6. Upcoming Transits and Progressions to Lilith

All transiting planets ask questions. These questions reflect the nature of the energy transiting, in that a transiting planet wants us to open to its energy. The series of transits we experience in our lives is part of the evolutionary unfolding of our unique life map.

Transits to Lilith represent opportunities to experience new dimensions of Lilith in our outer experiences. We are being asked by the universe (which is really ourselves) if we can allow those outer experiences to challenge us and encourage us to grow, to offer fuel for proceeding along our individual evolutionary journey. Generally speaking, transits to Lilith ask the Lilith in us if we are prepared to grow into new levels of personal authenticity, even if we have to let a raw (natural, but also having received friction over time) part of us out into the open.

No transit is automatically bad or good. Each offers the opportunity for us to change. Our experience of any transit will depend entirely on how willing we are to allow our experiences to change us. When Lilith is transited by one of the following planets we may find very unpleasant aspects of ourselves up for review. This is necessary. We must allow that we harbor rage for rejection, suppression and being punished for expressing ourselves naturally. It is a fact of life. One of the main reasons this report exists is to show how the energy of Lilith can be recognized and worked with in daily life, providing us a greater level of conscious understanding so the energy can stop being one of perennial suppression and rage. Transits to Lilith give all of us the chance to evolve our relationship with the Lilith inside us.

Progressions indicate long-term, internal psychological change. They manifest in our lives from the inside out, as opposed to transits, which manifest as outer experiences that we are then challenged to learn to change internally in response to. Progressions involving Lilith tell us about parts of us that need to integrate what Lilith has to offer. When a progressed contact occurs it is time for an inner meeting of sorts, at which Lilith shares what she knows so that the other planet or point can gain new perspective.

Here are your transits and progressions for the next five years.

Nov 11 2017 9:19:47 AM EST Transiting Jupiter Trine Lilith - Exact. * 06• 57` Scorpio to 06• 57` Cancer

Jupiter by transit brings opportunities for expansion to whatever part of us it touches. Jupiter asks if we are willing to risk something in order to live a more interesting life. This is the knock on the door by someone asking you to drop what you're doing and take a chance to have fun in a new way, or bring via new and stretching experience more meaning into your life.

Jupiter's transits to Lilith will involve opportunities to bring more of her energy out into day-to-day life, or provide life-altering opportunities that show us how to integrate the often unseen dimensions of Lilith more directly into our outer lives. During a transit of Jupiter to Lilith we may find ourselves more willing to bring Lilith out from the dark depths into the light of day. For those of us unwilling to admit or unaware of a personal & internal connection to the cycles of nature, Jupiter touching Lilith can bring

Whatever we draw to ourselves with this transit, the opportunity is in expanding our consciousness of and relationship with our own Lilith energy. Given the fearful reaction to Lilith in society, which is inherently Saturnian and spends its efforts normalizing as many people as possible so they can be helped by the social structures it's created, hits of transiting Jupiter to Lilith really do represent a risk. Part of you might ask, "What, you really want me to be more wild?? Have you seen where I live? And who I live with?" The thing is that Jupiter doesn't care about those limitations: He wants you to rediscover through new experience and revivify yourself. And given that Lilith in many of us is hiding for fear of repercussion, Jupiter's transits to her can bring healing to the idea that she should hide.

Trines represent support to your external expression of Lilith. Look for helping hands from Jupiterian sources that can help you see how to bring Lilith out in new ways, or unravel your assumptions about what Lilith is all about and risk some new way of being. The trick in this transit is approaching it consciously and with patience, while understanding how the energy is configured in you so you can best align its expression with your innate wiring. With a willingness to have more consciousness and choose patience, transits of Jupiter to Lilith can open the door to understanding and experiencing of Lilith themes that take us closer to wholeness, to being who we truly are.

Feb 24 2018 4:27:43 AM EST Transiting Saturn Opposing Lilith - Exact. ** 06• 57` Capricorn to 06• 57` Cancer

Saturn, as the planet of limitation, restriction and structure, asks by transit how hard we're working (and once we answer, if it's enough). The planet of work, discipline and maturity travels around the zodiac asking each body in the chart this question and others to inspire us to get off our bums and just *do* something already. When Saturn comes to aspect Lilith, the questions are about how mature and responsible we are about our Lilith energy: Have we created structures and systems in our lives that enable the expression of Lilith energy? If not, what are we waiting for? If we have, do we maintain them, and is there anything else in addition we need to do? In general, Saturn's asking if there's anything needing to be done related to Lilith's place in our lives, to ensure a proactive and healthy relationship with the self.

Saturn in this regard operates as the parental figure concerned with making sure the right things are in place. With these transits, we may draw to ourselves people and circumstances that challenge us to understand in what ways we're responsible for the part of ourselves that is Lilith. Regarding the Saturnian archetype, the source of any lack of ownership of our own energy is due to conditioning, having taken on others' conceptions, beliefs and judgments surrounding Lilith energy and expression. And as Saturn is the archetype of society, Lilith is generally not perceived to be welcome in his house.

A major challenge for anyone experiencing a Saturn-to-Lilith transit is in becoming willing to recognize the realities of his or her own Lilith configuration/energy, and that the inclusion of this archetype into consciousness and day-to-day life is necessary for overall health. Also, he or she must be willing to take on the authority of self enough to build a container for Lilith to exist freely, in some way, relative to the native's natal Lilith configuration. Whether or not this choice is made, experiences to make clear what adjustments are necessary for this to happen will be manifest during these Saturn's transits to Lilith.

The opposition from Saturn to Lilith will confront your Lilith. If the archetype is hidden, you will perceive a need either to draw out Lilith as a means of defense or retreat further into the shadows. If not hidden, outward and active Lilith expression in your life will seem necessary in order to make a statement, or to stand your ground in defense of what seems an offensive move from the Saturnian influences.

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12:31:46 AM EDT Transiting Saturn Opposing Lilith - Exact. ** 06• 57` Capricorn to 06• 57` Cancer

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A major challenge for anyone experiencing a Saturn-to-Lilith transit is in becoming willing to recognize the realities of his or her own Lilith configuration/energy, and that the inclusion of this archetype into consciousness and day-to-day life is necessary for overall health. Also, he or she must be willing to take on the authority of self enough to build a container for Lilith to exist freely, in some way, relative to the native's natal Lilith configuration. Whether or not this choice is made, experiences to make clear what adjustments are necessary for this to happen will be manifest during these Saturn's transits to Lilith.

The opposition from Saturn to Lilith will confront your Lilith. If the archetype is hidden, you will perceive a need either to draw out Lilith as a means of defense or retreat further into the shadows. If not hidden, outward and active Lilith expression in your life will seem necessary in order to make a statement, or to stand your ground in defense of what seems an offensive move from the Saturnian influences.

Jan 2 2020 1:40:16 AM EST Transiting Jupiter Opposing Lilith - Exact. * 06• 57` Capricorn to 06• 57` Cancer

Jupiter by transit brings opportunities for expansion to whatever part of us it touches. Jupiter asks if we are willing to risk something in order to live a more interesting life. This is the knock on the door by someone asking you to drop what you're doing and take a chance to have fun in a new way, or bring via new and stretching experience more meaning into your life.

Jupiter's transits to Lilith will involve opportunities to bring more of her energy out into day-to-day life, or provide life-altering opportunities that show us how to integrate the often unseen dimensions of Lilith more directly into our outer lives. During a transit of Jupiter to Lilith we may find ourselves more willing to bring Lilith out from the dark depths into the light of day. For those of us unwilling to admit or unaware of a personal & internal connection to the cycles of nature, Jupiter touching Lilith can bring a feeling of expansion that can seem overwhelming to the part of us that is trying to stay hidden.

Whatever we draw to ourselves with this transit, the opportunity is in expanding our consciousness of and relationship with our own Lilith energy. Given the fearful reaction to Lilith in society, which is inherently Saturnian and spends its efforts normalizing as many people as possible so they can be helped by the social structures it's created, hits of transiting Jupiter to Lilith really do represent a risk. Part of you might ask, "What, you really want me to be more wild?? Have you seen where I live? And who I live with?" The thing is that Jupiter doesn't care about those limitations: He wants you to rediscover through new experience and revivify yourself. And given that Lilith in many of us is hiding for fear of repercussion, Jupiter's transits to her can bring healing to the idea that she should hide.

A Jupiter opposition to Lilith will be a confrontation of the planet of expansion and risk to your Lilith. You'll feel that you have to learn more and experience more related to Lilith to maintain your footing, which of course can increase your consciousness and acceptance of how Lilith makes herself known in you. This transit brings to you situations and people who challenge who you think Lilith is, thereby giving you the opportunity to see your assumptions and respond in the moment, opening you to learning new ways of bringing her primal instinctive energy out.

The trick in this transit is approaching it consciously and with patience, while understanding how the energy is configured in you so you can best align its expression with your innate wiring. With a willingness to have more consciousness and choose patience, transits of Jupiter to Lilith can open the door to understanding and experiencing of Lilith themes that take us closer to wholeness, to being who we truly are.

May 2 2020 4:40:56 PM EDT Transiting Uranus Sextile Lilith - Exact. * 06° 57` Taurus to 06° 57` Cancer

Uranus is the planet of breaking free from restrictive structures, often with suddenness. If it's not sudden, abrupt or unexpected, it's not really Uranus at work. As Uranus transits the zodiac, it's asking in turn of each of our natal placements, "Are you free enough to live your life as an individual? Where in your life could you be more free? What's original about you that right now doesn't have room to come out and flourish, and assist in making your community/the world a better place? Where are you tying down your personal, individual genius?"

Transiting Lilith, Uranus asks if we're true enough to our inner sense of ourselves, our approach to our sense of wholeness (health), and what areas of our lives have become too routine or crystallized regarding our deepest well of creative fire and passion for life.

It can be explosive, depending on how bottled up our Lilith is and how much we resist the freedom Uranus brings. As most of us keep Lilith below the surface so she doesn't "earn" us trouble or negative reactions from others, Uranus' transits to Lilith can truly shake things up. Uranus is the energy of electricity, of shocking change, and Lilith in each of us is to some degree just waiting around for a reason to start expressing her anger and rage at being rejected for being who she really is. Each of these two energies has the desire to be authentic, and yet the archetypes each contain a phase of being willing to subvert the true nature of the self in order to fit in -- in Uranus' case, not to be the only one being a certain way, in Lilith's, a fear of being shunned and punished as punishment for speaking her truth.

Each energy also has the capacity behave in ways judged by Saturnian types and institutions as rash. Said another way, each energy takes issue/has a beef with the way things typically work in this kind of culture. Taking advantage of a transit of Uranus to Lilith involves consciously recognizing the ways in which one is different and being willing to explore ways of being that energy in a more authentic, usually more or publicly visible, way. How we fit into our particular social nexus needs to be revamped when this transit comes along. The message seems to be that it's time to break out of any strictures we use to keep ourselves from manifesting our unique (and wonderful!) individuality in the world.

A sextile from Uranus to Lilith will function much like a poke in the ribs or persistent tickling, urging us to just break out of our fears of being seen as the version of Lilith each of us is. Navigating this transit successfully will center on being willing to change in ways outlined or dictated by Lilith's need to be in charge of her body and space, unapologetically true to herself, and to express her creativity and loving nature unfettered and with no strings attached. Outward action is necessary and the wise approach is to participate in the changes consciously, and not wait for something to explode in our lives.

May 16 2020 7:05:25 AM EDT Progressed Moon Sextile Lilith - Exact. ** 06° 57` Virgo to 06° 57` Cancer

The progressed Moon speaks to our evolving desires and needs. The natal Moon has much to do with what we need to do to make ourselves happy, and the progressed Moon shows us how our priorities of desire and self-care evolve over time. It changes house and sign roughly every two and a half years, making a circuit of the natal chart every 27-28 years.

When the progressed Moon contacts natal Lilith, it's time for you to bring into conscious feeling something of what's contained in your Lilith. This involves a connection to your wild self, deeper ways to approach wholeness that involve reconnecting with the natural world and your sense of being a part of it. To get to and strengthen that connection, you need to heal whatever cache of emotional memories might be stuffed down into a subterranean closet. Progressed Moon contacts to Lilith, then, indicate that it's time to reconnect with the irrational and instinctive part of you, but also that it's time to allow some healing of your memories of suppression and punishment related to Lilith.

As an indicator of what kinds of behaviors and strategies you can serve yourself well by exploring and adding to your repertory, the progressed Moon in aspect to Lilith tells us that exploring a new layer of your primal, instinctive sides offer your present moment's avenues for growth. The house and sign of the progressed Moon and the nature of the aspect to Lilith in question will provide valuable clues to what kind of Lilith-like exploration is called for.

The sextile says that you need to allow your evolving understanding of your needs to take cues and inspiration from Lilith's rawness and primal, irrational orientation. You need to allow yourself to be triggered by what she knows and understands, seen in terms of house, sign, and aspect. Your evolving understanding of your needs and desires can now stimulate healing to your Lilith and give her cues about how to express more of herself (yourself) more openly.

The contact of the progressed Moon to natal Lilith is a healing opportunity. New levels of awareness of the present can show you how to let go of the anger and pain from past suppression, and catch up to the needs and realities of the present moment.

Dec 21 2020 5:36:46 AM EST Transiting Uranus Sextile Lilith - Exact. *** 06° 57` Taurus to 06° 57` Cancer

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Feb 6 2021 7:58:01 PM EST Transiting Uranus Sextile Lilith - Exact. *** 06• 57` Taurus to 06• 57` Cancer

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भ Jupiter	Square	⊈ Lilith	May 5 2017	5:24 PM	Transiting.	Begins. *
4 Jupiter	Square	⊈ Lilith	Jul 14 2017	8:29 AM	Transiting.	Ends. *
4 Jupiter	Trine	⊈ Lilith	Oct 5 2017	1:15 PM	Transiting.	Begins. *
4 Jupiter	Trine	\$ Lilith	Nov 11 2017	9:19 AM	Transiting.	Exact. *
ち Saturn	Opposite	⊈ Lilith	Dec 11 2017	4:48 AM	Transiting.	Begins. **
4 Jupiter	Trine	\$ Lilith	Dec 20 2017	3:59 PM	Transiting.	Ends. *
ち Saturn	Opposite	\$ Lilith	Feb 24 2018	4:27 AM	Transiting.	Exact. **
¥ Neptune	Trine	⊈ Lilith	Apr 1 2018	9:28 AM	Transiting.	Ends. ***
∦ Uranus	Sextile	⊈ Lilith	Apr 26 2018	7:23 PM	Transiting.	Begins. *
4 Jupiter	Trine	⊈ Lilith	Jun 7 2018	4:14 AM	Transiting.	Begins. *
ち Saturn	Opposite	\$ Lilith	Jun 12 2018	12:31 AM	Transiting.	Exact. **
4 Jupiter	Trine	⊈ Lilith	Aug 12 2018	9:45 PM	Transiting.	Ends. *
¥ Neptune	Trine	\$ Lilith	Sep 11 2018	5:42 PM	Transiting.	Begins. ***
ち Saturn	Opposite	\$ Lilith	Nov 22 2018	4:04 PM	Transiting.	Exact. **
∦ Uranus	Sextile	\$ Lilith	Dec 8 2018	2:54 AM	Transiting.	Ends. **
ち Saturn	Opposite	\$ Lilith	Jan 31 2019	8:37 PM	Transiting.	Ends. **
¥ Neptune	Trine		Feb 1 2019	10:54 PM	Transiting.	Ends. ***
∦ Uranus	Sextile		Feb 4 2019	6:02 PM	Transiting.	Begins. **
[♀] Mercury	Trine		May 8 2019	10:21 AM	Prog/Natal	Ends. *****
Moon	Sextile		Jul 25 2019	10:17 AM	Prog/Natal	Begins. **
ち Saturn	Opposite		Aug 12 2019	3:55 AM	Transiting.	Begins. ***
ち Saturn	Opposite	⊈ Lilith	Oct 24 2019	7:58 AM	Transiting.	Ends. ***
५ Jupiter	Opposite	⊈ Lilith	Nov 27 2019	9:04 PM	Transiting.	Begins. *
Կ Jupiter	Opposite	\$ Lilith	Jan 2 2020	1:40 AM	Transiting.	Exact. *
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∦ Uranus	Sextile	Lilith	Dec 21 2020	5:36 AM	Transiting.	Exact. ***
∦ Uranus	Sextile	\$ Lilith	Feb 6 2021	7:58 PM	Transiting.	Exact. ***
Moon	Sextile		Mar 2 2021	2:00 PM	Prog/Natal	Ends. **
५ Jupiter	Trine		May 5 2021	6:50 AM	Transiting.	Begins. *
५ Jupiter	Trine	⊈ Lilith	Aug 6 2021	7:33 AM	Transiting.	Ends. *
Moon	Square	⊈ Lilith	Dec 12 2021	1:21 AM	Prog/Natal	Begins. **
4 Jupiter	Trine	¶ Lilith	Dec 23 2021	9:38 AM	Transiting.	Begins. *

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