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A JOURNEY of
SHADOWS AND SUNSHINE
for Sean

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DEAREST LIGHT SEER,

When I started creating *The Light Seer's Tarot*, I was determined to create a healing deck—one that was aligned with contemporary spiritual experiences and 21st-century life, and that included relatable, free-spirited characters who took responsibility for their own sunshine and light. I imagined a deck of intuitive guides who would dig into truth and unveil our shadow aspects as they shared their wisdom with us.

My goal was to create a happy deck that would lift me up, without sacrificing tarot's incredible ability to illuminate any deeper meanings that hid beneath the surface. It had to be insistent enough to prod me to take responsibility for my thoughts and actions, while also inspiring me to do the deeper healing work when I was ready. The result of my study is the deck you hold in your hands, and I invite you to explore this world of traditional and nontraditional archetypes with me. It is my wish that you make the characters your own, and breathe new meaning into their worlds as you work

your magic into the cards. Tarot can be a profoundly healing tool, and as you explore the sunshine-and-shadow laden path of the Light Seer, I hope you hear it whisper that shadow is a profound tool, and that light is an awesome end-game. If you want to go deeper with your cards, I have created the LightSeersTarot.com website, where you will be able to find more materials to support your tarot journey.

To connect with others who use the deck, use the hashtag #LightSeersTarot to find one another online.

#LIGHTSEERSTAROT

If I had one piece of advice for a new reader, it would be to trust in your ability to do this. You totally can. Wait, I have one more piece of advice:

Have fun.

Giant love and epic magic to you, xo

Chisara

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Tarot Basics for the New Card-Slinger

If this is your first experience with the tarot, welcome! What an absolute honor it is to share this beautiful practice with you.

Know that there is no right or wrong way to read with the cards. Some people use cards to better understand who they are and what they want, some look to the cards for guidance and to highlight shadow aspects of self, and some use the cards in a predictive manner. How you use the cards is totally up to you.

There is no need to memorize every card meaning before you begin to work with the cards. I created the artwork on each card to deliver a clear message to you and each character is a sacred guide to your own intuition. Your first impression of the card is the best meaning! This guidebook is meant as a reference and a resource, and it should bolster your own unique conversation with the cards. I highly suggest a technique called *pathworking* to learn more. (Pathworking is having an imagined conversation with the card's character during your own creative visualization/meditation time.) You'd be amazed at the information you receive from your own inner guidance system!

The Major Arcana

Most tarot decks are based on the same basic structure: 22 Major Arcana cards and 56 Minor Arcana cards. The 22 Majors are the *big guns* of the tarot. They often convey the “major” energies, or the overarching archetypal energies that surround major life events, transitions, or lessons. The journey of the Major Arcana begins with the Fool card, who falls off the cliff to begin a cycle, and ends with the World card when the cycle is complete. If you pull a lot of Majors in one reading, there may be significant change going on!

The Minor Arcana

The Minors are often seen as energies surrounding day-to-day experiences and decisions. Traditionally, the Minor Arcana is broken into four suits that align with the four elements. Fire is expressed via the suit of **Wands**, and it deals with inspiration, creativity, and passions. Water is felt through the suit of **Cups**, which mainly deals with emotions, relationships, and how we feel. Air is communicated through the suit of **Swords**, and the Swords help express the mind, our ideas, and how we communicate and think. And earth

is manifested through the suit of **Pentacles**, which form messages of physical security, wealth, and health. The Aces of each suit usher in the elemental energy of their suit, and as the numbers on the cards increase, the energy and the lessons heighten.

Each suit has a set of "Court" cards: Page, Knight, Queen, and King. These Court cards can often be the trickiest cards to master in the tarot. They are messengers that can be seen as people, energies, or situations. If a reading is heavy on **Court cards**, it can mean that there are a lot of people or opinions affecting the situation. Each card has a personality, and my favorite way to read Court cards is imagining the character speaking up in the middle of the reading.

Tarot can seem overwhelming when we first get started. Daily practice makes *perfectly imperfect*. There are no set rules, decided-upon meanings, or governing bodies when it comes to tarot. It is really a relationship between you, your intuition, and the cards, so as with any great relationship you'll build trust over time.

A Note on Upright Cards and Reversals

Some readers use upright cards only, and many a case has been made that there is no need to read with reversals, as the full energy of the human condition is contained within the 78 cards. *I believe this to be true.* Others prefer to read with reversals, giving us 156 messages to work with. A reversal is when you pick a card and the image is upside down. I have chosen to include the meanings for upright, **Light Seer**, and reversal messages, **Shadow Seer**, as keywords in the guidebook, but of course I leave it up to you how you interpret the cards.



There are three main ways that people tend to read reversed cards:

- Reversals can convey the more *negative or shadowy traits* of a card's energy. With a card like the Magician, his power to manifest when the card is facing upward may turn into his power to manipulate when the card is flipped upside down.
- Sometimes, reversals are seen as the *opposite of the upright, original meaning*.
- Most of the time, I choose to read reversals as *blocked or stagnant energy* around the card, because blockages can highlight important opportunities for healing. There will be a few times in the deck when the reversed **Shadow Seer** message seems slightly more "positive" than its **Light Seer** counterpart, and this is because there are cards that are slightly easier to navigate when their energy is blocked.

A lot of reversals showing up in the same spread can indicate an overall stagnation or negative mind-set, or even that the querent is temporarily blocked from their goal. For individual cards in a spread, the surrounding cards always help me to decide which messages are meant to be highlighted. The surrounding cards are usually a fabulous indicator of how the card's energy is meant

to be interpreted. If you aren't sure about reversals, I would suggest beginning with upright cards. Read all the card's keywords as a starting point, and I suspect you will know very quickly which ones need to be focused on. Trust your gut. *You've got this.*

Connect with Your Cards

*Start by choosing your
light and shadow cards.*

Before you get started, take a moment to connect with your cards. By simply flipping through the deck with the intention to see each card and feel its unique energy, you will be getting yourself acquainted with the stories and themes in *The Light Seer's Tarot*. As you spend time noticing the different characters and scenarios, take note of your visceral reactions to the cards. The image that brings you the most joy will be your **light card**, whereas the card you feel the most aversion to will be your **shadow card**. Your shadow card may be a card in the deck that you really don't like, and that's *totally okay*. This is something that you should do intuitively, without looking at the guidebook to decide which meanings you prefer. As you explore the cards, ask yourself:

Which one feels the most inspiring?
Which one feels like it really “gets” you?
Which one feels like a giant yes in
your system?

(These help you define your **light card**.)

Which one do you feel the least attracted to?
Which one just turns you off?
Which one makes you the most
uncomfortable?

(These help you define your **shadow card**.)

*Go ahead and pick
your two cards now.*

Your light and shadow cards will be your trusted allies and guides as you work with *The Light Seer's Tarot*, and they will become your messengers along the path. Often, the card you choose as your light card will feel the most like where you are headed, and it will represent who you want to be. Consider it to be a special nod from the cards when it shows up in a reading, because it's going to be your big, badass YES card—the card that lets you know you are on the right track.

Conversely, your shadow card will be the one that stirs up the most feelings of discomfort. Quite often this is because this card has an important lesson to teach you. Spend some time with your shadow card

now, if you'd like. Maybe find its meaning in the guidebook and pull out your journal. What lesson does the card have for you right now? What is it about the card that rubs you the wrong way? Maybe it's the character in the card, or the situation they seem to be in? Perhaps they remind you of a time in your life or a person from your past?

Most important, try to discern how this card could have a positive influence on your life if you were easily able to accept the wisdom found on the card. *We can often learn a great deal about the challenges that we are facing inside of our darkest shadows.*

As you work with *The Light Seer's Tarot*, your shadow card will serve as a gentle reminder that some aspect of your situation is being blocked by *shadow that you've created*, and that there is a massive opportunity to turn things around by working with a more positive mind-set.

Readings and Spreads

There are so many ways to set up a reading, and as you work with the cards you will find your own favorite ways to shuffle, draw, and interpret them. Usually you will come to the cards with something you want to learn about: a project, a relationship, or an idea. Decide in advance the type of “spread” that

you are going to use to gather information from your cards. Will you choose one card? Or more? How will you lay the cards on the table? (*Pssst. There are some ideas for spreads on the following pages!*)

1. Clearly meditate on the situation or question
2. Shuffle the cards any way you'd like
3. Choose your card(s)
4. Read your card

When you are ready, flip the card over and sit with the meaning. I suggest spending some time looking at the imagery before jumping into the guidebook. Answers that come from your intuition will always offer the most insight. Here are a few questions that will help you tune in to your own interpretations:

- What does the card make you think of?
- How does the card make you feel?
- Does it remind you of a specific situation?
- Does the character seem to have qualities that remind you of anyone?
- How could the character, scenario, or lesson on the card help you to better

understand your current situation?

- If they had advice for you, what would it be?

When you've taken note of your own intuitive interpretations, go to the guidebook to see if there's anything more you can learn from the card.

5. Journal for the win

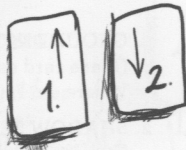
To go deeper with your reading, journal about your experiences with the card! When you do a reading, something on the cards will call for your attention. It may be as simple as the time of day or the type of landscape that the artwork portrays. It may be an emotion, an item, or a pair of shoes on the card that remind you of so-and-so. These little nudges from the cards allow you to connect your own inner knowing with the message that the card conveys about *your* situation. And it is in this connection—in your own interpretation of the message—that the magic lies.

LIGHT of the DAY DRAW



1. DAILY MESSAGE OF LIGHT (Draw a card and place it upright or reversed as pulled.) What message of light do you have for me today?

Light AND Shadow SPREAD



I want to introduce you to a light and shadow technique that will have you placing cards in their upright and reversed (Light Seer and Shadow Seer) positions on purpose.

1. LIGHT SEER (Place in Light Seer position.) Where is the greatest opportunity for light in this situation?
2. SHADOW SEER (Place in Shadow Seer position.) Where is the greatest opportunity to heal shadow in this situation?

Of course, you can choose to place the cards as you draw them, too. I know it's unorthodox, but I find the most healing messages come through when we force the reversals and uprights in a reading!

Light Worker ILLUMINATION SPREAD



1. GROUNDING
(Place card as it is pulled.)
Where am I right now?

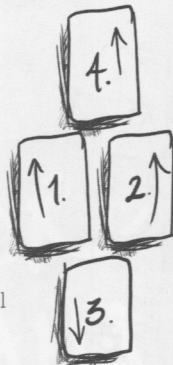


2. SHADOW SEER
(Place in Shadow Seer position.) What shadows need to be cleared before the situation can be resolved?



3. ILLUMINATION
(Place in Light Seer position.)
This card represents the energy needed for the best possible outcome.

Calling in LOVE SPREAD



1. RECOGNIZING LOVE
(Place in Light Seer position.) What qualities will my future partner have?

2. SEEKING LIGHT
(Place in Light Seer position.) Where can I seek them? Who will they remind me of?

3. BLOCKING LOVE
(Place in Shadow Seer position.)
What shadow aspect of mine is blocking this union?

4. ATTRACTING LOVE
(Place in Light Seer position.) What qualities do I possess that will attract my partner?

Soul Joy SPREAD



1. GIFT

(Place in Light Seer position.) What can I give to the world?



2. ILLUMINATION

(Place in Shadow Seer position.) What can I illuminate for others?



3. LESSONS OF JOY

(Place card as it is pulled.) Where can my lessons of joy be uncovered?

the MAJOR ARCANA



o. the Fool

LIGHT SEER: new beginnings, potential, adventures, enthusiasm, awakening, innocence, optimism

SHADOW SEER: naivete, assuming you already have the answer, rash or impulsive choices, lacking experience, analysis-paralysis, foolishness

Every dream achieved begins with the seemingly “foolish” notion that there is something bigger out there, *something greater* to explore and *to become*. This childlike optimism comes from deep within your knowing, and it reminds you that you *can* achieve all the magical things that you’ve been dreaming

about. The journey of the soul begins with a single step, and you may find yourself on the edge of an epic journey. Turn toward your future with enthusiasm and know that a divine leap of faith is required in order to claim the reward that the abyss is offering. You may not feel ready. You may not *be* ready. But there is magic in the air, and the Universe is waiting to support you with infinite love and guidance. Trust your intuition as you swan dive into the seed of potential.

I am ready for this
adventure down
my soul path.



1. *the Magician*

LIGHT SEER: skill, natural talents, powers of manifestation, creativity, resourcefulness

SHADOW SEER: unused potential, latent talents, questionable intentions, manipulation, selfishness, unfocused or blocked creative energy

The Magician brings forth a powerful message of creation and potential: *You. Are. Magic.* You have everything you need to succeed. Badass manifesting energy from the Cosmos? All the skills you require? They're at your fingertips! Beautiful creator, *go create!* Activate the magic in your veins by focusing your energy, willpower,

desire, and actions. When you consciously step into your personal power and decide to shape the material world in this way, every breath in (and every breath out) is an opportunity to carve new meanings and new perspectives into reality. If you are unsure of your ability to create the life you desire, trust in the latent potential that resides within you. Feeling less than inspired at this time reminds you that it's time to find your muse. Find your spark. Find your *why*. With everything you need sitting in front of you like a giant Universe cauldron, what is it that you desire to bring to life? And what can you do today that will bring it one step closer to reality?

I can manifest the
life I desire through
energy and action.



2. the High Priestess

LIGHT SEER: dreams, powerful visions, psychic insights, serendipity, meditation, introspection, intuition, a spiritual experience

SHADOW SEER: keeping secrets, gossip or mistruths, hidden agendas, fear of intuitive abilities, not paying attention to your inner voice

The Priestess sits on the edge of this realm and the next, as she draws down meaning and illumination from beyond the veil. Sacred insights and profound wisdom are flowing to you now, and to access them you must tune in to your intuition and submerge your thoughts into

her subconscious realm. The language of the unconscious mind is revealing itself to you now through metaphor, in dreams, or as ancient memories that resurface to be processed. Pay attention to synchronicity, any nagging feelings of being off track, as well as gut feelings that move you in a new direction at this time. The divine whispers that are emanating from your soul hold an important message for you, and the bridge between the enigmatic realm of the Priestess and your conscious understanding of the signs will be found through your own quiet introspection.

I have the answers
I seek, and by
following the truth
I will find them.



3. the Empress

LIGHT SEER: the divine feminine, prolific creativity, fertility, motherhood, unity, the Goddess, sensuality, nurturing, abundance, empathy, unconditional love, unification of mind/body/spirit

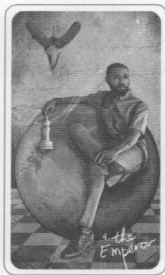
SHADOW SEER: infertility, emotional overwhelm, shutting down, the need for self-care, disharmony, negligence, being materialistic, being overprotective of your creations, being overly dependent on others

This Gaian Empress radiates fertile energy, positive outcomes, and *unconditional love*! This flourishing, creative

energy is *of the earth*, so bring your dreams from the ethereal realms and ground them. *Share* them. *Birth* them. Her bountiful abundance is always available to you, and she reminds you to find her regenerative beauty everywhere.

You are entering a time of profound healing and blessings, and if you're feeling any lack of inspiration or possibilities, seek to heal your physical temple and to nourish your soul by embodying her shining creative essence. Continue to move calmly and gracefully in the direction of that which whispers yes. This card often affirms that you are on the right track, so keep growing, beautiful seer, and *work with the nature of your situation instead of against it*.

I am ready to
give birth to
my abundantly
rich future.



4. the Emperor

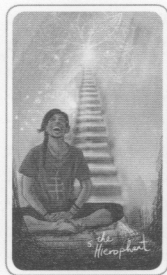
LIGHT SEER: the divine masculine, authority, power, a natural leader, structure, strategic and analytical thinking, taking action, promotion

SHADOW SEER: unchecked power, being overly pragmatic and rigid, corruption, selfishness, defensiveness, a desire for control, being stubborn

The Emperor's message is one of ambitions met and success found. Often seen as the card of the *divine masculine*, the Emperor brings forth a desire to build a better world, one brick at a time. Use your mind as well as your heart, and rise to power as you *lead your own evolution*.

While becoming your own emperor means infinite possibility for your success, it also means addressing any issues you harbor around authority, control, and will-power. You may need to work your magic within the confines of "establishment," but remember that the organizing principles of societies are fluid over time. Remain flexible and keenly aware of your own energetic boundaries and motives. Find opportunities to be of service to others as you build your empire. Step into this fiery energy of success and *rise*, sweet Light Seer! Embody confident, compassionate leadership and exercise sovereignty over your own reality. *The world is yours.*

I lead the
circumstances in
my world with
confidence, harmony,
and generosity.



5. the Hierophant

LIGHT SEER: tradition, a lesson, spiritual leader or guide, enlightenment, awakening, in service of Spirit, formal education or training, new paradigms

SHADOW SEER: outdated systems or ways of thinking, dogma, rebelling against societal norms, abuse of power, stagnation, ego-based leadership, a need to connect with Spirit

As you search for your divine truth, you create frameworks of belief that help you to expand your consciousness and ground your faith into this reality. If you've been stuck in an old tradition or a structured way of *acting or being* that is no

longer serving you, it is time to let it fall away in order to make space for a better version of *you*. The Hierophant serves as a gateway between Divine Source and the seeker, so be open to new paradigms, perspectives, and teachers in your life. Look to the patterns around you and strive to understand your own internal compass. Know that while there is wisdom in the teachings of the mystics, the voice of your own heart is the one voice that matters the most. Find the wisdom of the heavens, *within*.

I am my own guru,
and the guidance I
need is rooted in my
faith, my belief, and
my unique essence.



6. the Lovers

LIGHT SEER: a choice, dualities, harmony, a lover or romantic relationship, friendship, unity, choosing to allow yourself to fall in love, healthy boundaries, soulmates

SHADOW SEER: a break in communication, disharmony, the need to find self-love, giving away power in a relationship, the loss of self, too many expectations of others, manipulation, an imbalanced partnership, codependency

Magnetism like magic is coming into your life. You are sitting on the cusp of the type of profound connection that

happens when two souls are intertwined and their entanglement forever marks their individual paths. Often this card signifies that an important choice needs to be made. Will you embrace the spiraling energy that unwinds between two people who are beginning to connect, *and choose* to shift into this relationship, *or not*? Falling deeply into trust will be necessary in order to create a lasting bond, and growth around vulnerability, honesty, desire and intimacy is being called into the light to be healed. While partnerships are beautiful gifts on the path, you must also seek to give fully without weakening your resolve to remain whole. Remember that self-love is the key to balancing the duality of any relationship.

My heart is open to
deeply meaningful
relationships, and I
expand into this union
with loving trust.



7. the Chariot

LIGHT SEER: victory, speed and action, determination, harnessing and uniting opposing energies, success, travel, confidence, willpower, control

SHADOW SEER: lack of energetic focus, lack of self-discipline, going in the wrong direction, a tendency to speed past the needs of others

The Universe constantly gifts us the opportunity to become the person we want to be. It's a magical time for taking inspired action! Push ahead with willpower and determination, because you will get there. Remember: inaction is the same as deciding to stay still. The Chariot reminds

you that while you are on the way to your goal, you need to make decisions about your best path forward. If you feel pulled in two different directions, know that you will be able to coax both of these energies toward the same target. Charging ahead without paying attention to your path can sometimes be harmful to those in your wake, so take care not to trample on others on your way up the mountain. Choose the thing you really want . . . focus your efforts and move swiftly. If you aren't sure what your direction is, then it's time to make some plans, align goals, and spark dreams!!

I choose who I am
becoming, and I
run toward it with
conviction and
consistent motion.



8. Strength

LIGHT SEER: courage, calmness, quiet strength, influence, graceful leadership, gifted healer, purity of thought and heart, spiritual matters, compassion, sometimes lust or animal instinct

SHADOW SEER: blocked by fear, self-doubt, a reminder to not be guided by the lizard part of your brain, a need to exercise self-control, self-destructive impulses

Be brave, sweet seer. Embody your light and shine courageously in the face of danger or uncertainty. Step into patience and fierce serenity as you exert your graceful influence for the greater good. There

is great fortitude in your calm heart, and a gentle demeanor will not be mistaken for weakness when you share your gift of relentless love with the world. Allow confidence and composure to guide you toward your desires without the use of excessive force or aggression. Mindful awareness will be much more useful than rigid control right now. This card reminds you to stand strong in your beliefs and desires, and to remain steady as you bring compassion to your current situation. *You are powerful*, and your purity of heart will be a beacon of strength and inspiration to those around you.

I deliberately bring
my compassion and
strength forward, and
I use them for good.



9. the hermit

LIGHT SEER: inner reflection, meditation, contemplation, soul-searching, inner wisdom, spiritual mentor, finding your guide within, taking time away from the chaos of a busy life, “hermitting”

SHADOW SEER: withdrawing from society, isolation, loneliness, forever seeking without healing, feeling like a misfit

It's time to make space for your *sacred aloneness* and self-care. If you are feeling disconnected from your spiritual north, this time of solitary withdrawal will help you to connect with your own compass.

Soul-purpose, spiritual awakening, and deep inner wisdom spring from this energy. Sometimes, we run the risk of being so introspective that we lose our connections to others, or worse—we can dive so deeply into our stories of struggle that we inadvertently begin to believe that our wounds will be a part of our forever-identity. In the deepest trenches of self-discovery, we must remember that our continual search for our own healing and inner truth does not mean that we are not already whole and healed. Emerge from your inner retreat with beautiful insights from Spirit and allow yourself to navigate the path with your brightly illuminated heart.

Inner-Sage.
Inner-Mentor.
Inner-Guide.

Show me my brightest
light so that I may see
with all of my heart.



the ^{10.} wheel

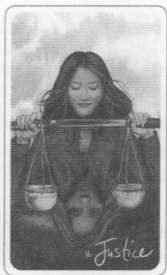
LIGHT SEER: changes, fate, destiny, a lucky break, cycling up through karmic lessons, the chaos of creation, a turning point, serendipity

SHADOW SEER: misfortune, karma, a need to relinquish control, the ups and downs of life, the inevitability of change, an unexpected setback

Get ready, sweet soul, for the wheel is about to gift you divine blessings! Synchronicity is afoot, so look for wonderful new opportunities to propel your life ahead. Be prepared for fortuitous meetings or a fork in the path that will change everything for the better. If you're open to

spotting opportunity, it's yours for the taking. Just follow the bread crumbs of serendipity and fate toward your happy ending! Remember that the wheel is *always* spinning and that things are never the same as they were before. Learn to enjoy this constant regeneration, and know that with every spin we have the chance to cycle upward toward our own expansion and enlightenment. Trying to control the outcome of The Wheel of Fortune would prove to be impossible, so *don't*. Grab your lucky dice, and see the spinning of the wheel for what it really is: all the beauty of a lifetime of experiences, waiting to spring forth and be lived.

I allow the
transformative
energies of fate
help me to expand
my experience.



11. Justice

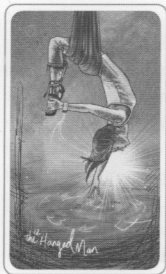
LIGHT SEER: natural law, balance, karma, truth, wisdom, legal matters, fairness, cause and effect, integrity, objectivity, perspective, accountability

SHADOW SEER: consequences, retribution, karma, injustice and inequity, dishonesty, imbalance, a need to take responsibility for your past actions

Justice asks you to learn from your past experiences: the good, the bad, and the *fugly*. Take it all and grow from it. This energy is not about perfection, but about fairness and honesty. It highlights clarity of motivation and intention, and it asks you

to be realistic about the *cause and effect* of your thoughts and actions. Seek to balance your growth with both positivity and shadow, and learn from the many different parts of *you*. In your current situation, be impartial as you reframe your reality and work to remove any negative emotional charge from the equation. If fear is causing you to act in a way that you aren't proud of, seek a variety of perspectives before judging another person's actions to be "good" or "bad." The only true path ahead of you is not one that is necessarily black or white, but it is always—*always*—one of love.

My good karma is
delightfully loving,
and it can be the
most motivating
of teachers.



^{12.} the Hanged Man

LIGHT SEER: surrendering to the will of the Cosmos, an intentional pause, reflection, letting go, embracing the new, realigning with your heart and purpose, new wisdom found, spiritual teachings, sacrifice, enlightenment

SHADOW SEER: stagnation, self-sabotage, holding on to something that isn't meant for you, stubbornness, a tendency to be a martyr

Flow with it. Divine wisdom spills forth in moments of deep flow, and The Hanged Man is offering you the chance to look at something from a completely different perspective. When you let go of that thing

that's got you stuck, you will make space for new insights and vantages to shift into place. Open your heart to the bigger plan, and you'll inadvertently tap into a whole new framework from which to see the world. Know that your path—and your dream—may look unfamiliar to you after you relinquish the need to direct the outcomes. Surrender to the will of the Cosmos and realign your life with its sacred patterns. The Universe already know which life-altering lesson is the key to your happiness, and your Higher Self has so much wisdom for you when you intentionally pause to listen.

I lean into my
inner world of
limitless miracles,
surrendering to
the divine will
of the Cosmos.



13. Death ~ Rebirth

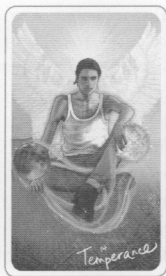
LIGHT SEER: cycles of transformation, rebirth, transition, change, new beliefs, newfound awareness, endings, a symbolic death, an initiation process

SHADOW SEER: clinging to the past, fear of change, sentimental attachments, forces of destruction, mortality, end of hope, mourning loss

You are on the cusp of a massive transformation, and it's time to mourn the end of one phase while celebrating the birth of another. This energy of transmutation and rebirth signals a beautiful metamorphosis that will allow you to expand your

consciousness and move closer to your own divine essence. A cycle in your life (a relationship, a belief, a career path, or an outdated plan for the future) is coming to an inevitable end. *Deep breath in if this scares you, sweet light! This change is needed!* Know that this card urges you to release what is already losing energy, and to focus on things that are *already gaining momentum*. Welcome the possibility of something new and allow this phase to come to a graceful end. Look toward the magic of this newfound horizon, because underneath its morbid exterior, the death card heralds exciting times filled with the brightness of *so much potential!* New light awaits.

I allow myself to let
go of the past in
order to add energy
to new beginnings.



14. Temperance

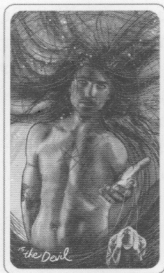
LIGHT SEER: alchemy, blending energies, harmony, moderation, masculine and feminine balance, duality and amalgamation, the fluidity of time, meditation, the perpetual motion of life, neutrality, restraint, patience, purpose

SHADOW SEER: clashing interests, oil and water, extremes, disharmony, a need to practice moderation in some aspect of your life, severity, polarity, impatience

Temperance is the alchemist of life, and it calls you to create your purposeful blend using moderation and patience as ingredients. Where are you focusing your precious energy right now? Maybe you've

been overdoing it in your social life? Or binging on television, drinks or food, or overspending? Focusing on a relationship that is *depleting* more energy than it is *replenishing*? Being wholly materialistic vs. wholly spiritual? We live in a world of extreme passions and heated hustle, so slowing down the desire for excess in any one area of your life may be harder than you think. *Don't do drastic right now.* Stay away from "all or nothing" choices. Clearing your energy of extremes will foster a dynamic, nourishing flow that is aligned with *your* perfect alchemical purpose. Seek equilibrium and be mindful of your resources while fusing *all* the elements to achieve a beautiful balance.

I walk the middle path, and I nourish my spiritual wholeness.



15. the Devil

LIGHT SEER: vices, the grip of addiction, a need for liberation, healthy vs. unhealthy sexuality, materialism, the healing found in darkness, delving into your shadow self, being trapped in your own stories, manipulation, lying to yourself, temptation

SHADOW SEER: release, freedom from addiction, on the cusp of a breakthrough, liberation, not wanting to see your own role in a negative circumstance, realizing that you are giving your power away, feeling helpless, breaking the chains

The Devil reaches out his hand, granting a release from the mundane with promises of earthly and material pleasures.

While sometimes this release is healthy and necessary, he hides the fact that he offers everything you can become addicted to. From alcohol, drugs, work, and sex, to more nuanced addictions like codependent relationships or *how others make you feel*—anything that can entrap you or overtake your life can be harmful in excess. The Devil is a nudge to delve into your own shadows. He will bring you there, and then it's up to you to either fall fully into darkness, or to work on healing your own relationship with your beautiful heart. Illuminate the things that are vying for your time, your energy, and your love that leave you feeling empty. Remember that addictions don't necessarily look scary and demonic *until they do*. Seek liberation from the bindings that are keeping you trapped and untether yourself. In darkness, look to fragmented aspects of the self as a source of light.

In the darkness
I am free to heal
everything.



16. the Tower

LIGHT SEER: unexpected change, chaos, the rug pulled from beneath your feet, beliefs challenged, new awareness and perspectives, destruction, being unsure of who you are

SHADOW SEER: life becoming stale, refusing to change, fear of the unknown, avoiding a disaster, denial

Whoa. *Buckle up and expect the unexpected.* Sometimes we resist change to the point that the Universe shifts in a destructive and chaotic way that fundamentally changes how we see our reality. There is a strange beauty in this deconstruction—as all of the elements for a better life will be

found amongst the rubble. Use this moment to rebuild something foundational, something extraordinary. Trust that you will be held by the Universe, and you'll become stronger and more resilient as a result. Tower moments are powerful. Moving. Shifting. Expanding. The Tower energy in your life marks a period when you get to reevaluate, redirect, reestablish and realign. *It's magic in the disguise of unpredictability.* The brightest of lights will pierce through the pandemonium of change that you are experiencing, and you will find your beautiful truth and blazing potential in the darkness of the Tower.

In chaos,
I move toward
the brightest light.



17. the Star

LIGHT SEER: expectations fulfilled, wishes granted, opportunities, healing after traumatic events, knowing you are on the right path, inspiration, renewed hope

SHADOW SEER: loss of faith, diminished hope, disappointment, missed opportunities, despair

Sink into the dreamlike inspiration of the Star. She sends a message of divine timing and renewed hope, and she guides you to reach for that string of serendipity and faith. Your future is increasingly bright, and you are blessed by the Universe. Your core purpose is beginning to bubble

at the surface of your reality, and your path is intrinsically tied to your biggest missions and brightest opportunities for expansion. Step onto a path of fulfillment and happiness with starlight to guide you! Allow your innate essence to shine through any residual darkness right now. Uncover any limiting beliefs or self-doubt that you are holding on to, find the courage to voice any unexpressed emotions, and release every bit of outgrown energy that is anchoring you to the past. It is time to release and ascend. As you let go, you will focus on the future and you will find your biggest source of inspiration and love. The stars are aligning in your favor, and it's time to trust them.

I expect miracles.



18. the Moon

LIGHT SEER: illusions, hidden truths, the unknown, trusting your intuition, facing your fears, the watery nature of the unconscious mind, mystery, symbolism and metaphor, perception, uncertainty, dreams

SHADOW SEER: fears that block you, difficulty separating reality and illusion, linear thinking, inability to process a spiritual or mystical experience, mental confusion, misinterpretation, anxiety, fear

When we're faced with uncertainly and illusion, it can feel like we are drowning. Trust that you will be okay, even if you

can't seem to distinguish up from down right now. When you stop struggling to see that which you simply cannot see because it remains obscured behind shadows of the moonlight, you will experience a deep release that will allow you to float to the surface of your truth. The Moon card asks you to go within, find comfort in the darkness, and to calmly listen to the whispers of your own intuition. There is divinity and magic here. When you fall into the Moon's still waters, your inner wisdom will embrace you, and push you toward the light. She will reinvigorate your creativity and resurrect your spark as long as you go beyond your own fears to find her. Dive into her healing embrace, breathe past insecurities, and let her dimly lit magic guide you home.

I am safe, and I
reach new levels of
unconscious knowing
as I surrender to the
will of the Universe.



19. the Sun

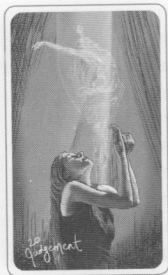
LIGHT SEER: joy, inspirational success, abundance and fulfillment, exuberant creativity, positivity, love, manifesting dreams, inner beauty, a “yes” card

SHADOW SEER: delays, negative mind-set, self-doubt or lack of confidence, a need to tune out a negative mind-set and to find inspiration

The Sun breathes life into everything he touches. Radiating brightly, he creates a path of love and harmonic abundance. This is a card of joyful celebration and a vibrant sign of positivity and success! Expect to find bliss and be ready to take

inspired action based on radical positivity and generosity. Allow others to bask in the warm glow of your beaming heart and your inspired mind. People will feel drawn to you when the Sun card arrives (*um, hello, charisma!*). Live it up! This card is a reassuring sign that things are unfolding beautifully. You are perfect, whole, and loved by the Cosmos, and it may be time to deal with any feelings of inadequacy or *not-enoughness* in order to find your shiny confidence. The Sun is on its way to illuminate the corners of your heart, and to set your world ablaze with opportunity and inspiration.

I am whole. I am
more than enough.
I shine like the sun
when I am happy.



20. Judgement

LIGHT SEER: self-realization and understanding, spiritual awakening, redemption, knowing your motives and your heart to be true, total transparency, a glorious unveiling of Spirit

SHADOW SEER: self-doubt, hiding behind many masks, a need to let go of a shadow aspect of your story, denying yourself and your loved ones the experience of your true nature or essence

You have judged others and have been judged yourself, and you are awakening to the understanding that the only approval that *really* matters is your own.

Are you doing your best with others, *and with yourself*? It's time to shed any negative facades—drop *the masks behind the masks*. It may feel risky, yet this profound act of self-acceptance will unleash your absolute essence—you are light, shadow, matter, and consciousness, *and you are a miracle*. Why, then, do you keep your true nature hidden away from the world? There is no way to really understand your full potential until you are open and honest with your own heart . . . *without judgement*. To expand and evolve requires this colossal forgiveness of the self. Forgive your beautiful soul. Accept your beautiful heart. As you do, you consciously answer the call of your Highest Self, and the vastness of your horizon will make itself available to you.

Hello, essence.
I invite you to show
up every day. I invite
my soul to shine,
unapologetically.



21. the World

LIGHT SEER: completion, joy, wholeness, achievement, happy endings, abundance, success, new levels of consciousness, literally traveling the world

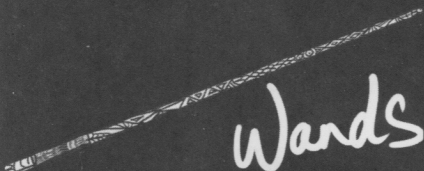
SHADOW SEER: taking shortcuts, a need for closure, a need to follow through, staying focused in order to complete an unfinished task, a delay in plans, unmet dreams

The World brings one of the most positive and abundant messages in the tarot! Congratulations, *you've come so far!* A large project or period in your life

is coming to a successful conclusion, and it's time to revel in the sweet afterglow of your success. If you're not quite there yet, take this card as a sign that you're on the right path. Consciously step into the World's ascension energy, and welcome a this beautiful shift as your inner spiritual landscape merges with your outer reality. As you reach this stage of fruition, remain focused. Don't slacken your resolve as you glimpse the magic at the end of the long journey, because it's time to follow through with your final steps and complete the cycle. Even in shadow, the World is a positive card that signals bliss and happy endings, with *oodles* of positive energy on the way!

I accept this gift
of completion, and
I ascend to new
levels of awareness
and wholeness.
I am love.

the MINOR ARCANAE



Wands



Ace of Wands

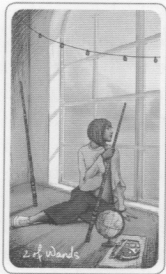
LIGHT SEER: new ideas, the seed of potential, the arrival of inspiration, illumination, intense creativity, the mirrorlike nature of consciousness, the interconnectedness of all things, the ability to manifest anything

SHADOW SEER: feeling uninspired, creative blocks, the mind needing rest, unfocused energy resulting in burnout, a time to bolster your faith in yourself

This Ace contains *all the sparks for all the ideas*, and they are generating intensely powerful light for you right now. She is connecting you with the One Cosmic Mind, a Universe consciousness,

and her delightfully magical soup that is brimming with colossal creativity. A flame burns here that is meant for you, but it hasn't been put to use yet. *What will you create with this boundless potential?* Stay open to receive inspiration and insight. You may be shown new information about your divine purpose or soul path, or you may even feel compelled to put something completely new into the world. If it feels good, it probably is good, and even though this Ace can only predict the *inception* of something new, it also suggests that all of the energy to bring this project, idea, or feeling to a successful completion is available to you.

I seed
my brilliant future
with the
roots of creativity
and inspiration.



2 of Wands

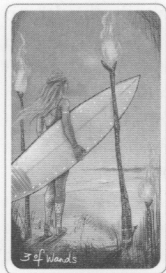
LIGHT SEER: planning your future, making progress, activation, possibilities, the choice between your comfort zone and new adventures

SHADOW SEER: insecurities, the fear of taking the next step, being stuck in your past, feeling worried about your abilities, opportunities for alignment

You need to make a choice, to really do that thing you want to do, or not. You can dream it and envision it, or you can begin to *live* it. Planning and imagining can have us feeling like the observers of a dream, and our action is the only way to bring that dream to life.

It's time to choose between the Wand that's cozily rooted in the place you already know, or the one that leans into exciting new possibilities. Take a deep breath because self-initiated change can be scary! The only way to take strides toward your goal is to make your move. Learn that thing. Call that contact. Make that decision. Non-action won't get you there, and will likely have you feeling the angst of *dreaming the dream* instead of *walking the talk*. Use the fire energy of the Wands to initiate your shift!

The world is filled
with opportunities
for adventure, and
I welcome them
into my life with
planned action.



3 of Wands

LIGHT SEER: energy manifested, waiting for the results of your effort, the arrival of opportunities, finally understanding your ambitions, continuous improvement and moving in the right direction, progress

SHADOW SEER: not dreaming big enough, fear coming up to block your movement, delays

You've been doing the work, Light Seer. Planning. Seeing. Learning. Watch for the signs that your dream is on the way, because they are everywhere! Take pride in the progress you've made, for your past efforts have created the momentum that

you needed to get the ball rolling. Today, you are moving through energy you created in the past, and being here, *ready and waiting*, is a milestone that you should recognize as a success! While there is still work to be done, know that you are headed in the right direction and that you will see your big waves coming in soon. When they arrive, you may not know exactly how to ride them, but *you will be ready to learn*. Look for that new relationship, the new client, or that lucky break on the horizon, for the arrival is imminent.

I am expectant
and optimistic, and
I know that my
dream is on the way.



4 of Wands

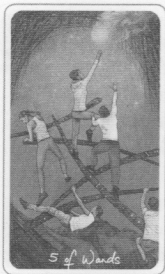
LIGHT SEER: celebration, prosperity, an important event or milestone, gathering of souls, kindreds, stability in home and relationships, sometimes signifies marriage

SHADOW SEER: forgetting the importance of the simple things, getting caught up in drama, lack of harmony, feeling disconnected

Bring the noise! It's time to kick back in joyful elation! You've been building foundations, and after a period of massive shifting, it's time to enjoy some well-deserved communal bliss. If you've been through a

cycle of rapid expansion and awakening, this card marks a transition into a more harmonic and stable state. You have reached new levels of consciousness, and it's the perfect time to enjoy a milestone event and celebrate with the people who love you. Love them right back, as they are, and *psst*, sometimes this card signifies a marriage or another significant occasion! While connecting with friends and family, make sure you relax, release, and allow your body to integrate all the lessons you've been working through. Happiness and harmony are yours to be had. *Enjoy these warm vibes of celebration and success.* Also, when was the last time you danced?

I am devoted to my
connectedness, and
I celebrate the wonder
of loving bliss with
my community.



5 of Wands

LIGHT SEER: competition, conflict, ambition, challenge, being pushed by others to excel, brainstorming, mental jousting, adrenaline and aggression, surpassing limits, dynamic energy, leveling-up

SHADOW SEER: an opportunity to collaborate, in-group fighting or arguments, being overly competitive, not following the rules, a tendency to avoid conflict to your detriment

A little rivalry can be a good thing. It can push us to become the very best version of ourselves, and to move quicker than we would if we were alone. Allow

opposition and challenge to help you to evolve your methods and to push beyond self-imposed limitations. If competition becomes unhealthy, and you are experiencing the shadow side of conflict or ambition, it's time to take a step back and retreat from energies that are hindering your progress. Sometimes the need to be right, or personal feelings around being questioned or challenged can interfere with the ability to see your path clearly, so you may need to fly solo for a bit in order to reevaluate your options. While clashing egos can slow everything down, they can also propel success! *Choose to excel!* Look for healthy competition or collaboration that inspires and motivates you. Learn from others and use competing energies as a way to enrich your experience.

I support others and
they support me, and
we rise together in
accelerated harmony.



6 of Wands

LIGHT SEER: badass success, leadership, accomplishments, being seen, becoming an influencer, victory, optimism, inspiring others

SHADOW SEER: not seeing eye to eye, pessimism, resentment and self-doubt, a desire for acknowledgment, feelings of failure, comparisonitis, falling from grace

Relish the sweetness of this victory! Something that you've been working toward is finally coming to a successful fruition, and it's time to celebrate your wins, beautiful seer. Gift yourself permission to bask in the warm glow of

accomplishment, and allow the supportive community around you to witness and appreciate the progress you've made. Taking time to see your own radiance is as important as making the next move on your journey—*accepting success will seed more of it*. Others will turn to you for wisdom now, so step up and share your brilliance. In shadow, this card points to shying away from public attention and hiding your light from the world. It may also indicate someone who craves external validation instead of turning to their own inner compass to define success. Remember that *no one else in the world has your magic*, and that the most important person to impress, wholeheartedly, is yourself.

I am worthy of
this success, and
I am grateful that
I am **seen**.



7 of Wands

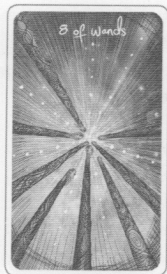
Light Seer: challenge, grounding and protecting yourself, movement and growth, creative innovation, remaining ahead, feeling vulnerable, a sign to continue to share your ideas, self-expression

Shadow Seer: defending yourself, being attacked, being misunderstood, a need to erect energetic boundaries, a lack of preparation, giving up

Haters. They'll emerge only after you've made it to your perch—whipping their Wands about and asking you to defend your accomplishments.

Sometimes, competition emerges as a result of shining brightly in the world. If you are feeling attacked after sharing your magic, it is important to remember that others likely want what you have, so stand up bravely and *continue to do your beautiful thing*. Mindfully call feelings of love and well-being into your body and create a protective bubble of energy around you. Remain synchronized and aligned with your bright vision and reject any low-vibe, negative states that others may be pushing. You don't have to accept their opinion as truth, especially when they are vying for your position. Check to make sure you are acting in a way that is aligned with your highest values, and when you know you are, don't let anyone stop you from achieving your dreams!

I am deserving of
this success and I
will bravely shine my
light into the world.



8 of Wands

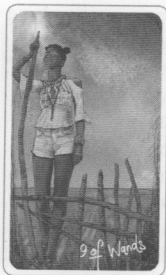
LIGHT SEER: speed, velocity, travel, making split-second decisions, an upcoming positive resolution, haste, good news

SHADOW SEER: instability, delays, unfocused energy and lack of direction, burnout, a tendency to hesitate

Action! You know those moments in life that feel like a sprint? This type of speedy energy is at play. It's inspirational. It's fiery. It's positive. And it's now. If you have a gut feeling that needs to be acted upon, *listen to it!* With all of this movement, avoid being swept along by an

unpredictable tide by having clarity about your desires and direction. Harness this beautiful window of swift opportunity! In shadow, the 8 of Wands suggests there is some sticky energy influencing your situation. You want to move but, ack... if your foot's not stuck in the mud, then you've locked your keys in the car, *amiright?!* If you're fluctuating between having a tendency to hesitate and running so fast that you're burning out, it's time to bring some balanced momentum into your propulsion. Consistent movement that feels right in your heart is the best place to start.

It's go time! I fall
into the flow of this
quickenning energy
and I swiftly face
my desires, head-on.



9 of Wands

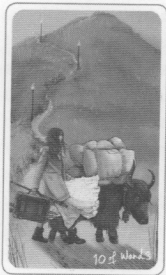
LIGHT SEER: determination, resilience, defiance, a last defense, the final push, excitement for what's to come, finding motivation in the face of difficulties

SHADOW SEER: the need to open up and trust people, holding on to old stories, the need to let go of old battles, the need to follow through and finish what you started, trapped by your own boundaries, giving up

Don't give up now! You're almost there! As you round the corner toward success, something may surface that threatens your feelings of security and achievement. It's important to remember how far you've

come. Don't see this minor deceleration as a symbol of failure. Step into your resilient last stand—one final push to complete this task—and tomorrow, stunning light, you can rest. In shadow, this card suggests you are making things harder than necessary or being overly defensive. You may even be inadvertently *choosing* the more difficult path because you believe, on some level, that healing and ascension should be “difficult.” Sometimes we become so enamored with our *stories* of rising up that our own shadows become romantic notions that we seek to defend. Let go of any ideas you have about navigating specific lessons on the path. Your time to relax into security and success is on the horizon.

I push beyond my own
perceived limitations,
and I remain open
and trusting as I do.



10 of Wands

LIGHT SEER: taking on too much, an opportunity to free yourself from heavy burdens, obligations, finding yourself close to a successful outcome, the need to prioritize, a message to keep going

SHADOW SEER: divided attentions, clinging to responsibilities, difficulty asking for help, the oppression of martyrdom, letting go of someone else's expectations of you, a need to stand up for yourself

All. Those. Responsibilities. Do you really need to carry all those Wands—all by yourself—all at the same time? Couldn't you drop a few of them by prioritizing?

Or maybe, just maybe, things would go a whole lot faster if you enlisted some help. (*All you have to do is ask!*) Drop the nonessentials and any heaviness that is weighing you down, because you are so, so close, yet so, so burdened. *Think: levity and ease!* Streamlining will expedite your goals and bring relief to any overwhelm or molasses energy that you are feeling. Sometimes, this means letting go of a learned behavior or a limiting belief, and sometimes it means deleting a task on your calendar. Whether your burdens are material, spiritual, literal, or energetic, it's clear that you've got some extra baggage right now. Release that 'ish and enjoy your last steps to the finish line!

I release my burdens
into the ethers, knowing
that the Universe
will help me to tend
to the essentials.



Page of Wands

LIGHT SEER: explosive creativity and infectious enthusiasm, ideas aplenty, creative beginnings, a newly found inspiration, honing a new skill or passion, curiosity and trying new things, gifting yourself permission to dream, great energy for creative ideation and brainstorming, a youthful spark

SHADOW SEER: limiting beliefs, creator angst, a need to direct your energy, feeling eager to start something new but confronted by obstacles, hotheadedness, being rebellious

This Page is a free spirit who carries infectious enthusiasm with her. Delight in

her youthful, raw, and exuberant creative energy, and pay attention to the new ideas that are bubbling to the surface at this time! You will find flashes of inspiration here . . . inspiration that comes bundled with massive potential. If you are feeling the creator angst of not having any solid plans to bring these insights to life, let go of your need to formalize your plans right now. Giving your ideas the space they need to develop before sharing them prematurely will allow their wings to fully form. *Their potency is limitless!* Let them breathe! Spend any extra time in the pursuit of the imagination, and if you are feeling any lack of ambition or drive, or feeling devoid of the inspiration that this card illuminates, know that you will find this fire when you allow yourself to dream.

As the dreamer of my dream, I spontaneously and passionately ignite this flame.



Knight of Wands

LIGHT SEER: charisma, passion, spontaneity, pursuing your dreams, fast energy, enthusiasm, courage, taking inspired action, the pursuit of adventure

SHADOW SEER: unfocused energy, self-sabotage with fiery emotions, recklessness, the need for more self-awareness, being cocky

What have you been dreaming about?
The Knight of Wands gallops in and out of your reading with messages of adventure, of impulsivity, and of bravely pursuing the things that inspire you the most. That passion project you've been tinkering with?

That drum circle you've always wanted to join? Allow spontaneity into your choices and gift yourself the *freedom to shift your reality* to match your desires. It's okay to crave new things and to run with the wind when you are feeling charged up about an idea. *Go with it!* Allow this high-spirited energy to rush in and incite a wildfire of positive momentum. In shadow, this card counsels against reckless impulsivity and heated outbursts. You don't want all that pent-up creative energy to spontaneously combust! Fan the flames, and leave some energy for the long haul. Make your passion work *for* you, while *whooshing* yourself toward success.

In the pursuit of the
imagined, I manifest
this fire with the
infectious feelings
of inspiration.



Queen of Wands

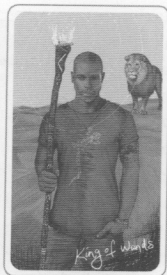
LIGHT SEER: creativity, passion, determination, confidence, joy, bold expression, helping others as you build your queendom, power

SHADOW SEER: jealousy, being afraid to take a risk, not being totally honest with yourself, an optimal time to build your self-confidence and to let go of what other people think, waning passions

You are capable and fierce. It's time to root into your purpose and boldly step into the limelight of your life. The Queen of Wands radiates creativity and passion wherever she goes, and when she enters

a room her exuberant charisma and confidence are palpable. Don't be afraid to be the center of attention, and *for Goddess' sake*, stop acting small in order to make those around you more comfortable! Make sure fiery bursts of productivity are accompanied by laughter and gratitude . . . connection, appreciation, and love. It's okay to hold shadow in all of this light. Don't push it down so deeply that you can't find it again. Accept the parts of you that you don't openly share. The past failures that have held you back? They don't define you, so transmute that shadow. Sit with it briefly and then light it on fire, because *you don't need it anymore*.

I fill my world with
an intense light
that connects and
incites passions.



King of Wands

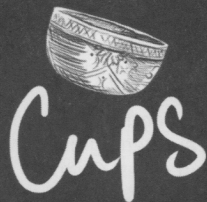
LIGHT SEER: an entrepreneurial spirit, a natural-born leader, ideas that can be ultrasuccessful, a creative visionary, timelessness, success, fire

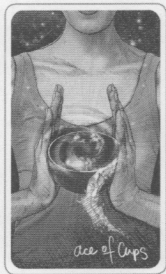
SHADOW SEER: being overly ambitious, a need for compassion, egomania, being too assertive, explosive emotions, impatience

This fiery guy. He's a charismatic and natural-born leader whose vitality emanates through his laughter and his obsession with a life well lived. As you dance into this energy you may feel a surge of entrepreneurial passion that pushes you to the edges of your epic success. The card of moguls,

masterpieces, and soul-inspiration—the King of Wands calls you to unleash that offbeat weirdo that you've got inside, and be absolutely unapologetic in your pursuit of the stellar. Ground your vision through the wildly novel expression of big ideas, and if you find yourself getting tripped up by the minutiae of the everyday, recruit help and map out the bigger picture. Holler passionately. Invite others to see what you see. The shadow side of this energy is that you may not perceive your own blind spots because of an overzealous ambition. Keep arrogance and unrealistic expectations at bay, and work out the kinks *before* charging ahead with your intensely vibrant heart.

Passionate and heart-fueled, we build this empire of light together.





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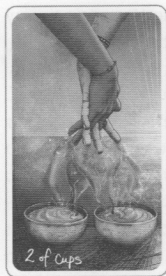
LIGHT SEER: new connections, new romantic relationships, friendships, seeds of love and hope, newfound emotions, awakening the heart, joy, positive outcomes, Oneness, bliss, creativity

SHADOW SEER: a time to nurture more self-love, making sure you aren't repressing your emotions, opening up to the possibility of love

An extremely positive message of vibrant beginnings, the Ace of Cups marks the genesis of relationships, emotional connections, and deep feelings of love and friendship. *Your emotions are*

powerful magic! Cultivate your ability to call on expansive, optimistic, and profoundly radiant feelings, and consciously send your heart waves out into the world. They will become powerful beacons for awakening new adventures, romance, and the effusive joy that you are calling into your life. Your capacity for love is expanding, so check in and make sure you aren't repressing your ability to connect with others as a result of being overly protective. Mindfully extend the love you feel to your own heart as well. *Forgive yourself for past mistakes*, and find a fountainhead for healing. With copious amounts of self-acceptance, get ready to expand! Exciting affinities are emerging, and it's time to open up and you give yourself permission to deepen your kinship with the life around you.

My heart is open
and filled with love.



2 of Cups

LIGHT SEER: romantic partners, soulmates, friendships, connected hearts, passion, kindred spirits, joyful connection and cooperation, union, sometimes marriage, duality, love consciousness

SHADOW SEER: emotional blocks, not being open to receive love, disharmony, unions disrupted, separation, healing past trauma

When you share your joy with those around you, you will attract deep and meaningful ties with others. This card whispers of romance and love, bliss and attraction, and the unity of the like-hearted.

Sometimes it signifies the beginning of a new friendship or business partnership, while at other times it marks a profound romantic union. This perfect pairing of matched souls has the potential to develop into the magical and intoxicating entanglement of twin flames, or the merging of paths that will be forever united or changed as a result. If you are single, look for the arrival of a profoundly passionate and devoted lover. Are you putting enough energy into your relationships? How you see *yourself* as one-half of a committed pair will deepen and shift as the effervescent magic of the 2 of Cups bubbles into your life. This sacred reflection will intermingle spirit, emotion, love, harmony, and balance.

I thrive in partnerships
and my heart leaps
with joy when
I connect.



3 of Cups

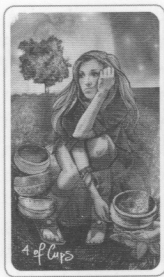
LIGHT SEER: friendships, abundance, cooperation, community, closeness with siblings, joy, communication, celebration, soul contracts

SHADOW SEER: a need to see the value you bring to a relationship, disputes or miscommunication, feeling left out, sometimes a love triangle, a need to make amends

The packs you run with and the kindred connections you forge are not always defined by blood, yet they are your living and breathing support system. Deep friendships are the family we choose, and these sacred connections are to be cherished and

nurtured. In the best and worst of times, your companions serve as mirrors, allowing you to see *who you really are* through their eyes. Who do you need to reach out to for support? Call in your besties and enjoy the warm laughter that comes from a powerful soul group. Your *mutually* loving and beneficial bond carries vibrational attractions that are often ancient, and any setbacks arising from miscommunication or disharmony with others may be old wounds or patterns that are resurfacing to be healed. If an important connection has gone awry, it may be time to make amends. If you need to commit more energy to cultivating friendships, trust your heart to lead you.

I connect into this
sacred siblinghood
and into this
expansive experience
of witnessing
through time.



4 of Cups

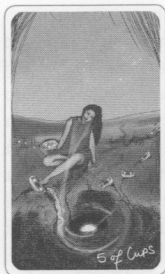
LIGHT SEER: missing opportunities for abundance, a time to meditate, frustration and boredom, being a brat, not appreciating what you have, apathy, introspection, stability leading to boredom

SHADOW SEER: focusing on the negative, pessimism, a time to practice gratitude, a gentle nudge to stop complaining

If you are finding yourself bored, unsatisfied, or frustrated with your current situation, know that you are likely missing the vibrant landscapes that are present *just* beyond your peripheral vision. Often

we become so focused on our own internal perspectives that our *feelings about a situation* can prevent us from noticing the arrival of extraordinary opportunities and remarkable things. If you remain open to shifting *ever so slightly* in order to see your situation in a fantastic new light, you will learn that the present moment is filled with the most dynamic magic. Instead of focusing on what you don't have right, focus on what you do! Even better, spend energy focusing your thoughts on the experiences that you *will create in the future*. Taking time to meditate and slow your mind will show you that *life is better than it seems*. It's up to you to shift into the abundance available to you right now.

I see the fullness
and richness
of my life.



5 of Cups

LIGHT SEER: grieving, disillusion, disappointment, betrayal, bitterness, wallowing, self-pity, can signify a broken heart

SHADOW SEER: not letting go of past trauma, crying over spilled milk, rooting deeply into shadow work without healing and letting go, old stories that become a part of you, callousness, becoming jaded

The illusion is lifting and you may suddenly find yourself in the middle of a reality that is painfully disappointing. If your dark night was a result of someone else's deception, you will need to find the

seeds of forgiveness in order to avoid a calloused heart. Release yourself from any guilt around the situation. When we realize that the future we were working toward is no longer an option, it's easy to focus on the loss and allow our energy to stagnate and spiral into self-pity. *Don't allow your life force to drain away with the things you once loved.* Allow your tender heart to navigate toward the curative magic of finding faith in your future. If you are having a hard time letting go, unhook your heart from your fragmented dreams and give yourself permission to envision a brighter future. Dismantle your grief, reclaim your happiness, and consciously step back onto a path filled with hope.

My tender heart
helps me navigate
toward my
bright future.



6 of Cups

LIGHT SEER: nostalgia, reconnecting with people from the past, harmony, themes of your life, inner child and future self

SHADOW SEER: being stuck in the past, lamenting decisions and actions, a need to forgive others, a reminder to forgive yourself, letting people in, a need to deal with regret

You may be experiencing nostalgia or feeling triggered by old memories. It's time to *forgive yourself* by releasing any residual guilt that you still carry from past relationships, trauma, or previous actions. *Accept your humanness* and stop

lamenting the decisions that you've made up until now. Memories are a profound tool for processing lessons and healing. *Who you were* can highlight how far you've come, and that growth can shine beauty on where you are headed next. Time is a beautiful thing. *Contemplate the needs of your inner child, or listen to advice from your future self.* Sometimes this card is a literal message that someone from your past is going to reenter your life, or that it's the perfect moment to reconnect with old kindreds and to reminisce. When we connect with all the moments on our timeline, we truly find our wholeness.

I am at peace with
my past. It has
brought me to where
I am meant to be.



7 of Cups

LIGHT SEER: fantasies, choices, wishful thinking, the allure of temptation on the path, needing to move forward without knowing the full picture, options

SHADOW SEER: feeling blocked by indecision, fear of making the wrong choice, overwhelm

When you daydream your way into the future, the options that you have in front of you can feel both under- and overwhelming. The path from A to Z is often nebulous, and life can present itself like a game of chutes and ladders that brings you down only to lift you up. Your desire

to choose the one *correct* and perfect path can further complicate and muddle your decision, because there is no way to know everything that will spill forth from the Cup you choose! Use your intuition to decide—remembering that the temptation of shiny things can be illusory, while challenging paths will often hold unexpected opportunity. Ask your discerning heart what options *honestly* stand in front of you today, and even if things are not exactly as they seem, choosing that which you truly desire will offer the most useful stepping-stone right now.

My wildest imagination
is a tool that
I can use to inform
my future in a
down-to-earth way.



8 of Cups

LIGHT SEER: letting go, releasing that which no longer serves you, a ritual releasing, a time to move stuck energy, walking away, leaving your old reality to pursue a new one, abandonment, disappointment

SHADOW SEER: walking away and then regretting your choice, feeling stuck in your current reality, fears that block your momentum, escapism, avoidance

She has released her last Cup into the sea, and her bowl-burning ceremony is over. Is it time to walk away from something in your life? Choosing your sacred

dream—especially when you're feeling disappointed—is one of the biggest acts of self-love that you can enact. When you take that very first step, you begin to choose *yourself*. There is nothing more healing or more powerful! Find your resolve and untether any anchors that are holding you back. Though your disillusioned heart may require some TLC, you can realign your path by shedding outgrown *expectations, hopes, people, ideas, beliefs, guilt, or ways of being*. If you find yourself exhausted or confused—or jumping from thing to thing—know that you are entering a mystical period of intense shifting, and that releasing old stories will help you to travel lightly. Go in the direction of epic dreams, happiness, and greater meaning.

I walk away from
negativity and
I choose myself
in a rebellious
act of self-love.



9 of Cups

LIGHT SEER: the Universe is gifting you your desire, choosing joy, manifested dreams, gratitude, abundance

SHADOW SEER: delayed gratification, unfulfilled desires, unmanifested dreams, greed blocking your path, not appreciating the simple things in life, smugness

This is a card of abundance and happiness, and is often, fittingly, called “the wish card.” *What have you been wishing for?* Allow yourself to experience how fulfilling this journey can be, and fill your life with all the laughter and bliss needed to spur you into the next phase

of your happiness. Take stock of all the *feels* that are surfacing, and remember to practice gratitude for the manifestation of your dreams. The appearance of this card in your spread is an auspicious message of prosperity, harmony, and getting what you desire. What you have been working toward is coming to you, so enjoy life’s pleasures and sink into the awe and wonder of a joyous heart.

I open my grateful
heart to the gifts
that are coming
my way.



10 of Cups

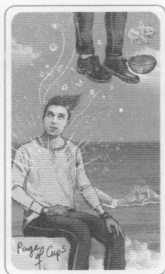
LIGHT SEER: community, love, soulmates, harmony in relationships and family, divine connections, heart opening and expansion, wholeness

SHADOW SEER: disharmony or disputes, miscommunication, struggling relationships, unrealistic expectations, not feeling worthy of love, a delay

This card has the powerful energy of connected hearts, giant love, and devoted acceptance. Often seen as the “one big happy family” card, it’s a giant yes for relationships and love, and it predicts your fairy-tale ending. (And hey, you get to decide what this *soulmates-and-unicorns*

ending looks like!) Allow your heart’s expansive energy to pour into all of your connections, including those with your community. In shadow, this card suggests that you need to look at how you feel about yourself within relationships. If you are looking for a “white picket fence” in order to find happiness, remember that your joy will come only from the inside out. By waiting for other people (or better things!) to create your happiness for you, you undermine your own power to *create* feelings of love. Bring gratitude and generosity to your life, every day. Focus on *others*, and gift them your energy through time, kindness, and service.

I live in a state of
Oneness by bringing
harmony and love to
my relationships.



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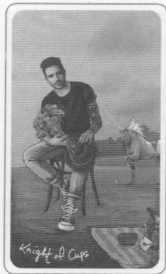
LIGHT SEER: a dreamer, serendipity, creativity, new unexpected trajectories, magic and synchronicity, an open and joyful heart, sensitivity and naivete in romance, being motivated by innovative ideas

SHADOW SEER: missing the signs, being overly sensitive, displaying childish emotions, blocked creativity

There is serendipity and magic here. Like the first breath of love or a very first kiss, anything is possible at this time. Be open to wildly wonderful miracles. This is the “when pigs fly” card, and holding it in your hands is a sign that unforeseen

yet fortuitous events are coming your way! Bring childlike enthusiasm to the unknown, and welcome any unexpected twists on your journey. Be open to inspiration from the strangest of places and pay attention to the intuitive musings that arrive—they will give your creativity wings. As you enjoy this time of strangely unique thinking, ensure that you are not being overly sensitive or blocking your own flow because you are trying to control the process. Allow your emotions to follow the bread crumbs of joy. Play a little more. Do something silly. Stay curious about any feelings of wonder and awe, and allow your sensitive dreamer to dream.

The world is my
flourishing oyster
and I am excited
to see what
happens next.



Knight of Cups

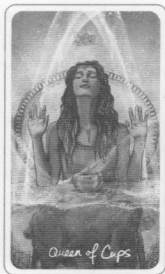
LIGHT SEER: a classic romantic, a passionate soul, artistic tendencies, creativity, wearing your heart on your sleeve, seeking connection, being in love with the idea of love, chivalry

SHADOW SEER: missing the signs, protecting your heart, not being open to love, a player, a jealous partner, moodiness, sulking, negative emotions blocking your progress, disappointment

This classic romantic invites you to step into a world of roses, bubble baths, and champagne, and is fully devoted to you *for today*. And maybe for every day!

This card heralds romance and embodies the graceful movement of a slow dance. Enjoy this flirtation and be present to connect. This Knight is intuitive and totally in touch with his emotions. As such, he knows what he wants, and he has no problem wearing his heart on his sleeve. This card often signifies someone who is in love *with the idea* of love itself, and sometimes this comes bundled with unrealistic expectations. Are you ready to be swept off your feet and to allow deep honesty and vulnerability to flow freely in your life? Do you believe in this type of true love? Get ready to take inspiration and run with it—to make art, music, and love, and a veritable masterpiece of life.

I am in touch
with my
emotions.



Queen of Cups

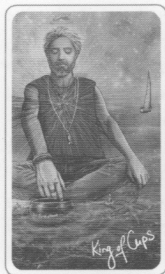
LIGHT SEER: extremely intuitive, a highly attuned emotional intelligence, love and compassion, sensitivity, strength, empathy, leading with your heart, healing

SHADOW SEER: controlling or suppressing emotions, feeling insecure, a need to listen more, irrationality, emotional blackmail, being melodramatic, an opportunity to be responsible for your own emotions

The Queen of Cups is one of the most intuitive characters of the tarot, floating in her dreamlike state of spiritual

connection. She asks you how well your emotions have been serving you lately, and reminds you that you have the ability to connect on a much deeper level. Feel and accept your emotional intuition. Listen closely as a way to understand what is truly going on, and ensure that other people feel heard when you communicate with them. Devote time to their emotional cues, and see the divine beauty in all of life's experiences. *It takes both sun and shadow to make the ocean floor sparkle.* In shadow, this card can indicate that you are out of touch with your emotions, or that you are suppressing your feelings while refusing to see the obvious. If you feel any insecurities around openly connecting with others, grow into a better partner by vulnerably sharing your own tender heart.

My intuitive heart
openly expresses
deep love.



King of Cups


LIGHT SEER: love, emotional intelligence, patience, experience, stability and balance, creativity, diplomacy, someone supportive, being nurturing, a wise leader

SHADOW SEER: a drama king, withdrawn, not in touch with emotions, being triggered, temperamental, an opportunity to work with the subconscious mind and dive into self-care

He softens his gaze and reaches for his singing bowl. When something unexpected comes into the King of Cup's awareness—something that may shake

another person's composure and send them into a state of stress or anger—he regulates his emotional state with his mature, practiced, meditative energy. Finding the sweet spot between the empathic heart and intelligent mind is the key to this successful leadership style. Allow your emotional intelligence to guide you as you seek to marry logic, kindness, and love. If you are in a situation that asks you to navigate tumultuous energies, find your grounded serenity by calmly choosing care and diplomacy over force. In shadow, this King can suggest that you may be feeling withdrawn, moody, or temperamental; or you may be losing touch with how others are feeling at this time. Stay clear of situations that feel emotionally manipulative. Instead, seek to understand others through empathy, tolerance, and compassion, and emotional fulfillment will be yours.

My heart holds deep
wisdom and love,
and I use it to
connect and lead.



Swords



Ace of Swords

LIGHT SEER: new ideas, clarity, an “aha” moment, truth revealed, awareness and heightened states of consciousness, memory or thought, communication, victory, success and triumph, a stroke of genius

SHADOW SEER: overanalyzing, getting stalled out or stuck, clouded judgement, keeping truth inside

Massive clarity is on the way. A new door is opening up for you, often unveiling a life-changing idea or a significant spiritual breakthrough. Expect “aha” moments of lucidity to pierce your awareness and to reveal a totally fresh vision

for the future. As this essence spirals into comprehension, use this time *to see things as they really are*, and to tune in to new beginnings. The quiet insight of the unconscious mind is being made available for you, so you may experience a rapid expansion as your conscious mind integrates this newfound information. Know that nothing can compete with the fierce rays of wisdom and truth, so if you are finding yourself with clouded judgement or with stalled thinking, it's time to seek the brightly lit energy of honesty. Gather your discernment, your intellect, your logic, and your insight —and clearly communicate the truth that is bubbling up to be witnessed.

I experience
brilliant moments
of clarity.



2 of Swords

LIGHT SEER: stalemate, a crossroads, making a difficult choice, opposing ideas or options, choosing the best route of action, memory and thought

SHADOW SEER: a difficult choice, confusion, the angst of the unknown, between a rock and a hard place, fear of commitment

You know that feeling of not knowing? It's time to make a choice, and it may seem like you are between a rock and hard place. If you can't decide which way to go, it's because you can't see the bigger picture . . . yet. The 2 of Swords is whispering that you *must* move in one direction. Close

your eyes and listen to your internal guidance system for your map. If your intuition has fallen unusually silent, it's asking you to *trust yourself and your ability to discern and decide*. Even in blindness you already know the best way forward! When you act, the future will reveal itself, and it will help to move you toward your dream. Have faith that the Universe is serving you the right experience. At the crossroads of duality, your analysis and overthinking will just get you buried in the quicksand of a million possible endings, so find peace of mind by trusting your judgement.

When blinded by
the unknown, I can
trust myself to move
toward the light.



3 of Swords

LIGHT SEER: painful separation, loss, heartbreak, an opportunity to heal, shadows coming to light, finding inspiration again

SHADOW SEER: not accepting loss, a need to heal, being stuck in your grief or sadness, not seeing the part you played in a loss or heartbreak

Heartbroken, she falls to her knees, and screams to the Universe for a second chance. Separation can come in many forms. From the loss of a relationship or identity, to the disintegration of belief, purpose, or goals—separation from what we thought we had can mark painful

moments in our lives. If you find yourself amidst wavering realities and losing something that feels near and dear to your heart, know that this too shall pass. This severing, although painful, is a necessary part of the process. Despite all proof to the contrary, your brightly lit future will arrive *because of this experience*. Tie yourself to your light and prepare to spend some time nurturing your tender spirit. These shadowy times are always opportunities to become stronger and more resilient, so give yourself time to heal. And know that you will love, thrive, and find inspiration again soon.

My heart remains
tender and open.



4 of Swords

LIGHT SEER: a time of deep rest, transmutation of shadow, healing from burnout, taking a brief holiday from your reality, renewal, self-love

SHADOW SEER: not recognizing the dangers of burnout, a need to spend time recovering, dedicating your energy to self-care

This deep resting period in your life marks a moment of intentional healing and self-care. More than just integral to your wellness, it is integral to your *being* at this time—body, mind, and spirit. How you heal is your choice, and you can find quiet regeneration through sleep or other

restorative practices like meditation, journaling, energy healing, etc. Consciously decide to slow down and process ... *before* sprinting ahead. The hustle can be tumultuous and demanding, and the only person who can really direct your own radical recovery is you. Tend to your wounds, as you may be on the verge of burnout. Your nest will grow around you as you sleep, and the landscape of your life will shift beautifully as you fall into your own rejuvenating energy. In your dream state, you will transmute and transform your experiences, and emerge renewed, whole, and ready to rise. *But first you must rest. Sweet dreams, sweet chickadee.*

I give myself
permission to slow
down and heal.



5 of Swords

LIGHT SEER: conflict, unfair advantage, experiencing loss, the need to build your skills and your confidence, hollow victories

SHADOW SEER: deceitful strategies and feeling guilty about your win, resentment, a desire for peace, the realization that there are no winners

You may have experienced an unexpected loss that has left you a little bit sore. Sometimes life isn't just isn't fair, and these inequities can drain our energy for much longer than they need to. Often, it's *the fear of failure* that does most of the draining. If you are feeling

outsmarted or out-jousted, remember that one chapter doesn't define you. Wins and losses are both a part of the human experience, and the keys to self-improvement lie dormant inside the difficulties. Boost your consciousness, upgrade your skills, and build on this experience. In shadow, we learn that winning isn't everything, especially when deceit is a part of the strategy. The obsessive desire to *win* can have us stopping at nothing to feel victorious, and in the long run we risk everything we've built along the way. You may find yourself a few steps backward after winning if you are not bringing your integrity to the games.

The lessons move
me ahead, always.



6 of Swords

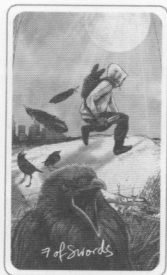
LIGHT SEER: transitions, help arriving at the perfect time, rites of passage, healing, moving beyond trauma or shadows of the past, support from others, personal evolution, a spiritual transition or journey

SHADOW SEER: difficulties accepting help, resistance to change, arduous transitions, carrying baggage and weight from your past

You are moving through a period of realignment, and things can feel turbulent during these times of transition. Trust that a better future awaits you on the other side of this change. Maybe

you're going through a rite of passage or an intense spiritual transformation. These experiences are profoundly personal, and you may feel alone right now. Even when it is difficult to accept assistance from others, remain open to receiving help from the most unexpected of places. Allow the gentle support of the Universe to move you through this ocean of evolution, and lean toward silver linings on the horizon. (*More sunshine? Yes, please!*) Sometimes we find ourselves adrift because we think we are ready to move on, but our heart is still anchored to the past. *What old chapter needs to be closed?* Chase guidance in the form of renewed hope, and get ready to explore fresh beginnings on the opposite shore.

I accept help as
I easily cross
this transition.



7 of Swords

LIGHT SEER: deception or betrayal, taking only what's needed, the Universe bearing witness to true intentions, getting away with something, being strategic, being grateful for the resources you have, moving silently and quickly

SHADOW SEER: lying to yourself or to others, a need for perspective and honesty, secrets, something stolen, taking more than your fair share, being held back by impostor syndrome

Traditionally, this card warns us that we must be on the lookout for deception, thievery, and betrayal. While we can sometimes find ourselves the victim of someone

else's deceit, it's also a nudge to act in alignment with our own highest morality. Be sure you are being honest with yourself about the nature of your reality right now. Sometimes we pretend that everything is okay, or that we are doing the best we can *even when we're not*. Sometimes this shows up as recklessness or as avoidance of responsibilities. Take only what's needed, and remember that no excuse outweighs your ability to act from a place of love and integrity. You cannot deceive your own heart, and the Universe will always bear witness to your truest intentions. For you, alone and vulnerable under the light of the full moon, the only thing that matters is the truth. Move forward with the lightness of conscience to guide you.

I act from a place
of love and morality,
and the Universe
witnesses my
honest intentions.



8 of Swords

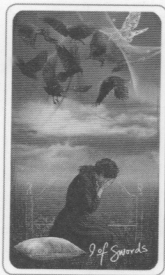
LIGHT SEER: feeling stuck, a time to open your eyes to unveil the truth, having more options than you thought, an opportunity to let go of an old story

SHADOW SEER: being a victim, feeling helpless, using your “stories” or past experiences as excuses to remain shackled

This is a gentle reminder that you create your reality. Look beyond the veil of illusion that your current limitations are projecting. If you are feeling trapped with no path forward, remember that this too is a perspective that can be lifted. When you choose sovereignty

over victimhood, you become the fierce wielder of *choice*. You can free yourself from your shackles and shift your outcome dramatically by accepting that you are the one person who is responsible for your happiness. Create infinite portals of possibility by becoming the solution. *We are never really stuck*. Nurture your soul and spend the time you need to transmute any feelings of helplessness. While we can't control every experience that is put on our path, we can definitely work on how we respond to each one. Let go of old stories, and be vigilant of any wallowing, low-vibe thoughts that you may be holding on to. Reframe your experiences as lessons, and choose to heal.

I am free to
choose my
healing and
my light.



9 of Swords

LIGHT SEER: nightmares, worry, feelings of depression or anxiety, insomnia, fear, an opportunity to find courage, a time to focus on safety and the things that are going well in your life

SHADOW SEER: paranoia, deeply anchored fears, inability to think clearly, inner turmoil, negative self-talk affecting self-esteem, an opportunity to actively begin the healing journey

What's keeping you up at night, sweet seer? This card suggests a time in your life when negative thoughts are gaining momentum, and when you may find yourself expending too much energy

worrying about the future. *Perception is everything*, so don't allow negative self-talk to trip you up! If a pessimistic mindset spirals wildly out of control, it can lead to anxiety, stress, or depression—even when your thoughts carry no truth. Are you *imagining the worst* instead of *activating the best*? Flip your perspective and send nurturing, loving thoughts to your situation to overcome any disturbing thoughts. Look to the light in your situation and notice that even the tiniest window of brightness can keep fear at bay. *Use your light to expose the illusions* and allow worries to dissipate and soften as your bad dreams are illuminated for what they really are.

I see my fears
as the illusions
that they are.



10 of Swords

LIGHT SEER: painful endings, crisis, being stabbed in the back, an opportunity to find deep healing, an opportunity to find hope and resiliency

SHADOW SEER: resisting the inevitable, not wanting to let go of negative emotions, rock bottom, a narrative rooted in lack and helplessness, devastating loss, recovery

This 10 of Swords comes to us in times of blinding truth, when delusion is lifted. Sometimes, the truth is painful because it indicates backstabbing or personal loss. This card can mark an abrupt

end to our current path, and a jarring resolution in the form of a broken relationship, a blocked dream, a fractured partnership, or a discontinued career path. While these endings feel severe in *the moment*, the most potent seeds of hope *are always planted* in their place. Remember that our wounds teach us about our greatest strengths, and illuminate our innate ability to heal. Your dark night of the soul will be met with a beautiful new dawn that is filled with more light than you've ever experienced. Remain open to love and joy as you process this ending, and look to the sunlight that awaits. Watching the sun peek over the horizon is the highest task of a bruised heart.

I am healing
every day.



Page of Swords

LIGHT SEER: restless energy, curiosity, a thirst for information, learning new things, an apprentice or student, intellectual pursuits, ideas and reasoning, a messenger

SHADOW SEER: arrogance, gossip, nervous energy, being all talk and no action, dishonesty

Curious and intelligent, this Page has a thirst for knowledge that seems unquenchable. She's an incredibly quick-witted communicator, and she's often compelled to share her (many!) ideas or messages with others. At times, she's so talkative that it becomes too much

for others to process, and her intense energy can come across as unsettled or even nervous. She suggests using an air of inventiveness in your current pursuit. Your goals will be met by walking a path of honest discovery, especially where others are concerned. Keep the lightbulbs of curiosity turned on, and cultivate a beginner's mind-set as you strive to learn new things! Avoid falling into gossip or even arrogance with your communication—in shadow this Page can be all talk and no action. Remember that everyone who crosses your path has something specific to teach you, and that *mirrors are all around*. Remain open to unexpected lessons, share truthfully, and delight in every interaction.

I learn and I expand
my consciousness,
and open up new
opportunities
for my life.



Knight of Swords

LIGHT SEER: haste, streamlined decision-making, intelligence, wit, determination, saving the day, the pursuit of excellence, ambition, being assertive, success

SHADOW SEER: unfocused and scattered energy, impatience, acting too quickly, the need for a logical solution, feeling held back by frustrating circumstances, stalling, being hard-edged and emotionally unavailable, unpredictability

This Knight has one thing on his mind, and it's running toward his success. He's determined and passionate, articulate and intelligent, and he has an intensity

that is hard to grasp. With the grace and speed of an athlete, he turns on a dime, and since he has no doubt in his sound logic, *he succeeds*. Are you bringing your belief and competitive assertiveness to your situation? How determined are you to accomplish this, and to charge ahead with your quick thinking and strategic decision-making? Strive for excellence *every single day* in order to bring a little of his magic into your life. As with all powerful energies, you may run the risk of being overly forceful or domineering. Be careful not to hurt others with your impatience to win. If you are feeling scattered, distracted, or blocked, spend time organizing your thoughts, and make sure that all your energy is hurtling in the same direction.

I move quickly to
help others and, as
I do, my dream
expands.



Queen of Swords

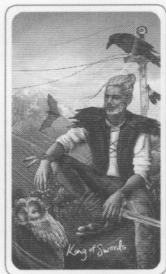
LIGHT SEER: a thought leader, unbiased decision-making, an excellent communicator, wise and logical counsel, integrity and honesty, being perceptive, intelligence, being direct, seeking truth

SHADOW SEER: sharp and sometimes cold communication, strive to use your words wisely and to refrain from being "mean" or "emotional," indifference, a message to use your head more and your heart less, aloofness, bitterness

Highly astute, intellectual, and honest, she watches calmly over her kingdom.

Graceful and logical, her wisdom is framed in truth and proof, and she avoids the gossip or fluff that others may want to hear. She asks you to be honest in your relationships, direct in your speech, and witty if you want to be, but above all to bring your clearheaded, unbiased reasoning to the table. Sometimes this communication style can come across as cold or cutting, so if you are having trouble communicating something that is difficult for another person to hear, know that you can always dip your toe into the Cup of empathy and compassion to help with your delivery. Sharp analysis and careful consideration are always intelligent moves, as is being able to clearly connect with others in a way that is easily accepted and understood. A clear heart and clear mind will allow you to *speak your truth, always.*

I speak with
wisdom and
clarity.



King of Swords

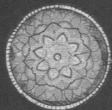
LIGHT SEER: intelligence, logic, rules and law, clear thinking, a strong communicator and leader, truth and proof, blending mental and spiritual pursuits, bravery and courage

SHADOW SEER: manipulation and conceit, showing off your intelligence, can indicate a rigidity in thinking, tendencies to overcontrol, irrationality, being cold and calculating

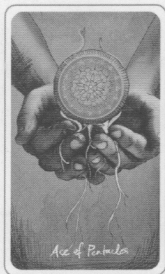
Intelligent and diplomatic, this King leads with facts, rationale, scientific principles, and the logical mind. He has an affinity for rules and thought, and he suggests finding impartial clarity before

you take your next step. Even though he always seeks data and proof, he also knows that blending experience with inventiveness—or blending intelligence with emotional and spiritual energies—allows for well-rounded success. Be courageous in the pursuit of your path, and find your own methodical, confident authority by *knowing* the way rather than just *feeling* the way. In shadow, this card can suggest using knowledge to take advantage of others. With truthful communication, it's time to help others in a way that is honest rather than manipulative. Find wisdom in your experience, and seek to become the success engineer of your life. With confident, clear thinking, you will find your success.

I make intelligent
and wise decisions
about my future.



Pentacles



Ace of Pentacles

LIGHT SEER: the beginning of a new venture or task, new ideas, planting seeds for the future, great potential for success, manifesting power, ambitions, prosperity

SHADOW SEER: the need to create strong foundations to support your dream, risk of financial loss, missed opportunities, the need to prioritize, being overly greedy and missing the bigger picture

Freshly rooted beginnings! This Ace is a powerhouse of possibility and reveals the materialization of earthly ambitions and *all the wonderful things*. When you

seed your future by planting your very first intentions, things feel so exciting, raw, and *possible*, don't they? Hold on to those feelings of optimism and success, for the new start that you are welcoming to your life right now has incredible potential to thrive. Your Ace initiates a timeline where your future wealth, health, and material abundance are ushered in. By figuring out your soil conditions, your watering schedule, and the needs of this unique seed, you will be able to see it through to fruition. Bring your determination and dedication, and see your abundance spring to life in the form of successful outcomes, material and financial wins, and soul-satisfying well-being. With this wonderful message for good things to come, it's time to *visualize, attract, prioritize, and act*.

I plant my goals
with intention,
direct focus,
and faith.



2 of Pentacles

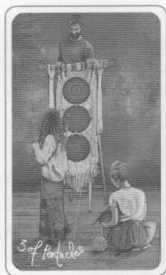
LIGHT SEER: a need to balance many aspects of self, juggling obligations, equilibrium, seeking harmony

SHADOW SEER: being out of balance, disharmony, committing to too many things, a need to prioritize, a time to slow down

With all those roles and responsibilities that you've been juggling, you may be feeling a little imbalanced. *Busy much?* Maybe your calendar is totally overbooked, and you're feeling the stress of being stretched in too many directions. You may be feeling the need to better

balance dualities or opposing aspects of your life (your time alone vs. your time with others, or your material life vs. your spiritual life, etc.). Make sure you aren't investing too many resources in one area at the expense of another, especially when both are equally as important. Even though this card suggests that you're likely *able* to manage it all, do you desire this much juggling? Put some of your precious energy into creating a balance that you absolutely love—one that will allow you time to work, play, love, and create. This equilibrium will not take *from* your reserves of energy, but will add *to* it.

I create an
equilibrium in
my life that
allows me to be
my best self.



3 of Pentacles

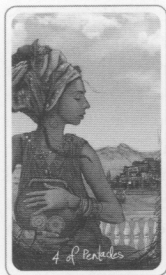
LIGHT SEER: cooperation, community, teaching and learning, sharing and listening, teamwork, there is no limit to what you can manifest together

SHADOW SEER: difficulty working with others, a need to listen, selfishness, pushing your own agenda, not trusting your partner's ability, ego clash

Working with others gifts us with the opportunity to learn from one another and to blend energies to create something totally new. Look for conscious collaborators—as mentors, apprentices, or both! Co-creating together *for the good of the*

whole is powerful magic, and this teamwork and community card calls you forth to add your unique essence to the bigger picture. *Remember that your relationships are the base of your well-being.* If you are having trouble with others, seek to align goals in order to cultivate peaceful unions. Mutually beneficial relationships place equal importance on each person's novel wisdom and way of being in the world, regardless of the relational hierarchy. *Everyone has something uniquely enchanting to bring to the table.* When life paths are entwined, strive to create harmonic states as you weave your way in and out of one another's days. Welcome people into your heart, and open doors of possibility that didn't exist before.

I step into the
vibration of
conscious
collaboration.



4 of Pentacles

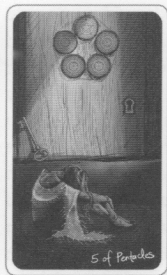
LIGHT SEER: stability, savings, success, generosity, accepting your worth, being in flow with the Universe, feelings of gratitude, helping others in times of need

SHADOW SEER: hoarding, coveting, lack mentality, placing too much value on money, a need to be more charitable

You're building your life coin by coin, and you've reached a moment of stability. Getting here signifies an interval when you can rest, reevaluate, and take stock. Likely, you are being reminded to double-check those foundations and to save

some money for a rainy day. How do you feel about your finances? Continue toward your goal without overfocusing on your *possessions* and let go of any jealousy derived from another person's position in life. Negative feelings around abundance will breed energy blockages big enough to hold back even the most magical of trajectories! The tighter you try to hold on to *things*, the more you block yourself from stepping into the flow of wealth and happiness. If a scarcity mind-set is haunting your actions, ask yourself if you are looking down on others based on how much money they have, or don't have. Actively save *and* give in the world, and focus on feeling excited and expansive.

I live an abundant
life and I have
more than I need.



5 of Pentacles

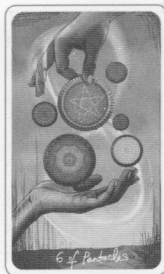
LIGHT SEER: financial or health difficulties, feeling left out or ostracized, worrying about your security, a chance to clear energy blockages

SHADOW SEER: scarcity mindset, feeling helpless, victimhood, inability to move ahead, fear and isolation, resistance to positivity, feelings of low self-worth that keep you from participating in prosperity, a light at the end of the tunnel

It's time to squarely address any feelings about safety and security that have you worried about your well-being. Are

you stressed about your finances or health, or feeling left out from the prosperity that others seem to enjoy? To counteract these corrosive energetic states, you are being asked to reclaim your personal power. Find your hunger for fierce positivity, and seek opportunity in your current circumstance. *It's hiding in the shadows.* If you've been stagnant for a hot minute, ask yourself if you've been laser-focused on the things that are lacking in your life. If fear, self-pity, or helplessness try to dictate your reality, flip the script and remember that against all odds, all oppression, all class barriers, all *everything . . . there is always a choice to move beyond your current limitations.* Make the absolute best of your luminous life—you are not locked out from that which you desire. See the keys that will help you get there, *and choose to open the door.*

Doors that activate
magical opportunities
are always opening
for me.



6 of Pentacles

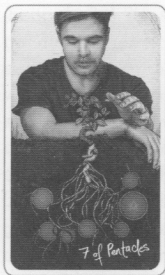
LIGHT SEER: two-way abundance (giving and receiving), being charitable, a positive and generous mind-set, advancement, awakening, inflow, help coming from others

SHADOW SEER: one-way flow of abundance (over-giving or over-receiving), hoarding and holding on to what you have, choosing not to help, being uncharitable, selfishness, ulterior motives, inability to accept help

Being open to give to others and to receive from others are states that we must all cultivate. This card asks you to experience these consciously. How does

helping others make you feel? *It feels good, right?* Abundant? Heart-centered? Gifting your time, money, or energy to someone else will open up the floodgates of new resources coming your way. Be generous with everything you have learned, and remain conscious of the flow of abundance from the Universe. Consider these sacred dualities: learning and teaching. Receiving and giving. Accepting and offering. Open your heart to this *sacred* balance of energy, and fill in any gaps you have around scarcity and abundance. It will imbue your life with compassion and generosity, and usher in new states of prosperity. Donating your energetic resources to help others will be life-changing for those in need. Choose a cause that moves your soul, and watch your feelings of prosperity shift.

I show gratitude
for my life through
generosity and
compassion.



7 of Pentacles

LIGHT SEER: a pause, states of gratitude, reflecting on your journey, waiting to harvest the fruits of your labor, a sign to keep going

SHADOW SEER: giving up too early, impatience, losing faith, not following through, frustration with rewards

You're almost there! You've been doing the work and your wildly successful roots are growing. You may not see the fruits of your labor yet. Know that they exist, and that any lack you are feeling is simply residual energy that's being worked through. It's time to fall into faith,

and to pause and give thanks. Realize that you are the living, breathing result of all your memories, hopes, and hard work. *Keep going.* This moment gives you a divine interlude to revisit your purpose and direction—your arrival is possible only *after* you pinpoint the destination. Has your journey shifted so much that what you originally germinated is not the thing you desire to harvest? What needs to change to satisfy your deepest intentions? If you are feeling any frustration or lack of progress, remember that giant dreams are not built in a day! Take a moment to breathe and reflect as these profound sacred breaths can reinvigorate and realign.

As I give thanks for what I am about to harvest, I know that my life is headed in the right direction.



8 of Pentacles

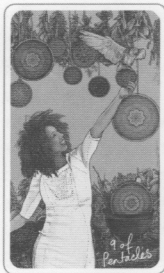
LIGHT SEER: mastering a skill, an expert, craftsmanship, the *meraki* that you put into your work, methodical progress, patience and determination, soul-purpose

SHADOW SEER: seeking shortcuts to your detriment, burning out or giving up, sporadic output, inexperience

Patience and determination are the best ways to ensure your success. Mastering this skill takes time and perseverance, and shortcuts are not the best path forward as you build your experience. Remain dedicated to excellence and to

developing your unique form. Study, practice, improve, and *thrive*. Put your *meraki* (your love, your soul, and your energetic essence) into your work, and *bring it in* a consistent, methodical way. Perfect your craft and imbue joy into the repetitive things that you find yourself doing. Find flow in the details, *no matter what it is that you find yourself dedicated to*. If you know it's time to move on to something more inspiring, find your plan to do so. Consistent action is called for, and often we feel blocked right before we expand into new levels. *It's okay to be imperfect as you learn*. As you become the master, find joy in self-improvement to help you get there.

With loving
determination, I
persevere, and
I become the
person I long to be.



9 of Pentacles

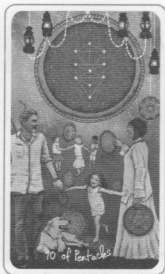
LIGHT SEER: spiritual and material satisfaction, personal achievement, inner peace, milestones met and celebrated, the energy of a successful harvest, contentment

SHADOW SEER: a need to evaluate your relationship with work, can indicate material success while feeling alone, a workaholic, the realization that money alone will never be enough, financial delays, the pressure to appear more successful than you are

You know those moments when everything feels a little bit brighter? You

are reaching one of those moments—a culmination of hard work and desire—when you will be stepping into your manifested hopes. These moments of spiritual and material bliss are highly personal and serve as funnels of glowing success. Look for this feeling as it surges into your heart, and use its power to move mountains, spread love, and enjoy your harvest. Go ahead and bask—you deserve it! Spending some time alone will help you to process your progress. Then celebrate! In shadow, this card suggests that you may be working too hard and not seeing enough in return. Examine feelings of self-worth and look at your energy balances *in* and *out*. The rewards *must* always equal your energy expenditure, and if you sense an imbalance, then it's time to make amends. The harmony and harvest you seek are in front of you now.

I enjoy the bliss
and abundance
that I have sown.



10 of Pentacles

LIGHT SEER: spiritual and material abundance, community, generosity, wealth and prosperity, building a legacy

SHADOW SEER: chasing luxury and status, financial loss, negative energy around wealth

Oh baby, this is the big one! All the love, abundance, and joy that you can muster in your heart: it's coming your way and it's coming fast! It's time to prepare for its inevitable arrival and to commit to your long-term success. This energy is so big, in fact, that you should be prepared

to spread some of it around generously. Bring an abundance of positive energy into your life and watch everything shift.

Expect the arrival of success, happiness, and an upbeat and loving community as avenues widen and the right connections click into place. *Remember that perceptions change.* You are one small move away from seeing the bigger picture and from unearthing a legacy of Pentacles *that is already yours.* You deserve this success and love. Taste the pleasures of life, and embody a state of consciousness that says *yes, I am worthy of all of this success.*

I am successful
and I share my
wealth with
those I love.



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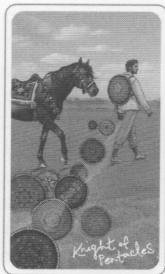
LIGHT SEER: manifesting new opportunities, beginnings, good news, ambitions, skills and training, financial opportunities, new career paths, new connections, exploration stage, a beginner, earth magick, making plans a reality

SHADOW SEER: being noncommittal, lack of progress, learning from past mistakes, procrastinating, not bringing plans down to earth

She holds her mandala with a curious heart, and roots into the bedrock to begin understanding the manifesting essence that we all hold. (Remember when you

thought you could be an astronaut? Go ahead and ground that energy before it dissipates!) We activate practical magic with our hopes, and we pull energy up from the earth to bring it to form. Progress happens one life-stage at a time, and you must anchor into the details *while simultaneously* keeping your head in the clouds to dream. There may be pieces that still need to fall into alignment, but that doesn't mean that they aren't going to arrive! You're in the perfect place to figure out how to make your prosperity a reality. Seek confidence and dependability, and remember that you hold this power no matter where you stand today. New perspectives and upgrades of consciousness are on the way, so use your plans for *the future* and expedite its arrival.

I can be practical
and realistic and
still run ahead to
meet my dreams!



Knight of Pentacles

LIGHT SEER: diligence and hard work, determination, steadfastness, building material security, safety, being pragmatic, expansion

SHADOW SEER: focusing solely on wealth, workaholic tendencies, being selfish or cold, laziness, taking harmful shortcuts, stagnation or feeling stuck, being overly conventional

He's toiling and tilling his lands, and enjoying every minute of it. More practical than the other Knights, he improves things for himself (and for those he loves) with his steadfast and consistent momentum. Devoted

to solidifying foundations, he assures you that *extra care today will multiply your harvest tomorrow*. It's time to show fierce loyalty, pride, and trustworthiness—and to tend to your home while uncovering your unwavering ambitions for the future! Sometimes this energy is so stable that it feels repetitive, so if you are feeling resistance or if you'd *kinda prefer to stay in bed*, find the joy in your progress. *The journey is the thing*. Uncover heart-stirring enthusiasm by allowing yourself to believe in something brighter. This is a card of infinite expansion, and with time and faith, your seeds will take. Follow through on your plans and promises, and move any stagnant energy that's blocking you from your dreams.

Seed by seed I
plant my future
with my rock-steady
foundations of faith.



Queen of Pentacles

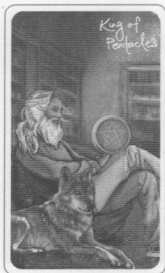
LIGHT SEER: a healer, a working parent, a self-made person, material wealth and abundance, strength in family and community, a kind and nurturing heart, groundedness, being down-to-earth, generosity

SHADOW SEER: financial stress, being self-absorbed, smothering others, helicopter parenting, overindulgence, work-home imbalances, materialism

This self-made Queen reminds you to step into abundance by shifting any shadows you are holding on to around wealth and security. *You are safe.* Pay attention to

your finances to level-up your money game, and give yourself permission to rise into the upper ranks. This is a positive message of creature comforts and happiness, and this earthly medicine ushers in a life well lived in the material world. Connect with nature to find your calm, healing, and rooted power, and harness the abundance that's available to you by bringing *groundedness* to your situation. Shower others with warm blessings from a charitable heart, as loyalty, family, and community are themes at this time. Your nurturing and down-to-earth approach will gift stability and support to those in your life. Don't overextend your energy, and avoid enabling others by over-mothering them. They must learn to walk on their own. Bring your self-worth and guidance, and your *glorious, powerful love*.

I enjoy my deeply connected life and I lead it with an outpouring of warmth, abundance, and love.



King of Pentacles

LIGHT SEER: overflowing material abundance, patience and determination, a confident and warm leader, providing for others, comfort and security, personal growth, goals reached, prosperity and success

SHADOW SEER: obsessing over riches, seeking status, greed, a need to balance the material with the spiritual

Exuding warmth, The King of Pentacles welcomes you into his study for a heartfelt conversation about life. He's worked his fields, met his soulmate, found wealth, and now he looks out over his

dream manifested as he offers you one of the tarot's most potent messages of forthcoming abundance and prosperity. The most important thing to be done is to enjoy it all, sweet seer. Enjoy every lesson, challenge, failure, and success. He reminds you to get clear on where you want to be—to plan and envision. There is manifesting power in the longing, and so much joyful expansion as you bring your greatest potential into existence. Happiness happens when you do better than the last time, and in the pursuit of personal growth allow yourself the extravagance of desire. The rest is a consequence of faith, steady habits, and the courage to cultivate enormous dreams. Dream your biggest light to life.

I dream my endless
potential into
existence with
steady desire and
effort.

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