Bev Murray forecasts the year ahead: 2007

In general:

While 2006 presented as quite a stressful and soul searching year for many, with Jupiter residing in Scorpio, the year 2007 should offer us a socially active time with much learning and expanding of horizons, with Jupiter now firmly in Sagittarius. On the world scene we can expect some earth movements or other natural disasters around January, May and October and especially in the region of Japan around March. There could also be a few revelations coming to light about the 9/11 attack, around the anniversary of that event. Scandals in political arenas are likely as well. December 2007 looks like a culminating time where powerful countries might feel the need to 'prove' themselves. January 13th is likely to be an explosive day!

For all of us ordinary folk however, the year ahead is still about our dreams and hopes and loves. This year we will feel more able to reach for these in a tangible way! Following is a general look at the 12 astrological signs and their journey in 2007, it is wise to remember however that these are general trends and that for a more precise reading an individual and entirely unique chart is best!

Aries

With Saturn retrograde at the start of 2007 most Arians will feel a tad more introspective than is usual for this sign. When Saturn turns direct in mid April, much can be achieved on the material front and you will feel more creative and expansive about your life goals. From this time until mid September Arians can expect to get a great deal of fun and enjoyment out of life. From late September until early 2009, your focus will be on responsibilities and taking care of health, family, routine activities and career progress. Long-term goals will be planned and should be within reach. Hard work and learning new skills will all be a part of this but you will revel in it! Finances should be on the up and up throughout 2007. The patch between April and August may be slow financially but the foundations for more advancement and reward are being laid. By the end of the year Aries folk should find themselves in a more stable and abundant financial position.

Taurus

Relationships with others, how you interact with them, your responsibilities towards them and what they really mean to you are all part of your inner growth activity in 2007! Group activity, institutions and large organizations all figure prominently. March to July focuses strongly on intimate personal relationships and the energy is all-good! Any problems that may have surfaced there in 2006 can now be ironed out nicely! Neptune is sitting in your house of career interests during 2007 and this can make things a little shady. It is wise to look before leaping into anything related to business or career. There are a great many gifts offered to Taureans in 2007, gifts of growth and learning and in all probability inheritances or other unexpected windfalls. Investments can really pay out well and any joint endeavours are especially favoured! Health wise it is wise to keep an eye on your tendency to overindulge! Try focusing on a healthy diet!

Gemini

2006 was probably quite an intense year for you guys with a focus on work and career. All things being at their best you should have a solid foundation from which to enter into a 2007 of expanded horizons and relationship issues. Professional and personal relationships will be the key issues of 2007 and a good deal of you may find that these two areas will overlap more than you feel comfortable with! Commitment can be asked of Gemini during 2007, not an area that is naturally easy for you. Those Geminis that are not in a stable relationship now will more than likely be committed to someone by the end of the year! Siblings can require more attention than usual this year and you need to watch how hard you come down on them! If you are not careful they will claim retribution sooner or later! Not everyone is trustworthy when it comes to money and you would be wise to avoid lending to anyone in 2007, even close friends!

Cancer

Career is experiencing some very positive energy from Jupiter in 2007 and you will be aware of this as early as January 2007. Great rewards come from helping others and taking on a more organisational role. Finances can be slow to improve, but they will and after Saturn returns to direct motion in mid-April you will see some pleasing results. Anything to do with travel, different cultures and foreigners is highly favoured for you guys in 2007. Unexpected and at times startling events are also a feature of your year ahead, with lots of Uranus activity in your 9th house. It is a good year to focus on investments and beginning new projects. Health is looking really good in 2007, and avoiding extremes of any kind just supports this. Finally you can relax and feel as though your life is going in the direction you would like it to! Just be careful not to be too critical where relationships are concerned.

Leo

On the whole this will be an easier year than last, but hard work and lots of it is still on the agenda! The foundations you laid in 2006 are ready to be expanded upon in 2007 and a sense of excitement and positivity remains throughout the year. Travel and some major learning is also very much on the cards. August will to be your most intense month with an emphasis on shared resources. The learning curve this year is about selfrespect and understanding your true worth! Anything to do with children will be creatively satisfying during 2007 and the difficulties you may have faced with family and friends will be smoothed over. In the area of finances it is wise to avoid gambling and speculative interests in 2007. Changes will occur in your partner's income for those of you that are in a stable relationship and this will most often be for the better. December 23rd and 24th 2007 should be very lucky for you, due to a lovely connection of the Sun and Jupiter.

Virgo

2007 Focuses on family and home life. This is a great opportunity to make these areas more secure and stable. For many of you it may entail getting used to some changes in these areas and a loved one may require more freedom than before. Go with it you will

be surprised at the result. Major shifts in relationship dynamics are on the cards in any case. Changes in residence or building and renovating are also on the cards for Virgo. If it is a change of residence the best times for moving are between early August and late September 2007. When Saturn moves into your sign in September 2007 you will need to pay particular attention to responsibilities and obligations. Saturn asks you to honour these or pay the price. This is active for two years so it is wise to keep it in mind. There is good deal of energy and enthusiasm available in 2007 and much can be achieved if you pay attention to details and the needs of those around you.

Libra

Librans can look forward to a very active 2007. Communication and spreading the word in your chosen field are highlighted. It is a perfect time for networking and expanding your list of associates. There are changes in the work area and innovative approaches that will have you experimenting along the way. New opportunities should be acted upon quickly. January is great for romance with Venus sitting pretty in you 5th House. Travel of all kinds especially overseas travel between April and May is possible. Financially 2007 is a wonderful time filled with opportunities to increase your abundance. This is the time of harvesting your past efforts and investments. Late 2007 is all about finding a quiet space to relax and reflect. This influence is operative for the next two years and adds energy to all psychic or mystic endeavours. Developing your skills and honouring your innate gifts is important. Be proud of yourself.

Scorpio

If you keep to a sense of purpose and maintain a solid focus you can achieve amazing results and prosperity in 2007. Making hasty decisions or taking professional short cuts is not favorable so it is important to see your obligations through and give all movement some thought before taking action. March through to May is the optimum period for these results and can present career opportunities to you! September should pay significant dividends in all areas of your life. A mentor will be supportive to your goals and listening to the wise advice of someone older will pay off. January until June 2007 is the best time for romance and relationship issues. You will seek out those who are eccentric or unusual in some way. Your mother may figure prominently in your life for one reason or another and she may need your support more than usual. Overall it is a year of reward, accomplishment and praise.

Sagittarius

There is change on the home scene, opportunity at work and in the financial arena and travel and learning to keep you busy in 2007. The only thing you need to keep an eye on is your gung-ho attitude! You can easily over commit or bite off more than you can chew in 2007! Yes the opportunities are out there, but they do not all need to be embraced at once! After September Saturn enters your career sector for the next two years and all that you do prior to this is really just the laying of foundations. Choose wisely! You are gearing up to assume a position of power. Communication can be unclear at times

especially on your part. You are advised to be extra clear when communicating to those close, especially family and loved ones. Money may be a little tight at the start of the New Year but it will get better day by day! Things should be excellent by December 2007. Your best day all year is probably December 23rd.

Capricorn

This is a bit of an anti-social year for you guys. You seem to get most enjoyment out of solitary activity. Creativity and anything of an arty nature are highly favoured and should be pursued actively. This will help you to forge a softer approach with your daily responsibilities, which will go down well with others. Financial stress is relieved somewhat in 2007 and particularly in September. Balance and harmony is the key to all things and very much your theme for the year. The solar eclipse of March 2007 will bring something to light that has been hidden and this is very likely going to have something to do with family. Sudden and unexpected changes in relationships with relatives are likely particularly with brothers or sisters. Interesting and unusual individuals will turn up <mark>and you wi</mark>ll learn a goo<mark>d deal from</mark> them. Be careful not to be deceived where money is concerned in any way.

Aquarius

You have already experienced quite a few changes in 2006 but these have been stressful. Change figures again in 2007, but with a more light-hearted edge! Others will expect more of you in the New Year and you could be called upon to assume more responsibility or fulfill a leadership roll. Finances remain pretty much the same but towards the year's end it could seem as though your usual avenues for breathing are blocked. It is not a favourable time for taking out loans or similar. Comfortable financial routines could be shaken up a little. Mercury retrograde in your financial sector during February and March can make forward progress slow. Health can require your attention a little and a regular pattern of good food and exercise will make a big difference in your better interests. An expansion of consciousness requires that you find time for activities like Yoga, meditation and inner work.

Pisces

Career and reputation come under the spotlight in 2007. Relying on instinct and intuition will serve you well but you will require a sense of focus and determination to make things really happen! If you are offered overseas work or the opportunity to travel, take it as the results will be very worthwhile. March can be an emotionally charged time especially where relationships are concerned. The interesting thing about 2007 is that you are finally working at developing and understanding of self. In fact the best relationship work you will do is with your relationship to self! In December of 2007 a long held dream might actually appear to be coming true! This will take you into a much more stable 2008 and be the start of your true positive phase. Anything unexpected should be embraced with a smile in 2007 as the results will be pleasing and the only blocks will come from you. Go with the flow actively!



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