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## Introduction

What do I want to be when I grow up? This childhood question is now being considered by people from fifteen to fifty. The number of jobs available is not the main problem. The difficulties come from two areas: first, the vocational possibilities are rapidly changing. Second, many of us are considering our second or even third career because our original choice is becoming obsolete, or makes demands upon us that we could not have anticipated, or is losing prestige, or no longer pays well enough, or has become so mechanized as to bore us to automated tears. In short, we want more.

This report describes your vocational aptitudes from the astrological perspective so that they can be matched in the career marketplace. While the jobs themselves are everchanging, personality is founded on a solid base upon which to pivot. Self-understanding can supply the physical, emotional, mental and spiritual clues to your best line of work. Then you can determine how to apply your strongest capabilities to the career field you find most attractive.

The best career is one that allows you to use your natural talents and skills. Astrologers use a number of considerations to determine the energies that are strongest and most beneficial in your chart, identifying the type of activities that will be most likely to achieve career success. Sometimes your latent abilities will require training to develop into appropriate occupational skills. Also, you may have talents that serve your avocation - your hobby - better than your career. In this report we will consider a number of possibilities so you can get a sense of which talents are most beneficial in terms of career, and how to develop and use them.

#### Your Ascendant or Rising Sign

Let's begin with a description of your Ascendant or rising sign. Here you find your natural expression in the world - the way you present yourself to the world and the way others see you.

You are not especially suited to hard physical work, but rather to social situations where grace and manners are necessary. You could be comfortable in the entertainment industry because you have the knack of fitting in while at the same time accomplishing your desired goals. You will be involved with products and services that enhance people's lives and are pleasing, rather than products which constitute necessities. Thus you are not the Levi's type, unless you design new styles. Rather you design and make clothing or accessories that dress up your clientele. This talent, of course, is not limited to clothing, but can include jewelry, interior design, etc. You may find a niche in the arts. You know what is inspirational and can either produce it, sell it, or create a mood with it. Somewhat conservative yourself, you can speak to that quality in your clients and work associates. You appreciate the material benefits you find in your career. You also have a concrete sense of how to inspire this quality for others. You are able to identify and enhance the

industrious skills of others, and therefore would be a good manager or supervisor. Endurance may be a factor in your career as well. You are able to make a sustained, economical effort in your work, and expect that of your co-workers.

Now take these initial impressions forward with you as you read the rest of this report. You will come to see if and how these general characteristics fit into the overall picture of your vocational possibilities. As you read, you may find apparent contradictions. This happens because we are complex beings with many interests and abilities. This report presents some of your many choices along the path to vocational success and satisfaction.

# **Your Creative Touch**

Human creativity falls into three principal arenas: creation (the making of things), recreation (the entertaining side of life), and procreation (the creation of the future). Everyone actively engages in all three creative processes, and we often confuse the feelings of one for another. The term "recreational sex" captures the sense of confusion. Some of us work really hard to get "good sex". Some of us feel sex serves only one purpose, that of procreation. Some of us find the deepest spiritual meaning of life in sexual union. To confuse such deeply meaningful matters with mere recreation can be a problem. In terms of career, creativity plays a big role, but typically sexual involvement in the workplace only serves to establish barriers to the free flow of ideas. To gain better understanding of the inner creative urge in its multiplicity of expression is to gain a leg up on the career issues that can lead us to money and fame without also finding inner satisfaction in the work itself.

You have the will to create and the stamina to see a process through to completion. You are self-reliant. Your urge for offspring can focus on children, or it can be directed toward some other manifestation in the material world. You thrive on the process of bringing ideas to fulfillment, on the heat of production, if you will. You want assurance that your works will survive you in some way. Your creative heat is like the oven that bakes the bread or hardens the pottery. You recognize that creativity takes a certain amount of time and cannot be rushed. You take the greatest pleasure from the pregnant process of development, whatever the line of work you pursue.

You may find that at some point your creative focus is modified to include a somewhat different mode of expression that has the following characteristics:

Your creative strength lies in the ability to analyze situations and see beyond the obvious. You are able to accumulate data from sources that others may overlook, digging deep into the meat of a problem. You are the ultimate systems analyst, whatever the system may be. You can test the end product, finding pleasure in discovering its best qualities as well as its correctable faults. Others may have had the idea to produce diamonds from coal; you are the one who can see and measure the results in detail,

thriving on the final process of refinement into true gems.

Many people find that the creative urge seeks to apply itself in a particular area of life that may have very little to do with career. By the same token, the creative voice can dictate the path of vocation, if it is either strong enough or consistent with the overall vocational choices. It helps to understand what part of the creative process most pleases you, what feelings and activities you consider to be most creative.

While the approval of others is nice, it is self-approval that you ultimately need. You are able to carry off the dignity required in stressful situations. Your fearlessness can get you into tight situations, but is a valuable career asset most of the time.

It also helps to be aware of how you can use your creativity to the best advantage.

You can be quite happy working at home amid familiar surroundings. Some of your best ideas appear while you have your feet up relaxing in your own easy chair. Your creativity may seem like it came from your parents' generation - it's that solid.

Who do you most like to play with when you are being creative? You may think this an odd question where career is concerned, but it strikes at the heart of the career game. If you surround yourself with people who share your creative interests, you will fulfill your inner urge more directly and completely. Just as children work hard at their games, you can play hard at work and thus enjoy this part of your life that takes up the bulk of your waking hours.

Generally you find that your creative impulse comes out in connection with other aspects of your life, and you may not think of yourself as being especially creative. Your energies are not focused on the creative act itself, but on people and activities that require creative effort on your part.

You can develop a sense of the importance of creativity to your work, and also what factors affect your creative expression, by considering how you seek creative interplay with others and with the world.

You feel the beauty of your environment as though it were a living thing. For you, moderation can be difficult yet rewarding. Inner tension drains your vitality; find outlets for your emotions, such as exercise. The constructive qualities of firmness, modesty and determination develop only after the beginning of a new cycle in which difficult struggles and delicate health are overcome. Sudden changes bring new circumstances into your life. You have a progressive mind which can manage such changes. Your intuition emerges under stress in order to guide you. You are far more sensitive to your environment than most people. Without careful attention to your choices, you make emphasize weaknesses in your physical body. Increased psychic awareness helps you make the most of your possibilities. Striving for power is the strongest indicator of transitions in your life. You will experience remarkable advancement, as well as dramatic health changes, both for the better and for the worse. You have both the positive and less constructive qualities of leadership at your disposal. The typical results of your creative forays have the following characteristics:

Current shifts in your creative pattern may be indications of a refinement of your

activities to suit the daemon or inner voice. Your awareness of that voice is subject to changes that can have sweeping effects on your career path.

#### **Recent Influences**

Be definite. Be firm. Determination can get you through a slow period. Pay attention to the people you meet in work situations at this time, as they can be instrumental in your own career advancement.

Dissatisfied with current conditions, you strive to make changes, with mixed results.

# **Current and Future Trends for the Coming Year**

This is not a good time to overindulge in food and drink. Nor should you gamble in terms of your career just now. Awareness of your own leadership qualities provides you with the fuel for a career move that leads to a stronger position.

You may find yourself involved in some mystical, fantasy experience that changes your awareness of career or work issues.

#### **Creativity and Career**

You may be wondering how creativity affects your career. Perhaps you don't feel that the work you do is very creative, or perhaps you have creative pursuits that are not part of how you earn money. Creativity is the expression of an ideal that we each find within ourselves. We each have a unique inner essence that deserves to be polished and re-fined in our individual ways. This essence can be expressed through vocation, and indeed it is a force that pushes us toward the most fulfilling career fields. Many factors combine to produce the best vocational choice. Multiple abilities may combine in a profession not usually associated with the individual qualities you possess.

#### Where You Have the Best Advantage

In the world of vocation certain energies work to your best advantage.

Your creative capacity lies in the ability to identify what is. First you can be yourself. Then you can exercise creative discrimination in the world around you. Thirdly, you have the creative ability to lead, to assume your full authority. And finally you will exercise the will to integrate, the ultimate expression of your grounded physical experience. A key word for your creative process is TO MATERIALIZE. Traits you may find useful in your career include a solidly grounded approach to life, a sense of place in the world, a sense of practical limitations, attention to physical needs, focus of vision and reliance on what "works". At best you don't let vocational considerations dominate your life, but address issues of practicality with creative awareness.

These may not be your greatest strengths, yet they work better for you in the work environment, they help you to achieve greater career success and fame, and they may even be essential for financial remuneration. For some people, the things that work where vocation is concerned are very different from what work in relationships or other areas of life.

### **Your Most Likely Mode of Expression**

Your expression in the world tends to be even-handed in most situations. You are comfortable with a wide variety of people and have eclectic interests that allow you to feel at ease in formal, casual, social or work environments. You are able to balance a number of tasks simultaneously, and this capacity may serve you in supervisory and management positions. Because you keep an open mind to the many possibilities, you are often able to find alternative solutions and rank them according to their likely level of effectiveness.

You generally prefer to take the initiative in any situation, choosing action over other considerations. Your initial enthusiasm is often what gets the ball rolling, and you can be counted on to move forward with projects. You can be impatient. You are dependable in your work, capable of persisting through to completion with assigned tasks. You are able to recall details and accumulate the information you need for your work. You can be rather stubborn. You may have trouble adapting to conditions as they arise, learning how to manage and attend to details. You tend to make decisions a bit too quickly, without considering all the angles.

#### **How You Work Best**

Each of us has to work within the framework of our personal traits and habits. Life is not so much about changing those habits as it is about choosing to emphasize one set of behaviors over another. Through this process character is revealed. If we changed our behaviors all the time, we would never settle into the strength of character that we need. Generally, when we desire to change ourselves, we aim to change how we understand and work with our inner being, how we can come to accept that being. This section of the report considers how you operate in the world, and thus how you tend to function in the work environment.

#### Your Strongest Psychological Tendency

The Sun is indicative of your primary psychological type. Psychology and astrology both suggest that each individual has a basic style in interacting with the world. The Sun sign indicates the more conscious portion of your style. Individuals do not necessarily conform to this in their outer expression, but it nevertheless is consistent with the underlying approach to life. With the Sun in Leo, you are primarily the Intuitive type.

Intuitive types listen to their unconscious sources of information, eschewing normal perception. In fact, they are often largely unaware of what is around them in the material world. These people are the inventors, the artists, the forward thinkers because they can see the possibilities of an idea, often before the means of developing it are apparent. Therefore they pursue what they know the world is not yet prepared for. Intuitives jump to conclusions, yes, but not necessarily without the intermediate steps. They either go through those steps at light speed by sizing up an underlying principle or simply recognize an inevitable match of an idea's potential with their own desires. You fit into the educational system rather well, as many high school and college courses make use of the deductive skills intuitives share with the thinking type. You may respond well to the timed testing that is prevalent today. You can master the complexities of mathematics

because you can grasp the results without having to ground your learning in some physical way. Intuitives contribute through their inventiveness. You are generally willing to sacrifice the pleasure of the moment in the hope of greater future achievement. You are also restless and crave inspiration. Because you thrive in situations where getting to the answer is important, you are good at problem-solving and tasks that require ingenuity. Careers in the creative arts, religious inspiration and scientific discovery all suit the intuitive type. You can become an inspired leader or promoter. For you the game is more important than winning, the chase more interesting than the end result.

# **Your Unconscious Interactive Style**

The Moon indicates the less conscious component of your interactive style. It shows what skills and talents can be brought to bear when your usual approach is not effective, and as such it indicates your own internal support system. With the Moon in Capricorn, your secondary function is the Sensation type.

Sensation types are primarily interested in practical considerations of the world. They will look at the actualities - facts first. They depend on their five normal senses for perception. They wish to have the experience, not hear about it from others. Sensation types learn by doing, so the learning process may be slower. To be satisfied, they need to go over things carefully. They are not less intelligent because they go slower - they are more careful. When given the time to assimilate information, the sensation type may remember it longer and understand the practical uses in more detail. Studying the theory of engineering may be difficult for the sensation type, but the application is their forte. You demand satisfaction all along the way, and will not select occupations that are without positive feedback. You are a healthy consumer, loving life and what it has to offer on the material level and you are best in careers involving real "stuff". You would be a good real estate person, interior decorator, or chef. You enjoy working with your hands and can make this part of the vocation or at least an avocation. You would be a good doctor or health care professional. Any career that requires attention to and intimate understanding of the details is suited to the sensation type.

#### What You Show the World and What You Know About Yourself

If you are aware of how other people see you, you have a distinct career advantage. Such awareness provides a tremendous opportunity to present yourself in the best light possible. You may have a rather different persona in the work place than you have anywhere else because different traits are expected by your co-workers. You therefore can choose to display those personality characteristics that suit your work situation the best.

Your natural direction where individuality is concerned is to proceed on a spontaneous basis and to seek immediate intuitive solutions to problems.

You support your natural intuitive understanding with a sensitivity to the facts as they present themselves. You are generally firm in your position and consistent in your work. You have a sense of duty which makes you a reliable employee or co-worker.

Your personality naturally tends to exhibit feelings of security and practicality. There

is a reserve, even caution, in your career decisions. You tend to be thorough in your work. Purposefulness shows in your actions. Egotism and a desire for pleasure can sometimes interfere with otherwise sound work practices.

The qualities you most easily recognize in yourself are self-confidence in almost every area, as well as the capacity to concentrate on the work at hand. Hence you have the likelihood of great career success. You set high goals and have the ambition to reach them. You gain self-awareness and confidence by sticking with projects to the end. You think of yourself as an ordinary person and wonder why others can't keep up. You recognize the real risks that arise in your career moves. Underneath the outer activity you have a deep spiritual awareness. Resistance within yourself is perceived as a barrier to be overcome. You respond to problems in a very practical basis and may need to cultivate the long view.

Sometimes it seems that other people understand you better than you do. As you become more self-aware through experience and self-investigation, you see the connections between feelings, situations and events more clearly. You thus are better able to make creative choices in response to life's slings and arrows, instead of reacting from a less conscious drive.

### **Individual Strengths Being Developed at This Time**

As you travel life's path, the balance of your attention changes. These shifts allow you to experience the world in different ways for a period of time, and thereby to develop new skills. The periodic shifts provide what you need to gain perspective if you are to take advantage of learning opportunities as they are presented. These shifts may call for career changes as well.

At this time you have the potential to grow through developing a greater versatility. This is a good time to study, either to upgrade your skills or to develop new ones. You will also find yourself in more social situations and can refine your interpersonal skills during this period.

For the next few months, your thought processes will be stimulated. You are able to learn to apply logic to whatever situation you encounter, and you take a somewhat businesslike attitude to everything in your life.

During the current period you have more a caring, sympathetic attitude toward others. You may tend to be reserved, even shy, and certainly sensitive to the feelings of others and yourself. You can make decisions in the clinches. There is a tendency to depend on others - you may need to stand on your own merits more in the work place.

The qualities you stand to gain at this time include the ability to wait and see what will happen and the instability that this can create. You are impressionable and should cultivate the ability to use your intuition. You seek simplicity in your life and in your work. You know that you tend to take on other people's problems and the difficulties this can cause. You structure your life to include simple pleasures and to support your philosophical interests. Your value your down time. You know you have higher spiritual perception than most people, yet you resist letting go of that in order to gain even more.

You respond well because you can quickly assess a crisis situation and feel the flow of psychic energy. Over time this results in deeper spiritual awareness.

### How You Relate to the World in General

Many factors add up to the sum total of your presence in the world. Some character traits are quite stable, changing very little throughout your life. They are the "mind set" with which you approach all your activities and as such have a strong impact on your career. This section of your report considers how these persistent qualities affect you in your career endeavors.

Psychologists use the terms introversion and extraversion to describe two general ways of approaching the world. These tendencies are rather obvious to others, yet you may not recognize them in yourself.

In psychological terms, as an introvert you judge the world in terms of what events mean for you and you are not as responsive to others as the extravert. Life's activities tend to be measured on an internal, personally unique basis. In introversion one's thoughts refer more to the self, to what is within the individual. You seek to understand what life offers before you jump into it. If there is a real world for you, it is the inner world of ideas and subjective understanding. You tend to insulate yourself against the outer world in favor of the inner life.

Another pair of differences fall on a continuum between very self-directed and self-motivated to more responsive or reactive to other people and outside forces.

You experience a lessening of personal control and an increased tendency to react to outer influences - to respond to the needs and desires of other people. There is the potential to dissolve conditions which are rigid within the personality and to interact with others in a more beneficial manner. You tend to merge your feelings and ideas with other people, caring less for personal ownership and more for cooperative effort. You often make choices that are more beneficial to the people around you than to yourself, recognizing that you gain more satisfaction from helping others. You make a strong facilitator because you are naturally aware of how other people feel and thus are able to provide the motivation and circumstances for them to be successful. You measure your own success in terms of the worldly results.

These two tendencies combine to produce a personal approach to the world.

You tend to respond to others, at home, in personal relationships and in the work environment. Your fundamental beliefs were learned largely through family in childhood, and they may change only after significant thought. Your attitudes toward all objects of personal love, such as mate, child, pet, or friend revolve around responding to them. You usually choose to respond to the needs of others in the work environment, and your attitude toward peers and subordinates is focused as much on their needs as on the work demands.

A third consideration is how your mind functions. How you assimilate information and then put that information to use in the outer world can have a huge impact on your career success. It influences not only the career choice itself, but also the area you choose

within the career.

You are a person who tends to consider things carefully and rarely jumps into any situation too quickly. You usually find that the ground has been laid and the path prepared for you. Thus, even though you have taken a considered approach, you are not too late to reap the benefits.

### **Summary**

Thus far this report has revealed traits of your personality which you may be more or less familiar with. Most people identify with one or more parts of their personality. You may not see yourself exactly as described here, and you certainly will want to consider the qualities that are entering your awareness now, as they are the fuel for future personality developments, and possibly for career advancement as well.

### **Your Vocational Indicators**

Each of us has a natural inclination to function a particular way, and these tendencies become pronounced in vocational activities. We carry our personal desires across a personal boundary into the social milieu and find greater or lesser resistance to our desires there. Yet we may stubbornly press on, attempting to bend the world to our personal desires. We tend to hold on to the old form, even if it no longer serves us. "Better the devil you know" is itself a timeworn maxim.

If, instead of insisting, we learn from social feedback and adapt our approach to the world, we find that life is gentler and career more satisfying. Your personal emotional bias, how you concentrate your talents, and how you best learn from experience all impact vocation in spite of any desires to the contrary. There are several fundamental qualities that bear on vocation, and the following paragraphs consider these factors.

The focus is on your caution. Caution in itself is a good thing, but it can inhibit job performance in careers where the keynote is on-the-spot action. You have the greatest career success in areas where a conservative attitude is well-placed, such as financial management. You may be the person who seems to throw cold water on ideas which will drain personnel or financial resources too completely. You have the ability to concentrate on your natural reliability and loyalty to see you through the long haul. Keep this in mind in every area of endeavor, not just vocation. You learn through informal yet diplomatic situations.

There is one area of life where your hard work will achieve the best results. Because of this, you may be steered in a direction that you cannot easily perceive from within the confines of past experience. You need to look beyond past experience and desires into the larger context of your life to find the best place for your efforts. Most people expect a career to provide status, money, and other satisfactions. The type of work indicated here may seem odd, but deserves consideration nonetheless, as it may deliver long term

rewards that you cannot perceive at the outset.

The personal asset you need to develop for career success is the ability to establish a personal base of operations, both in terms of a home and in terms of independent feelings and beliefs. To make the best use of your abilities, begin with a job where you start at the bottom and work up. The focus is on the management of emotional and mental faculties, not individual people. Because your end goals include security and a peaceful existence, your career direction will resist the temptation of power for its own sake and focus rather on a personal sense of success.

#### **Current Direction**

You are beginning to see yourself as an amalgam of strengths and talents. You can consciously create a portfolio of experience and abilities that matches your personal mission more clearly. As this is an internal crisis, others may not be aware of the shifts you are making at this time.

You may also consider the area of your life in which these impulses can best be applied, and the focus that will gain the most positive results.

You will be able to redefine your position vis-a-vis your surroundings at this time. The best plan is to focus on the activities that are essential for future progress, even though this may require difficult self-analysis. Instead of seeking the breadth that is offered, go for depth and concentration of your mental faculties.

Your instinctive responses are fully available at this time. You establish your security by focusing your emotions so they do not carry you away. You may be emotionally sensitive during this time, but learning to control your responses is the key to establishing personal boundaries and choosing the focus of your mission.

All of these considerations come together into a package of skills, decisions, and goals combined with your current potential. The sum total is a description of your ability to learn from experience. If you are well placed in a career field, emotionally suited to the demands of the actual job, and oriented clearly to your goals, you will be successful.

# **How to Apply Your Energy to the Career**

Having looked at how a solid foundation may be established, we now turn to the application of your personal energy to the goal of fulfilling your dreams. The previous paragraphs suggest the most natural form or structure of your career, while the following shows how you pursue it. How do you apply yourself? What drives you? How far can you go? These questions are all answered by your personal energy and how it can work with your natural abilities.

Early on stubbornness can present a fierce obstacle to career progress. The tenacity reflected in this quality can develop into the staying power one needs for the long haul, so that endurance becomes a trademark. A tendency toward vindictiveness must be overcome. Rather, a relaxed attitude of "What-goes-around-comes-around" will serve you better. The desire for material things can be all-consuming at first, but practical skills in acquisition become career assets.

If versatility is required in your job, then you are in the right career. You are able to come at a problem from several directions, finding the best solution to difficult problems. You are also capable of being overly critical toward others, and need to learn skillful communication methods. You are always ready for action, and may need to slow down just a bit to avoid scattering your energy frivolously. Avoid unnecessary quarreling at work. Early in life energy almost seems to use you, as you have little control over desires. Throughout your life you learn to moderate desires of the moment with longer term plans, and you adapt to the environment of parental control, school requirements, peer pressure, marriage or relationship responsibilities, etc. Energy becomes, instead of its own director, an agent for your use, being guided by your will. You may find your will power and determination change in their expression earlier or later in your career, depending on your personal developmental path and how you respond to life. Some uses may seem out of reach in youth and commonplace in middle age, or vice versa.

# **Your Career Success**

It is helpful to think of career success separate from the money earned, as success is not limited to material gain. A person could be held in very high esteem in his career field and not be the biggest success in the money department. Also, the slice of the career pie will often determine the earning potential. Of the three factors involved in vocation (career, money and work environment), the career itself has the most public impact. Here is where reputation is built, here is where one gains authority in one's field, and here is where ambition can be fulfilled.

Endurance is a trait that advances your ambitions. There is such a strong focus on the career and its demands that you may become more lonely over time because other people are not included in your plans. There is the ability to lead if the tendency to concentrate over much is curbed. You are an employee who can be turned loose on projects with good results. Career fields suited to you include administrators, architects, brick makers and layers, buyers, carpenters, cemetery workers, chiropractors, civil engineers, contractors, vocational counselors, efficiency experts, gardeners, government officials, governors, ice dealers, industrial engineers, landlords, land owners, leather workers, mathematicians, miners, orthopedic surgeons, ranchers, real estate agents, tanners, tombstone makers and watchmen.

You may find that at some point you undertake a second, rather different career that has the following characteristics:

You are fully capable of cooperation with others - under your leadership, of course. You tend to grasp the possibilities early in the game and thus come out pretty well in the end. You also tend to plan too much and thus scatter your energy. Creative energy flows in periodic waves, and you have to develop the patience to wait for the next wave. Career fields suited to you include airplane mechanics, astrobiologists, astrologers, aviators, chiropractors, congressmen, furniture manufacturers, instrument manufacturers,

legislators, auto mechanics, motion picture producers, photographers, space physicists, psychologist, psychotherapists, radiologists, reformers, research workers, scientists, social workers, telephone and telegraph operators, television technicians and x-ray technicians.

For most people there is one area of the life, not necessarily associated with work, that influences the career strongly. There may be skills developed there that can be directly applied to the career. Also, it may influence the choices you make in where and how to pursue your career.

You experience close ties between your career and your family. Your deepest held beliefs must be supported by the work you do, or you will not be satisfied.

Your desire for recognition will lead you into the area of your career that is more public. You become the best leader when you operate fairly and exercise your authority fearlessly.

You can develop a sense of how significant career is to your life in general, and also what factors affect the progress of your career, by considering how you become more aware in general, how you interact with the people and events around you, and how these responses affect your work.

You become aware of spiritual motives rather separate from your self-awareness. These motives are no less potent, only less integrated with your knowledge of yourself. The connection between who you are and what you know about yourself is indirect, coming through the influence of others. You use your thought processes to develop selfawareness. To the extent that thinking has been cultivated, you are well-equipped to plan and pursue objectives on the mental level. It is essential for you to train the mind. Sloppy thinking will only lead to sloppy pursuit of objectives. One quality of mind is its changeability; you can lose focus if your mind is not well-trained and practiced. Another quality is the capacity to resolve conflict; you come to resolutions directly through selfawareness, or ego-consciousness, whereas other people may use different means. You are capable of a profound awareness that all concrete knowledge is rooted in the love principle. The close connection between beauty and ego-consciousness allows expression to embody harmony and balance in concrete form. This can include plastic arts, writing, and any activity whose aim is to achieve a higher level of harmony in the physical world as well as in interpersonal and social relations. The ability to decide what to do and the action itself are closely connected to the awareness of self. This connection between self and action leads to organizational ability, independence and determination. It also is indicative of prudence because you are bringing self-awareness to your activities. The integration of ego-consciousness with action results, then, in more orderly activities and fewer missteps. That is the constructive side. Less constructive expression can result in careless action, due largely to the lack of cultivation of thinking processes. Self-control gains improved results. You are interested in expansion, optimism and religious or spiritual interests. Your thinking emphasizes the nobler facets of human expression as a result of consciousness. The urge to expand is joined with self-awareness to produce direction and optimism. This combination often signals success throughout life because the higher, more comprehensive awareness of cosmic law is so closely linked to egoconsciousness. It is as though the two are one expression for you. The desire to accomplish something important can be a powerful motivation, and leads to self-awareness. You cannot understand the structure of your career path directly, as most people do. You have greater success when you allow the career to develop without pushing. Apply yourself to the task at hand and let the chips fall as they will. You have an instinctual understanding of the balance of the people and circumstances around you. You won't have a conscious awareness of this, but it will be there, so trust it. Whatever psychic awareness you bring to your career is a felt thing, not the result of thought. You may find that your thought processes are sometimes inconsistent and self-awareness depends on listening to your "gut". Power is often outside your conscious control. You find it is governed by unconscious drives for the most part. You develop a disciplined will through other channels.

Astrology can help you to become more aware of desirable changes in career. It can also offer insight into any feelings of unrest or anxiety associated with career. The following provides information about the recent past career influences and then discusses current conditions and future trends.

#### **Recent Influences**

You have been making steady advancement, and now are becoming aware of new opportunities to maintain your positive direction.

Be definite. Be firm. Determination can get you through a slow period.

Social interaction. This can involve love relationships and often does; it can also involve self-love or vanity. Either way ego-consciousness undergoes profound changes when interpersonal contacts are involved. What may have been self-love in the past now has the potential to develop into self-awareness, a powerful career tool.

## **Current and Future Trends for the Coming Year**

You may become aware of personal responsibilities and the authority you demonstrate to others.

### Your Best Work Environment

Where the work environment and the securing of employment are concerned, astrology offers many useful insights. It also deals with the actual work that is undertaken. It can reveal how you react to work, to your work associates and to the work environment itself. Regardless of the actual title you hold, the place where you do the work and the people around you make a tremendous difference in the attitudes you develop in the work place. You can learn effective tools for obtaining the job as well.

The best work environments for you include level, productive land, gardens, cornfields, dairies and farms, barns, storehouses, closets, pantries, home office, rooms

usually kept locked, south walls or rooms, and crooked hallways. Geographic locations which may be suited to your work include West Alaska, Assyria, Boston, Congo, Greece, Hawaii, Los Angeles, Moscow, New England States, Turkey, Uruguay, Virgin Islands, N. Vietnam, Virginia, or the West Indies.

You may work in more than one type of environment or change jobs in order to move to a work environment described as follows:

The best work environments for you include hillsides, meadows, clear air, detached buildings, cleared fields, upstairs, airy rooms, alcoves, garrets, wardrobes and dressers, above the floor level, the west walls or rooms. Geographic locations which may be suited to your work include Antwerp, Argentina, Austria, Chicago, China, Copenhagen, Upper Egypt, Indo China, Japan, Lisbon, Miami, Siberia, South Pacific Islands, Tibet, or the eastern United States.

The best work environments for you include swamps, bleak places, drains, dumps, sewage treatment, drains, low wet ground, bathrooms and cleaning closets, medicine cabinets, toilets, northeast rooms or walls, mortuaries, or cemeteries. Geographic locations which may be suited to your work include Algeria, Baltimore, Bavaria, Cleveland, East Indies, Korea, Manchuria, Milwaukee, Montana, Nevada, New Orleans, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Philippines, south Dakota, Tokyo, or Washington, D.C.

The types of people you work with most successfully may not be the sort of people you would choose for friends or romantic partners. Understanding how to identify compatible co-workers can have a direct effect on career success or failure.

Your awareness comes through cooperation between intellect and the body, coming into energetic alignment. Martial arts speak to the coordination of mind and body which can result in greater physical, emotional and spiritual health. You have potential healing power which requires only steady attention for its development. Your peers can be wise beyond all expectation, with a gift of imaginative genius, or they can be deceptive and self-indulgent, seeking only to satisfy some warped and obsessive urges. Thus such a person can be the inspiration for an entire work force or the most negative drag on the energies of others. Generally sensitive, they can be counted on to provide a unique impression of the intricacies of office politics. Such a person thrives where imagination is more important than precision, where intuition is supported by more logical individuals.

There is one area of your life that may be closely involved in your work. It shows where your actual work energy will be concentrated, as well as what outside factors can affect your work performance. Your work depends to a certain extent on these factors that would otherwise be outside the work environment.

Your work focuses on the nurturing quality - perhaps you fulfill the role of facilitator. You can be a bit timid in your work. Your generally sympathetic attitude and intuitive awareness are strong assets.

You generally enjoy intellectual interchange with co-workers. Thus work relationships add to your own versatility and enhance your adaptability to the work situation.

## Other Factors Affecting Your Choice of Work Environment

As you develop a sense of how significant your work environment is to your life in general, and also what factors affect your work performance, you regain the power to select suitable work.

You use your powerful mind to help you through difficult transitions in your life. A tendency toward rash action can create unnecessary tensions. You can use inner tension to guide the direction of persuasive arguments. You experience irritation when others are dishonest or negligent by your standards. You are often aware of subconscious feelings and thoughts which are not evident to others. This comes through in your awareness of situations which arise in your environment. You often know information about your surroundings and about people which surprises you. You are methodical in your work, planning carefully and working very hard. Do not allow your inner tension or inhibition to create a foundation for illness. You are a highly sensitive person and can develop your psychic gifts steadily throughout your life. You are aware of events before they occur.

At certain times in your life changes in the work environment affect your career. You may change how you feel about your work and your coworkers. During some periods it is more difficult to be hired, or even to find a suitable place to work, while at other times changes within the work environment are easy to achieve.

#### **Recent Experiences at Work**

You are getting messages from the subconscious, and they are disturbing and not very helpful.

#### **Trends in the Near Future**

You have the capacity to convince others of your innovative ideas. Pieces click into place that have eluded you recently.

Avoid aggravating any disagreements at this time.

# **Your Financial Considerations**

Of the three vocational considerations, money is usually the most personal and private. Yet at the end of your life, all you have to take with you is your self worth. All the money, all the material possessions, all the opinions of other people will make no difference at all. What you think of yourself is all you will have. Thus other considerations such as moral growth, personal debts other than those involving money, and self-esteem are tremendously important human issues. The question this chapter revolves around is this: How do you maximize your potential, fulfill your higher mission, satisfy your daemon, obtain the money you need to live, enjoy your life, enhance your moral growth, all within the confines of the natural talents you possess, in such a way that at the end of your life, you are satisfied - personally satisfied - that you did well?

You have a tendency to worry about financial matters and you are impatient to move from one money-making scheme to the next. Alert to the many factors involved in financial management, you can adapt to changing situations with creative responses and resourcefulness. Sometimes you appear to be emotionally unattached to your money, yet your thoughts often return to active consideration of ways to handle things differently. Material considerations will prosper when you generally think through your decisions and then take decisive action, open to the positive results you expect.

# Where does your money actually come from?

Your personality has a strong connection between thinking and feeling capacities. You also have the capacity to immerse yourself in your work, and therefore get a lot done when you can concentrate. You nurture the feelings of others by expressing your perceptions. You have a good memory.

Interaction with siblings and peers stimulates your expression of what you know. You learn quickly and are able to refine ideas and articulate them clearly. Your skill can extend into the business arena of contract negotiation and the development of communication systems.

Your conscious connection to financial concerns is strong. You are interested in money and finances and these areas may directly impact your self-esteem.

Your intellectual strength provides the ground for apparent luck, but this luck is the result of integrating common sense with intelligence. What is lucky is the ability to use this combination. Inner tension drains your vitality; find outlets for your emotions, such as exercise. Rash words turn on you like thorns, to prick you when you least expect it. As you learn to consider before you speak, life is more roses, fewer thorns. A tendency to rebel against rules will bring situations which demand that you change your tune. Flexibility is required to resolve disputes. You will benefit from the study of conflict resolution. You will make remarkable achievements during your life, but there is a price. You need to take care to avoid accident or injury because of carelessness. You are brutally truthful and sometimes intolerant of others. Your relationships are filled with intensity of emotion. Nervousness occurs when you are puzzled about how to respond to others. Yet you will have sudden successes which come out of these tense periods. You need to balance fear and anxiety with restful periods. Sudden changes bring new circumstances into your life. You have a progressive mind which can manage such changes. Your intuition emerges under stress in order to guide you. You fall in and out of love easily. In fact you enjoy the beginning and ending of relationships because of the excitement. Your actions sometimes appear eccentric to others. Inhibited rhythms affect your physical body and your social existence. you are able to overcome difficulties. You are self-willed and gain or suffer because of this. There is a climate of violence or accident which will affect you, particularly when you allow impatience and other tensions to gain a foothold. You are also able to connect with social reform, exploration, and other positive expressions of your inner restlessness.

You have specific patterns involving money and material things,. You also have a personal moral direction and path toward development of a healthy self-image.

There is another area of life, not necessarily associated with work, that indicates how you actually get your money. It can also reveal who or what has the most direct effect on your self-esteem. Thirdly, it can indicate how you tend to spend your income.

Look to communication to provide a source of income. You tend to stick fairly close to home in your work, yet enjoy the richness of communication that strengthens your self-esteem and increases your bank balance.

You can earn money through home building, a family business, restaurant ventures - any activity involving nurturing. Prudence is a useful capacity. Sometimes you may feel more a part of the past than of the present where finances are concerned.

Astrology can indicate the importance of income in general, and how material matters affect your self-esteem.

Your intellectual strength provides the ground for apparent luck, but this luck is the result of integrating common sense with intelligence. What is lucky is the ability to use this combination.

Changes in financial matters, as well as movement toward greater or lesser self esteem, indicate how career efforts are paying off materially and emotionally. The following are indications of recent changes in the area of personal resources, followed by current conditions and future trends in this area.

# **Recent Experiences**

Sudden changes are likely, and you cannot predict exactly which way things will turn out. You are tempted to betray your partners, both in love and in the work arena. Success depends, just now, on your ability to apply forceful effort while resisting the urge to act too quickly.

You are getting messages from the subconscious, and they are disturbing and not very helpful.

Your emotional eagerness can cause you to tax your physical system at this time.

#### **Future Considerations**

You have the capacity to convince others of your innovative ideas. Pieces click into place that have eluded you recently.

Avoid aggravating any disagreements at this time.

# Career or Mission?

Now that we have examined the vocational possibilities from the geocentric perspective, it is time to consider your higher spiritual mission. Mission is driven by the spirit or inner psychic voice of the individual. Let's take a look at the spiritual potential that reflects the urgings of that voice. Seeing the universe from this perspective gives you

a sense of your larger purpose. Then you can look back at the above information to discover the practical means to fulfill your higher purpose.

This section of the report considers several factors that make up your spiritual perspective. Some may be more familiar to you than others, and certainly some will have more impact on your vocation.

You can be energetic, even aggressive at times. At other times your energy is directed into thoughtful devotional activities, quieter but no less energetic. Your energy for movement in thought and action, your passion for dealing with higher spiritual goals is activated through the desire to express through personality. This expression can become stubbornness, or it can exemplify purposeful progress. The co-existence of physical form and spiritual will illuminate our individual desires as well as the powerful idealism of the larger sphere of life. "The secret ... is revealed in the blinding energy of light (through) the sudden removal ... of world glamour. "The search for equilibrium in your life reaches beyond the limits of this plane of manifestation, seeking to integrate the experiences of body, mind and spirit into one profound experience of unfolded consciousness. This level of integration occurs when the soul and the personality are brought into alignment through accident or through ritual experience. Thus ritual is a valuable path for you as you develop a sense of equilibrium. You can develop a fuller sense of the value of ritual through the desire to manifest in the world. This placement addresses the creative passion as it expresses procreatively. The child is a physical example of the synthesis of opposites. You also have the energy needed to evolve in Consciousness to a higher expression - you can use your mind to mediate within the personality; you can also communicate between the personality and the soul. "The secret ... is the mystery of the relation of Father, Mother and Child," a mystical expression of the power of love. Concrete knowledge does not stop at the scientific definitions of things, nor is it limited to the scientific approach to understanding the relationships between people and things. It also includes a felt sense, an inner awareness of the right relationships between things. You can employ concrete knowledge in the mediation between personality and soul, between physical life and higher consciousness. Only through fusion of these apparently separate facets of your being can you approach true knowledge. You tend to seek concrete knowledge throughan instinctual relationship to life. Physical human instinct includes a desire and need to nurture the body/mind. At the same time there is a profound instinctual drive to discover meaning, so much so that at some point life without meaning becomes intolerable. Just as physical life is breathed into us, so is the life of the spirit instilled within us. "The light of substance ... is ... awaiting the stimulation coming from the soul light. "We all accumulate debts and responsibilities on the path toward resolution of difficulties. It is through the exercise of intelligent activity - that is, the use of what we know and how we employ that knowledge - that we even begin to approach the freedom we seek from such indebtedness. Your path to transformation of difficulty into harmony - the most direct way to actively engage will to guide your personal power - is to integrate power and will to act as a human being. You have the choice of how you implement your will. Both Saturn and Pluto tend to express through the unfolding of spiritual consciousness. Mature self-consciousness includes awareness of these two appearances and how they interweave to produce what we call life. In your daily

activities you may seldom think of this profound reality of existence; as you grow in conscience you develop an affinity for sensitizing yourself to your higher mission. Psychic awareness can be focused to identify the source of conflict and the ground upon which conflict may be resolved. Your higher vision is based on your examination of the essential duality of physical manifestation. One side of duality is the desire or passionate nature; the other side is the innate quality of compassion which comes from another level of experience. The awareness of essential duality is joined with the activity of the mediator to resolve into Unity. You develop your capacity for compassion through the testing of opposites. Energies are weighed and balanced here, and understanding begins to form about the profitable uses of polarity. Harmony is not only expressed through balance and symmetry, but through intentional asymmetry as well. Knowing how to work with this concept allows you to achieve new levels of energy. The path toward fusion of heart and mind, the subjective purpose for manifestation, is perhaps the most central experience of wisdom that you will ever have. Your life's processes are defined, and the expansive process of your mind and spirit relishes the richness to be found throughfierce testing. The planetary energies are subjected to physical, mental and spiritual demands which leave you changed forever. While duality is part of all experience, there is a struggle that tests even the nature of opposites. This spiritual battle challenges you to rise above merely material considerations. Mediation occurs not only in conflict resolution between or among people; it is an internal psychic function as well. Your principal path of approach to paradoxical problems of all kinds is throughsensitivity on both the material and soul planes. At times you feel limited or even imprisoned in your body, yet you are able to use your physical manifestation to communicate about subjects of the Soul. You continually face the possibility of raising your human desires to a higher level of spiritual expression; through such activity you sympathetically raise your fellow beings as well. You grasp the meaning of polarity in human experience, opening the door to future progress.

There is a particular direction in which your intelligent activity will most likely move. It is obviously where you position yourself and represents your strongest capacities as a human being. You will display intelligent activity in and your lifes' mission through melding love and wisdom into a working unity. Your sight is always set on the masses and not the individual, your goals and work tend to be global, in thought and in action. Ritual provides an avenue for working with others. By honoring the human connection to form, you are able to help people move forward. It is through the use of ritual that you are able to resolve difficulties between people, as ritual affords the possibility of acknowledging conflict while encouraging movement toward solution.

#### Conclusion

The above considerations can be woven together to present an integrated view of your career potential at this time. They indicate the talents and capacities you were born with, and they also suggest directions to go at the present time. As such they provide assistance

in making career decisions and can be helpful in considering a wide range of possibilities. Naturally you have the final decision about what changes will be beneficial in this area of your life.

Now that you have read your vocational report, you hopefully have a clearer sense of how circumstances have brought you to your present career position. You may also see ways to apply your natural capabilities, education and training to the goal of a more fulfilling vocation. Finally, you can consider ways to find a job and co-workers that enrich your work and help you come closer to fulfilling your life's mission.