

YOUR STARS FOR 2013

Find out what 2013 has in store for you. Over the next five days, astrologer Patsy Bennett demystifies your future love life, career, finances and home life, beginning today with the bigger picture...

Aries

MAR 21 – APR 20

UPSTART Uranus in your sign will tempt you to brave new frontiers, and to push yourself outside your comfort zone in 2013. You will feel the need to revamp a section of your life, such as the way you make money or your relationships. You'll feel like taking on challenges in these areas and thinking laterally. Your personal life is due considerable development and 2013 could be the year you find what – and who – you're looking for. Areas to avoid are intrigue, power struggles and being tempted to jump the gun, especially at the end of March, end of May and early November.



Taurus

APR 21 – MAY 20

NEW ideas and experiences will appeal to you, such as travel, other cultures, and study, especially in the first half of 2013. You'll feel inspired to pursue a new interest – perhaps even to chase spiritual rainbows. And, with a practical and methodical approach, this year could prove to be one of your most successful, as you combine your need for something new in your life with a realistic attitude. Your work, health and general status will blossom, especially in the second half of 2013. Many Bulls will see developments within relationships as you take things to the next level.



Gemini

MAY 21 – JUN 21

YOU will embrace life and all it has to offer this year as you seize new opportunities and revolutionise your world. You love a challenge and you will rise to the occasion, especially with travel demands, work and career. You're in a position to move forward, especially as abundant Jupiter in your sign has you bursting with energy at the start of February. The eclipses this year indicate changes within your family, creative projects and the "fun factor" in your life. Once Jupiter enters your financial zone in July, you'll enjoy improved finances, which will help you to truly enjoy refreshing new circumstances.



Cancer

JUN 22 – JUL 23

SATURN'S placement in your home sector will bring more stability your way, especially in your family and home life. Hard work and diligence in the first half of 2013 will pay off as you'll reap the rewards of your efforts in your domestic sector after July. The eclipses at the end of April, early May and early November highlight the interconnectedness of your career, job and status on the one hand – and your home life on the other. The influence of a powerful person, especially for end-of-June Crabs, is a recurring motif this year, bringing changes to your environment and at work.



Leo

JUL 24 – AUG 23

2013 brings a change of environment. Whether you move, relocate, travel or merely change the interior of your home, new circumstances will put you into a new setting. The first half of 2013 will bring the need for more communications. This may be due to travel or the necessity to relate with neighbours and family more closely. The more meticulous you are with communications in 2013, the better. An inspired person will prove to be a huge asset in February. The second half of the year sees more relaxed interactions and a free-flow of ideas, bringing a more settled environment.



Virgo

AUG 24 – SEPT 23

2013 is an excellent year to focus on your work, status, direction and finances. The eclipses on April 26, May 10 and November 3 highlight your finances, making these good times to streamline your budget. A close relationship will step to the next level around these times, as you decide how much – or how little – someone really means to you. The second half of 2013 will see a better flow of money – and love – especially if you have ironed out the creases in the first half of the year. This year will also see developments within your home, especially mid-May, August and early November.



Libra

SEPT 24 – OCT 23

2013 is a big year in your personal life, as circumstances dictate that you keep up with a fast pace. You'll tap into your creative side and enjoy a blossoming family and personal life, particularly in the second half of the year. There will be changes within your everyday schedule – whether you find new work, you become more active with a fitness regime, or you take on more daily chores. People could become more demanding, and a clever timetable which incorporates time for you, too, will help. In August, a decision due to a change of circumstances could see you entering a new environment.



Scorpio

OCT 24 – NOV 22

2013 is a pivotal year as three major eclipses foreshadow developments in your personal life. Expect the unexpected: and then you'll be ready both for positive opportunities – and for the school of hard knocks should it come a-tapping at your door. End of May and early November are particularly pivotal, when destiny could change the course of your life. End of April and early May will see significant developments in your personal life. Saturn dictates that you will work – and play – hard. You will benefit from boosting health and vitality from April through to September.



Sagittarius

NOV 23 – DEC 22

YOUR sign's ruler, Jupiter, will be at loggerheads with trans-formational Pluto early in the year, encouraging you to make radical changes in your life. This is a year of new beginnings, especially at work and with health matters. Both areas will see their ups and downs – but you will gain definite direction, which will give you more clarity, kudos and self-confidence. Your everyday schedule will become much smoother as the year progresses. The second half of 2013 will see lovely developments, especially within your relationships, although a decision may be necessary – with long-term repercussions, so choose carefully.



Capricorn

DEC 23 – JAN 20

IT IS an energetic, busy year, so kick it off the way you mean to carry on: proactive and strong. February's stars are positive for money-making ventures and your finances could benefit from an overhaul at this time. Your feelings may be uncharacteristically strong in 2013, especially with friends, family and general socialising. The key to good relationships this year is to avoid intrigue and power struggles. Late December and early January Goats will find mid-May and early December particularly life-changing, as a personal decision to do with your home, family or property grabs your attention.



Aquarius

JAN 21 – FEB 19

YOU will enjoy braving new frontiers and letting go of the past. However, your appreciation for stability and tradition could see you see-saw between the allure of the new and the familiarity of the tried and trusted. This inner turmoil will peak at the end of May and again early November, when a new direction could even include a new career path or domestic situation. The first half of 2013 is a good time to hone your interpersonal skills and to consider how to boost your career, direction and status, especially in February. The second half of 2013 will bring ideal conditions to consolidate your new circumstances.



Pisces

FEB 20 – MAR 20

YOUR sign's ruler, Neptune, will help you to gain self-confidence. The New Moons on February 10 and March 12 encourage you to let go of the past, and to focus on a lovely present. This year's eclipses fall in the communications and travel sectors of February Fish, indicating you are ready to broaden your horizons and to search for deeper truth and commitment in 2013. March Fish will see a new chapter regarding finances and sharing, including a link to volunteer or part-time work. By using your intuition, you will avoid the potential this year for disagreements, which could arise seemingly out of nowhere.



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