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New Venus Cycle Theme:

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Scorpio

Libra

Cultivate Your  
Instinctive Power, Innate Creativity  
& Sacred Feminine Mojo

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**Venus Retrograde in \*SCORPIO\*  
and Direct in \*LIBRA\***

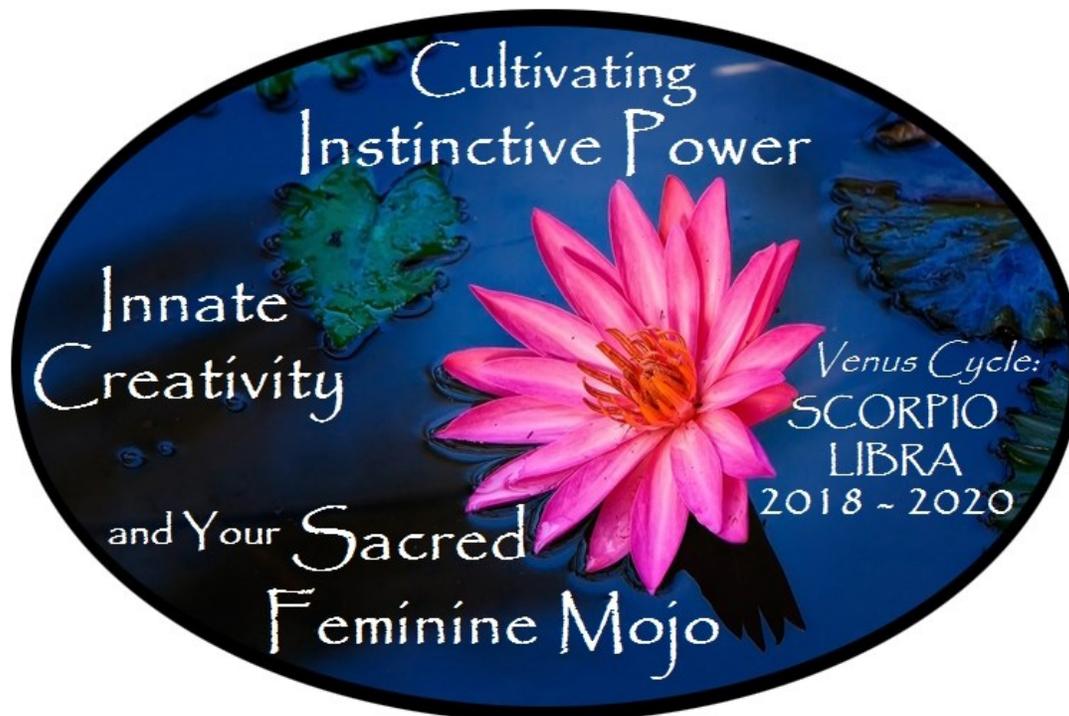
**October 5, 2018 -thru- November 16, 2018**

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***Time to Review, Reflect & Set Conscious Intentions  
for Release & Reclamation of Your Connection  
to Your Own Core Values & Current Priorities***

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**New Venus Cycle ~ Scorpio/Libra Theme  
October 2018 – May 2020**



~ LOVE ~

*the unifying energetic force that exists in/through all life*

~ ART & BEAUTY ~

*the invisible essence which links all life and transcends language or species*

~ VALUES ~

*what you spend your resources on (time/energy/money)*

~ CULTURE ~

*what humanity collectively creates through thoughts, feelings, words & deeds*

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## Your Invitation to Meet Venus

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### **The Value of Venus Retrograde:**

The whole point of any planet going Retrograde is to bring up the issues of its domain, and in Venus' case, the primary issues are: values, priorities, beauty, love, relationships and resources. It brings these aspects of life up to the surface for everyone. Essentially, this is getting your attention in a way that prompts you to want to explore more deeply and look at things from a variety of other or new perspectives. Before charting the course of future choices and forward movement, there is a review and a clearing that must happen for you to acquire more clarity and sure-footedness.

### **The Current Theme & Questions to Contemplate:**

The Sign that the Retrograde falls in represents the 'theme' (aka Overtone) and is where Venus extends her stay for one and all. For example, this one is in **Scorpio. 2010** was the last time Venus Retrograded through **Scorpio** and went Direct in **Libra** (before that, **2002** was in all Scorpio). So, how have your values and priorities evolved over the last 8-years where your power, death, transformation, sex, life force energy, money and intimate relationships are concerned? How would you like to evolve over the next 8-years? Venus energy focuses your attention on what you deeply value or what you give your resources to, which tells the Universe what you truly value. How did you spend your time, energy and money over the last cycle or two? How will/can that change going forward for the next 8-years?

### **Do You Want to Scratch the Surface?**

This is an excellent cycle to consciously co-create with, and you don't even have to know or understand astrology itself. There are many ways to do that, but simple awareness of the cycle is a good start. Beyond that, I have created several custom tools to support this process. If you just want to get to know how Venus feels moving through your own life (chart), then I recommend getting your **Personal Venus Activations**. They support you like a custom horoscope that focuses on your **Love, Money & Magnetics**.

### **Or Do You Want to Go Deeper?**

If you'd like to track her cycle by going narrow and deep into what she activates for you personally, then I recommend that you get your **Custom Guide and join the Venus Circle**. It can be quite remarkable to track this cycle as it unfolds over the next 1-2 years. Venus enters the zone **9/3** which will be reviewed between **Oct 5th** (retro) and **Nov 16th** (direct), anchored during **Winter 2018-19**. It is a powerful experience to follow her cycle like this. Please go to my website for details and be sure to **join us for the FREE Introduction TeleCircle in Sept 20, 2018! Ok, let's dive in!**



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## **Venus \*Retrograde\* is About ...**

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- Reconnecting with All Your 6-Senses
- Focusing on Your Resources & Definition of Wealth & Abundance
- Reviewing & Renewing the Sacred Feminine Aspects of Your Nature
  - Assessing the Evolution of Your Personal Values & Priorities on All Levels
  - Processing & Integrating Energetic Shifts within Your Relationships & Resources
- Renewing Your Spirit, Faith & Commitment to the Sacred Feminine
- Reawakening Your Way of Living Your Life -and- of Living on Earth with Others
  - Assessing the Value & Purpose of All Relationships, Partnerships & Collaborations
- Fortifying & Restoring Your Individual Sense of Self-Value, Self-Worth & Self-Esteem
- Reviving Your Essential Nature & Organically Changing How You Relate with Others
- Revitalizing & Reestablishing Your Magnetics: What You Naturally Magnetize and Naturally Repel
- Reviewing Anything of Value that has been Buried, Suppressed or Neglected in Last 18-mo to 8-years



## Important Details of NOW

**Enter Shadow: September 3 - October 5, 2018**

*Introduction/Initiation of New You & New Priorities*

**Retrograde/Initiation: October 5 - November 16, 2018**

*Re-View, Re-Evaluate, Re-Vision, Re-Examine Relationships & Finances*

**Direct/Integration: November 16 - December 18, 2018**

*Integration of the New You & New Priorities*

**Exit Shadow: December 18 - January 7, 2019**

*Anchoring the Scorpio Power & Energy and Grounding NEW 8-year Cycle*

**Aug 6 - Sept 9, 2018 ~ Venus in Libra**

(again Retrograde Oct 31 – Dec 2, 2018)

**Venus Rules:** values, priorities, resources, love, art, beauty, culture and, in Libra, the lesson of balance and reciprocity in relationships is what she is animating and awakening for one and all. It is a call from within, to restore balance as an individual, within the context of all your primary relationships. Your sense of self-worth and self-value is in need of some attention. You have evolved in the last 8-years (or more). This is an opportunity to renegotiate the terms of both your personal and professional relationships so you can determine what is no longer important to you, while preparing to go deeper.

**Relationship Priorities:** If you align your priorities within your Being, as well as within your primary relationships of *now*, then it will make the deep dive into the potent Scorpio energy more productive (and less debilitating). When Venus is in Libra, it is time to assess your priorities and reestablish balance with a cool head (Libra is an Air sign). It's time to consider what is fair, just and actually worth it to and for you, now and in the future.

**Choices & Karma:** It's time to take an honest look at how you, your life and choices affect those closest to you. It's an excellent time to reflect on how effective your choices actually are (or have been) in attracting your heart's desires. Remember, Libra is the lesson of "balance & reciprocity" which must be considered before taking-on the Scorpio lesson of "karma and creation", otherwise you create more "karma and creations" to clean up along the way.

Venus will always remind you that you *'are what you attract'* and she will also reveal how you show the Universe what you value by what you spend your primary resources on (time, energy, money). So use this time to review your relationships and resources, both tangible & intangible, and use the new cycle to recalibrate things consciously, while you discover many new ways of relating, with both your SoulSelf and others you partner or collaborate with.



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**Sept 9 – Oct 31, 2018 ~ Venus in Scorpio**  
(again Direct Dec 2 - Jan 7, 2019)

**Going Deeper:** As you move through the relationship work in Libra, it could be friends or co-workers, but once we shift into Scorpio, it is your own intimate relationships (or lack thereof). At this time, new (or sometimes old) personal issues are exposed and brought in to the light, and you begin to realize how you operate unconsciously, and how that affects your individual values and personal self-worth, and thus the relationships you attract.

**Unconscious Habits or Conscious Practices:**

As Venus moves into Scorpio, it activates Soul-level work and illuminates how invisible energy is affecting your life and relationships. Ideas or beliefs that have become unconscious, hidden or buried, come in to your conscious awareness at this time. This energy supports rooting-out any self-deceptions and/or bad habits which no longer support who you are now or who you've become over the last 2-8 years.

**Define Your Terms:**

It's time to identify and release any self-sabotage, illusions, delusions, irrational fears or inner darkness that is delaying your good or misguiding your power. It's time to distill your motivations back to their original essence and intentions. Define your terms. What is conscious equal partnership on an intimate level? What is love? abundance? beauty? life? What do you want? and why do you want it? How will you create it? or magnetize it in?

**You & Your Invisible Team:**

Scorpio is the energy and lesson of karma and creation, holding us all accountable for that which we bring into being. We are reminded that a willing and an honorable sacrifice clears space for magic to occur, it also is an invitation to the Ancestors and Invisible Realms to contribute and assist you.

**You & Your Power:**

Venus in Scorpio reminds you that you are not the Source of power, but merely a channel or vehicle of and for its expression. As a human with free will and choice, it helps to also be responsible and aware anytime Scorpio is kicking. It's time to release deeper issues, clear space to plant new seeds of potential, tend to the 3D/visible work, then step back and allow the invisible power of Source energy to breathe life into your intentions.

**Honoring the Life/Death/Life Cycle:**

It can be intense and often challenging, but if you are able to push through the discomfort and face any dark, Raw Truths being revealed at this time, you will be cleansed, made lighter and feel better able to direct your own power and shape-shift as needed, going forward. Any deep dives into Scorpio remind you of your own mortality and how short life really is. The sooner you dance with the rhythm of the Life/Death/Life Cycle, the sooner you get to feel deeply connected and ecstatically alive in your day-to-day rhythm.



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## Relevant Reflections

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### **Last Venus in Libra/Scorpio ~ Oct 15 – Dec 2, 2017**

It is a fairly regular occurrence for Venus to move through Libra and Scorpio every year or so. The last time was **Oct/Nov 2017**. It's catching it at the Retrograde that makes the current one special. However, the last cycle or two that you can remember, may have some clues, upon reflection, that turn out to be some kind of confirmation of what you are facing and reviewing now.

### **Previous Venus Retrograde in Scorpio ~ 2010 / 2002 / 1994 / 1986 (8-year cycles)**

This is a larger Cycle to focus on but still may yield some clues. Basically, all cycles eventually repeat themselves, some more often than others. The same **Scorpio** energy was activated back then, and will be again, however, the *surrounding* planetary support changes ~ the human condition evolves ~ your own personal support systems shapeshift as needed. Look for any pattern in your intimate life. Often these years will coincide with ex-partners circling back or significant past-life connections becoming obvious.

Think about the **Sign Lesson: SCORPIO Power to Create** ~ and the subsequent Karma you create along with it. The **SCORPIO Issues: Power, Sex, Death, Money, Rebirth & Transformative Soul-Work** - that's what's back on the table. You should be able to delineate a pattern. Think of the deaths, real or metaphorical, that you have experienced around those years. Think about your sexual preferences or levels of activity. Think about how you were creating your reality and with what resources. Think of the life-changing events that led you to *here and now*.

Now what? What do you want to create with your power & resources over the **next 8 years**? Set an intention to purify and distill your own power issues into their most useful and basic elements. As a human being with conscious awareness, you are Infinitely creative and connected to an Infinite power Source. That is incredible power which requires an adequate structure, container or vehicle, as well as a capable guide or director and a pure motivation to create.

**Venus Retrogrades every 18-months**, which means that our **Values and Priorities** shift, in small ways, on a fairly regular basis, but in huge ways every 8-years. Getting a rhythm to this, internally, will help you flow with your own personal evolution with far *less fear or anxiety* and *more trust* in the natural order of things, which includes your own natural evolution.



Below, you will find two lists which are especially good to refer to during the Retro period and great to check-in with throughout the cycle to ensure that you are on track. 'On track' means that you are expressing the Light aspects of Venus in Scorpio and minimizing your expression of the Shadow aspects of Venus in Scorpio. (See Below)

**~ LIGHT Expression ~  
Venus in SCORPIO is About . . .**

Ability to Operate from Soul Level Values & Priorities  
Innate Trust of Your Instincts & Psychic Knowing  
Valuing & Pursuing Your Soul's Mission  
Being Powerful & Magnetic in Social Situations  
Your Personal Power, Self-Discipline & Self-Mastery  
Mastering Your Authentic Power to Create Reality  
Ability to Acknowledge & Honor Your Shadow Nature  
Knowing Your Own Power & How to Use It  
Access to a Natural Sensuality, Sexuality & Magnetism  
Going to the Underworld & Returning Renewed  
Ability to Dedicate & Focus with Intensity

**~ SHADOW Expression ~  
Venus in SCORPIO is About . . .**

Excessive Need to Control in Relationships  
Being Stubborn, Stingy & Hoarding Resources  
Rigid Resistance to Change & Suffering in Silence  
Repression, Self-Sabotage & Living in Survival-Mode  
Stagnation, Toxicity & Disregard for the Life/Death/Life Cycle  
Operating Covertly & Misusing Your Personal Power to  
    Manipulate Others with Emotional Blackmail  
Creating Negative Karma through Abuse & Oppression  
Victim Consciousness: Feeling Powerless  
Excessive Need for Retribution & Toxic Forms of Justice  
Poverty Consciousness: Feeling Worthless



I did some research and it was the years **1962-2002** that most of us have lived through, with Venus Retrograding through Scorpio only. **2010** brought the first time it Retrograded in Scorpio and went **Direct in Libra**, bringing in this dual lesson going forward, **2010-2058** (when it will shift to all Libra). So every 8-years, we will experience this dual lesson and both will be included. (See Below)

**~ LIGHT Expression ~  
Venus in LIBRA is About . . .**

Ability to Create Win/Win Situations at Home or Work  
Innate Conscious Equal Partnership with All Life  
Creating Kinship, Community & a Sense of Belonging  
Cultivating Beauty, Art, Music & Harmony with All Life  
Ability to Create Beauty in All You Are, Do or Have  
Dedicating to Creativity & Expressing Your Essence  
Having a Natural Sense of Balance, Fairness & Justice  
Ability to Mediate, Negotiate & Integrate Opposites  
Being Naturally Magnetic, Attractive & Loving  
Creating Reciprocal Relationships, Creative  
Collaborations & Profitable Partnerships

**~ SHADOW Expression ~  
Venus in LIBRA is About . . .**

Attracting Imbalanced & Toxic Relationships  
Being Anti-Social & Unable to Contribute to Community  
Excessive Self-Doubt, Indecision & Inability to Commit  
Staying Busy so Most Interactions are Superficial  
Being Excessively Other-Directed to the Neglect of Self  
Not Knowing What You Want or Asking for What You Need  
Low Self-Worth & Inability to Negotiate on Your Own Behalf  
Excessive Giving to Others Until Drained and/or Angry  
Feeling a False Sense of Estrangement & Projecting Fears onto Others  
Imbalance, Stagnation or Extremes (Excess or Famine)  
Overdone Need for Approval of Others