



The Selenophile Revelation

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A Selenophile is any person who is attracted by or to the Moon and is best summed up as a "Moon lover." In Greek mythology we find Selene as Goddess of the Moon who drove her chariot across the heavens at night while Helios the Sun God drove his chariot across the sky during the day. In various cultures around the world there is a common theme of the Sun representing the Divine Masculine while the Moon represents the Divine Feminine. In this report we will take a look at your Moon house, sign, phase, and North/South Nodes as well as your Black Moon Lilith, White Moon Selene, Artemis, Diana, Chang'E, Chandra, and Rhiannon who represent aspects of both light and shadow archetypes of Moon Gods and Goddesses respectively.

11th House Virgo

The 11th House represents group identity and group belonging. It is likewise associated with hopes, dreams, and wishes. The 11th House is the area of life that brings together passions and the things one has learned. As an aspect of identity this is where one may begin to feel like they belong to a group, nation, people, family, political group, collective, etc.

One's ambition is able to be realized when they have the cooperation of a group sharing in that vision. Here you get to play out and live your dreams in real life.

Moon

The Virgo Moon is subconsciously driven towards order and perfection in themselves as well as in others which is best when tempered. One will have an impulse for tuning into systems which are both spiritual and scientific. Here is one who will analyze every aspect of life while being deeply connected to the environment, wellness, and animals. The Virgo Moon element is Earth making one naturally work well with plants particularly medicinal herbs. Esoterically the zodiac sign of Virgo is associated with healing and healthcare industries.

This placement has a tendency to worry about the small stuff in life and this nervousness can cause digestive problems or issues around dietary choices. Typically, quiet in nature most people often are unaware of a Virgo Moon's actual mood as it is often kept to themselves. The Virgo Moon is nurtured by keeping a regular schedule enjoying having a routine to stick to which keeps them healthy as a result. One enjoys dedicating themselves to a personal cause as having something to be devoted to such as the environment, animal rights, or religion helps keep this Moon sign very down to Earth.

Chang'E

Chang'E is the Chinese story of Houyi the Lord Archer having saved the world who came into possession of the Elixir of Life which grants immortality and a place in the heavens. His wife Chang'E who was principled and devoted was forced into drinking this potion to keep it from falling into the hands of a wicked man. To honor her the Moon Festival is held during mid-autumn full moon in Asia. This placement in our chart will show where we may go to extreme lengths to guard items we place special value upon. The mythology of Chang'E is used to show us where personal sacrifice should occur in service of the greater good.

Chang'E placed in Virgo has a great potential for world service. The presence of the Christ within or child of heaven is veiled/masked and the work one undertakes will involve a very strong loving devotion to service bringing forth endeavors which can entail caring for the lower classes in society or the lower kingdoms found in nature such as animals or environmental causes regarding cleanup of the oceans, ensuring there is clean drinking water for areas where it is not readily available, or taking up the setup of community gardens to feed their local areas. Here Chang'E breaks down patterns of selfish motives and the manipulation or exploitation of systems which serve one's own ends. Here one seeks for innovations and inventions which will unite humankind and make it easier to perceive unity consciousness.

Chandra

The Hindu pantheon sees Chandra their Moon God as one of the nine planets who is revered for fertility, presiding over pregnancy, childbirth, and motherhood, as well as God of Plants/Vegetables. It is believed Chandra grants strength while providing relief to those plagued by severe challenges and health issues. In the chart Chandra represents Soma, embodies the feminine creative energy of the Universe, and holds significant influence over how we think and feel. This translates into an influence over our attachment level towards objects and people.

One possesses the instinctive urge to gather resources yet this can lead to a life cluttered with excess of objects and ideas. It is very difficult for Chandra placed here to differentiate "the baby from the bath water." One may be lacking in both physical and mental discrimination as they acquire compulsively. Chandra placed in Virgo must confront their fear of the void and of not having enough. What has occurred is that one works hard to protect themselves from the very source of their salvation and peace which is their own inner depths. Chandra in Virgo is cautioned to not view both occupation and relationships as a means of personal survival at such a basic physical and emotional level.

One should work towards becoming devoted to the Universal family. Their innermost core is enlivened via the soul. If they infuse the soul correctly they can learn to focus on healing and service to self as well as other. This placement must learn to let go of attachments and place their faith in the Divine.

North Node and South Node

The North Node in Virgo is symbolic of the soul's urge towards bringing specific aspects of one's personality into the physical world. The South Node on this axis is Pisces which represents gifts brought from a past life incarnation which are already well honed and easy to fall back upon yet will not provide one with much growth in the present incarnation. The Virgo North Node is innately spiritual always seeking to create a sense of routine and ritual in both the spiritual and mundane. This gives one a practical approach to their soul's development.

This placement is not an easy one for Virgo North Node is learning to set boundaries between giving and receiving. One may find they often attract careers and relationships where they feel inadequate which will cause them to overcompensate by making themselves invaluable. The Pisces South Node shows that in the past one may have engaged in escapist tendencies or found themselves in situations where they were manipulated by authorities. Pisces South Node suffers from the identity and archetype of the victim which Virgo North Node is learning to overcome.

This incarnation gives one the opportunities to recognize their own goals and dreams so that they can work towards them. This is one's opportunity to experience life from their perspective with clarity. Compassion is essential for this placement. Virgo North Node feels compelled to crave friendship yet instinctively knows in their past life they never fit in well with any circle of friends. The 11th House placement indicates a lonely child or young adult who has been forced to develop social skills and learn how to be part of a group finding it challenging to follow the ideas of other people.

The Pisces South Node questions individuality and being a part of something bigger than themselves. They are used to being a faceless point in the mass consciousness of the rest of society making it difficult for them to now stand out or apart from the crowd. Without other factors in a chart to help this placement it can be hard for them to accept being the center of attention. One in this placement has a community focus and must learn to appreciate the differences in life to grow. Watch out for arrogance when feeling threatened, becoming involved in unnecessary drama, and letting everyone know when you feel hurt.

Black Moon Lilith

Black Moon Lilith in Virgo gets little respect as this sign is often underrated. What is indicated by this placement is one who is an intellectual, quiet and innocent in voice, and usually not a virgin or grossed out by life. Black Moon Lilith in Virgo is sapiosexual therefore when it comes to intimate relationships one will not immediately strip their clothes for someone or come out with how desperately they desire intimacy. Unlike other placements when Black Moon Lilith in Virgo looks upon anyone they look directly into their mind and know what they want.

One does not show off their beauty or attractiveness preferring to create mystery requiring another to guess about them. This placement raises eyebrows at those who reveal too much too soon wondering why others do not savor leaving something for those lucky enough to make a commitment to them to receive the benefit or reward. We find here that this placement is tech savvy, innovative, and has the intellectual ability which can come across as ingenious. In their youth they were wildly unappreciated for their ideas learning to repress their talents. When harmoniously aspected Black Moon in Lilith was the one in school who finished their homework on time and was the straight A student. Highly resourceful one can gather information as quickly as consuming water yet will deny their intelligence hiding their skills in Math, Science, and English to ensure others are not intimidated by them. In reality this is one who has a deep unending passion for studying and analyzing.

3rd House Capricorn

The 3rd House represents early childhood and one's siblings, how one relates to their immediate environment, and learning or communication styles. This is also the house of education associated with elementary school and pre-school/pre-K learning environments.

White Moon Selene

White Moon Selene shows the path of light called arta, righteousness, truth, and grace. It is mostly used in the Avestan system. Where you find White Moon Selene in your chart is where you must be willing to lose an aspect of embodied reality for the bliss and eternity this placement would bestow. It indicates good karma, following one's bliss without fear, and facets of the personality that are sentient and Divine.

Capricorn places a focus on accomplishments in terms of the goals one sets for themselves, however, the rewards come after a long time of hard work and perseverance. This sign rules responsibility thus what one sets out to achieve can lead to being well rewarded further down the road rather than instant gratification. Integrity is of utmost importance to one with this placement. White Moon Selene in Capricorn respects the laws of the land as well as the laws of the Universe. One will be respectful, recognize the Divine in the simplest of tasks/beings, and work hard to live their own life. Capricorn placed here in the chart allows one to live frugally when necessary while teaching others how to be more minimalist/spartan.

With this placement one holds themselves to extremely high standards and strives for perfection in everything they do. Here one can be likened to a grounded mystic. The Earth element tends to ensure one is grounded and unwavering. Watch out for times where an obsession with occult subject matter creates a hermit like behavior and try to make sure getting enough rest is placed on the to do list as without regular and steady sleep for overall health and wellness one may begin to feel sluggish. White Moon Selene here also benefits from positive self-talk.

9th House Cancer

The 9th House in astrology is a symbol of higher education, long trips, dreams, and consciousness. Commonly associated with travel in all of its forms both actual travels overseas and one's internal spiritual journey. The 9th House is related to abstract areas of life such as dream time, dream symbolism, and sleep. When one sleeps their mind experiences things that waking minds may never get the opportunity to experience.

Artemis

With a well-placed Artemis in the chart one may quickly discover that they are perfectionists. Artemis in a chart depicts where one maintains their dignity at all costs, will only give up their vigilance very slowly, and after you have earned their trust. Artemis in mythology had a wild and untamed side making her virginity anything except literal. It indicates where one does not want their sexuality possessed or controlled. Artemis in mythology also loves to stalk her prey yet she despises being stalked herself. In the chart where you find Artemis you will discover where your passion is stimulated by the thrill of the hunt and how you go about protecting the innocent particularly animals and children.

One's legacy may include giving to charities which help animals such as sanctuaries, zoos, and the SPCA or those who contribute to children's causes such as Brown Santa, St. Jude, or Make A Wish. Further one may become a patron, student, or protector of spiritual, shamanic, and esoteric precepts. They will have a strong connection to the Divine Feminine mysteries with a more nurturing and mothering way of being in the world at large. We can find them often in support of environmental causes if well aspected or they may become vegan if not raised this way within their childhood valuing and respecting all life as an image of the Divine. While Artemis was a hunter/gatherer this archetype can be applied elsewhere rather than literally thus we may see this placement instead stalking its next call to grassroots activism as its prey.

4th House Aquarius

One needs to lead an authentic life to be happy. This is a good placement as it allows one to have enough expansion for emotional growth. However, one might substitute emotional satisfaction with philosophical and mental concerns. But this isn't necessarily a bad thing. One will be open to adventure and seeing the entire world as a place to call home. This placement loves exploring ideas yet should refrain from becoming a know-it-all. Reign in the passions and focus on long-term goals. While one may have been born to a traditional family they will try to break free from this. There is a strong need to create and establish their own belief system. There is also a strong sense of independence and a feeling that the world is home.

Diana

When we look at Roman mythology we find Diana represents freedom and independence. In the chart she can represent that moment when one may display commitment phobia, a desire for autonomy, spontaneity, and a longing for liberty. Diana famously had a love for Endymion like Selene visiting him only when he was slumbering. In real life this may display as a partner who acts out the Endymion archetype via an addiction to television, computers, video games, or meditation. Whatever the addiction the Endymion archetype is physically there yet not entirely present in the moment. Where Diana is placed within your chart is where you develop a hunter/gatherer instinct. Here there is nothing to do with security, safety, or commitment. It is where you want to perform your way, on your terms, and your own time table.

Within Aquarius Diana will be at home locating a group of friends via clubs joined, political affiliations, and social media networks such as Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter. One has to remember that Aquarius symbolizes fraternity, humanitarianism, being a bit of a rebel, pursuits and achievements in science/tech, and the Uranian energy can really "shake" things up. The Aquarian archetype is best seen in the Prometheus mythology when he stole fire from the gods to redeem humanity from darkness or ignorance. One will favor the underdog, can appear insensitive, and sometimes fail at seeing projects through to their completion. This placement excels at intellectual analysis, remaining faithful in human potential, and at speaking up for justice, progress, and liberation for all of humanity. They are blessed with a fertile imagination, a quick-thinking mind, can overflow with ideas, and are great at dealing with facts.

10th House Leo

The 10th House symbolizes one's life in the public's eye and their career path. This area of the chart is indicative of the authorities in one's life; parents, bosses, and leaders. It shows one how their relationship with their parents has played out and how easily one will accept or reject authority in life. The 10th House is where we meet or defy expectations for our career, family, and achievements

Rhiannon

Rhiannon is the incarnation of the land as we find in Celtic mythology in this role she is wed to the King of the Land who is wed to the soil and thus forms a stewardship of the land. This marriage to the land was symbolized by the future king standing on a sacred rock and swearing a vow. The Stone of Destiny was used for this purpose. Marriage to the land implies that the land is not a possession to be treated in any matter rather it is a living dynamic part of life to be cherished, loved, and protected. In the natal chart Rhiannon represents our connection to the land as part of our history, culture, and heritage. Strong aspects to this asteroid denote a deep sense of connection to the land and its history.

This placement tends towards symbolizing the epitome of emotional egocentricity where self-consciousness has instinctually responded to environmental circumstances. To transcend this one must remove self-consciousness and trade it for group consciousness. Rhiannon placed here describes the inner child who is a fun-loving free spirit with a highly creative and imaginative personality. Here one should show up with integrity, act wisely, take a risk, and radiate truth.

This placement may mean one greatly values being one with the natural world. Rhiannon in Leo is closely connected to the elemental forces found in our Universe as well as minerals, plants, and animals alike. They seek to find ways to directly provide for their own or another's physical and material needs. Thus, you will find them unhappy in occupations where they are consistently in artificial environments such as cubicles, stores, and automobiles. They will enjoy hiking trails, protecting/healing sick or injured animals, and gardening.

Moon Phase

The New Moon placement indicates one who feels more introverted, low in energy requiring more rest or sleep, and one who spends time reflecting on past mistakes to see where they went wrong in an effort to set intentions for the coming weeks, months, and years ahead. One should allow changes into their life to reap long term rewards. Visualization is a skill this placement should practice. If the New Moon placement learns to have faith and trust while taking practical actions towards life renewal they will manifest naturally. Ensure the goals set are realistic and seek out the necessary tools, skills, and strategies needed to turn your intentions into reality.

New Moon brings forth one who has many ideas yet lacks the energy to start putting these plans into action. Look towards the Waxing Gibbous phase to gain supportive energies for putting the seeds of the New Moon into your daily existence. Spiritually this is a time of new directions, darkness, and meditation. Write your plans and objectives into a journal. For ritual work one may choose to sit under the Moon listening to music, burning incense, and creating an ambience they love to spend time in.

Know that change takes effort and planning, be honest with personal habits and thoughts which are blocking progress from being made, and make plans to overcome inner and external limitations. Be cautious of leaping before looking first, rely on your intuition, and do not agree to things simply to please. New Moon is when one must guard against being easily manipulated and persuaded to go against their will. Their need for solitude is due to how easily they are affected by other people's energies.