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"Queen of the Thrones of Earth"

Rules 20 degrees Sagittarius to 20 degrees Capricorn

A woman of beautiful face with dark hair and eyes, seated upon a throne, beneath which is dark sandy earth. One side of her face is light, and the other dark and her symbolism is represented in profile. Her attire is similar to that of the Queen of Wands, but she bears a winged goats head as a crest. A goat is by her side. In one hand she holds a scepter surmounted by a cube, and in the other an orb of gold. The goat here is a female one representing the feminine generative power of fertility. The cube is a symbol of earth and is also related to alchemical salt. The Queen of Disks is a card of powerful authority, who produces wealth and productivity to those who wish to ask her.

The Queen has translucent green skin and the background to the card is light green. The armour she wears is blue and the emblems are orange, with white wings. The sceptre she holds has a gold handle with a dark green and black cube on top. The 2 orbs on top of her throne are orange gold. The stand the throne is on is green with heavy dark green shadings and the rim is light red. The 3 pointed crown is gold and relates to Binah. Her cloak is green with dark folds. The goat is the colour of Capricorn (King scale). The three golden orbs form the trinity of equal balance and are analogous to the supernal of salt, Sulphur and Mercury.

She rules from 20 degrees Sagittarius to 20 degrees Capricorn. This shows great determination and optimism, culture and fixed beliefs applied to environmental growth whether it be in nature or in profession (i.e. industry etc.). Status and wealth is sought.

The Alchemical aspect of this card is the filtration of the salts using distilled dew; the separation of the soluble from the insoluble. She also plays a part in the fixation of an exalted state.

The Watery part of Earth shows an individual who has emotion and intuition as a primal driving force. These are expressed through the earthy framework of practicality. People like this generally always express their emotions through physical behaviour, for example, they tend to be connoisseurs and have a large sexual appetite. While some express their feelings openly the

watery part of earth shows a person who tends to channel their emotional content into something tangible. This way they have satisfactorily let out tension by seeing their results in the physical.

The I'Ching hexagram associated here is number 8, Pi, meaning union. This shows Kan (water) over Kun (Earth). The earth receives water and the water nourishes the earth which indicates a close bond. The great symbolism says: "(The symbol of) The Earth and over it (that representing water), form Pi. The ancient kings, in accordance with this, established the various states and maintained an affectionate relation to their Princes."

Heh of Heh(f) shows the feminine aspect of the new formation or growth and as such shows both union and co-operation in development and growth. Heh is feminine but has not yet developed the natural force of Vau, the first major state of separation. By leaving Vau and coming into contact with Heh(f) the feminine state shows the receptive quality of Heh(f) and also hints at the potential growth of Vau. Heh(f) generally is a lot stronger than Heh but there is a strong empathy between the two feminine states.

#### DIVINATION

ON MATTERS OF the Physical Body; Selfhood; Self Projection; new ideas; new beginnings; reactions to outside stimuli; the life force; first encounters:

The Queen of Disks in this Fire House shows an individual who is extremely capable. She is strong in body and does not react to outside influence easily. When dealing with this individual in the above matters one will find them a powerful friend or companion. If antagonistic towards you she could cause you many problems. However the Queen in this House is generally auspicious for you. She has vitality, energy, and is a merciful ruler who tries to encourage growth in her individual subjects. As a person she is not very changeable though she is perceptive and understanding towards people.

ON MATTERS OF possessions and personal attitude towards such; personal estate and resources both physical and material; principles and feelings; management and projection; commerce, personal, commercial, governmental and national financial affairs directly relating to the self:

The Queen of Disks in this Earth House shows an individual who is a collector, both emotionally as well as physically. She controls just about all those she comes into contact with. The Queen takes on the characteristics of the matriarch in business and runs those under her like the autocrat she is. When dealing with the Queen of Disks in this instance it would be wise to give her your loyalty as otherwise you would not survive her wrath. The chances are, that through her wealth, power and good business sense you will benefit greatly under her protection. Listen to her advice and act on it.

ON MATTERS OF short journeys; communications; relationships; brothers, sisters, neighbours; humour; identity; early education; books; correspondence; enlarging ones field of activity:

The Queen of Disks in this Air House shows an individual who has trouble with her relationships, under the above matters. Correspondence is too much for her, she becomes over-worked and is out of her depth here and very little of anything gets done because of it. It may be either because there is too much work or because she is unable to grasp its highly technical content. This is not a good position for the Queen of Disks to be in as she appears not to comprehend the the situation she is in. When dealing with her it would be best not to go ahead with any plans she has or problems could develop.

ON MATTERS OF the end of one stage and the commencement of another; the home and private life; buildings; land; parents; security; emotions; significant shifts in lifes directions; concerning the soul; the occult in its practical terms; divination:

The Queen of Disks in this Water House shows an individual who has quietly gone on with building up of her life. She is oblivious to some of the turmoil that surrounds her from time to time. She is cool headed in bad situations becoming a rock or pillar to those around her. When dealing with the Queen of Disks in the above matters she shows every aspect of growth, from the ground up. Her growth, like herself, is strong and stable. You will find her a good friend who will give you a great deal of support.

ON MATTERS OF love given; creativity of selfhood; the creative will; children; entertainment; recreation; speculation; sports; the arts; gambling; fulfilling potentiality:

The Queen of Disks in this Fire house shows an individual who gives completely of herself to others and is the ideal wife

and mother. She has the ability to be able to compete in many different areas without draining herself. When dealing with her one will find her extremely receptive as well as creative. She is competitive in many of the things she does and has a high amount of success and is very much her own woman. She will help you get started and will continue to help you as long as she is needed.

ON MATTERS OF sickness (generally due to work problems); employment; employees; relationships within the work environment; conflicts; service; ones sense of service; the acquiring of skills; psychology:

The Queen of Disks in this Earth House shows an individual who is healthy and strong. She expresses herself quite freely and any problems associated with her health will generally come from an over indulgence, especially in sexual, alchemical or drug taking. Overall the Queen of Disks in this position has a very good constitution. When dealing with her (as an employer) one will find that she works you very hard, but fair. As an employee, the Queen of Disks will be an excellent subordinate. She will be so good at her job that some day she may eventually threaten your own, though there is no negativeness here or malice on her part to do so.

ON MATTERS OF marriage and divorce; contracts; the other party; competitors, adversaries, and known enemies; partnerships; public relationships; social interaction; the law of compensation; what is lacking; the workings of karma:

The Queen of Disks in this Air House shows an individual who has definite marital problems. The card in this position shows most of the negative aspects of the Queen of Disks. There are hints of adultery, argumentiveness and a possible break-up of a long standing partnership. When dealing with the Queen one will have many problems, mainly through the fact of an uneven match. This causes her to give too much (in comparison to her partner) which places the burden on her, causing her to react violently. The advice here is not form any liason with her, under the above matters. However, well aspected one will find a situation of growth.

ON MATTERS OF death and rebirth; accidents; effects of others; crime and retribution; legacies; wills; others estates and finances; joint resources; moods; sex; spiritualism; rejuvenation; mysticism; transformation; psychotherapy:

The Queen of Disks in this Water House shows an individual

who sits in judgement of others. There is a good indication that she will be a member of a law fraternity or some other society of some standing in a community. When dealing with her in this position it indicates that if you are up for trial it bodes good fortune and you can expect a fair hearing. As a partner this card is also fortunate for business dealings which you will profit from. If you are concerned with the estates of the deceased the Queen of Disks shows a beneficial influence towards you. Money will be made and received through a combination of good luck and good timing.

ON MATTERS OF religion; metaphysics; philosophy; higher study and education; legal systems; morals; institutions of learning; long distance travel; exploration; public communications; the collective mind:

The Queen of Disks in this Fire House shows an individual who is extremely lively in the religious field, whether it be one of common religions, some of the new cults that have recently sprung up or those of ancient knowledge. Her entire world of philosophy, religion etc are all bound together in her total concept of life and death. She is not a fanatic but she has certain moral values that are unshakable. When dealing with this person, under the above matters it would be advisable not to make any demands on her unless you can see "what makes her tick" in the first place. If she is out canvassing or lecturing one will be drawn to her manner and approach.

ON MATTERS OF public honour; status; ambitions and goals reached; achievements; profession; the other parent; causes for disgrace; recognition; identity:

The Queen of Disks in this Earth House shows an individual who has achieved status and material wealth. For her, her goals are mainly tangible and she likes luxurious surroundings. She is at the top of her field and is fairly well known. When dealing with her one should take her advice, as one will rise with her as her status increases. The Queen of Disks represents an intensive search for her life's vocation and if you get caught up in it just make sure she has found it first or otherwise you will be taken through many areas that you have never been before.

ON MATTERS OF friends; income; social alliances; legislation; one's attitude; group activities; government, counsellors; love received; spiritual and intellectual aspirations; ideals; fulfillment; what you yield and how you benefit others:

The Queen of Disks in this Air House is not good, it shows an individual who is at odds with her surroundings. She is too involved in her own affairs to care about others and as such others care little about her. She is very self centered. In group activities she will take center stage which may irk others in the group. Her thoughts and aspirations may be out of reach of her abilities. When dealing with her the only way to get what you want is to patronise or agree with her otherwise it is hopeless to go against her without any real strength or support.

ON MATTERS OF responsibility and contribution to others; humanistic concerns; karmic debts; unresolved problems; hidden resources; the unconscious; sorrow; health afflictions; secret enemies; hospitals; secret societies; self undoing; total identification:

The Queen of Disks in this Water House shows an individual who is extremely receptive to the problems of others. She will help them materially. This card shows a woman who works through charitable organisations and who is well known and respected. She firmly believes in the cause she fights for which is truly humanitarian. For her, the sorrow and afflictions of the needy are a deep turmoil to her because she has so many material possessions and good health. She feels best that by actively helping these people so that they can help themselves. Also she is liable to work through hospitals as a healer in one capacity or another.

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**MEDITATION ON THE QUEEN OF DISKS:**

Let the Student first study the overall picture of the card, then study each detail: Each symbol and image. Study the colours. Now let the Student look at the card and feel its vibrations. Write down your overall impression.

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exercise

Now paint this card with the above described colours. An outlined drawing is supplied with this lesson.

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