

## December 2022 Lunar Reading

### The Akron Devil Strip

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\*The term 'Devil Strip' is known for the strip of grass between the sidewalk and the street more commonly known as a tree lawn except in Akron, Ohio, where the locals use it as slang and which the publication was named.

The holiday season and eclipse season have been wrapped into one the last few years. Every six months we get a round of eclipses which are big beacons for change. December is an already emotional time, never mind this year's political and social divides and the pandemic. But we have the perfect backdrop for something truly beautiful to shine through, beginning at the time of the Winter Solstice.

The weeks leading up to Christmas are a hopeful and wishful time by people all over the world. This is a bit characteristic to the traits of Sagittarius, where the Sun occupies from Nov 21 to Dec 21. The Sagittarius energy has pairing in our solar system to Jupiter, which is like the solar system's Santa Claus. It is the planet of luck and abundance seeking to share gifts with our world.

On December 14<sup>th</sup> there will be a total Solar Eclipse in the Sign of Sagittarius. The days following this new moon will be an appropriate time to create a vision board for your future. There's a flow of energy backing us under a Sagittarius solar eclipse to begin something new with optimism and hope. Make a wish during this time and trust in faith that it is making its way to you.

After the stretch of Sagittarius we move into Capricorn, which differs because Capricorn is associated with the planet Saturn. Whereas Jupiter is large and its energy is expansive, Saturn is limiting and contracting. Our ancients understood Saturn to be the last planet in our solar system, representing then a limitation or boundary. Jupiter expands our visionary goals and Saturn, with hard work and discipline can achieve them.

During this year's Winter Solstice, as we enter the time of Capricorn, the planets, Jupiter and Saturn will align together in a conjunction, in the humanitarian sign of Aquarius. We see this conjunction happen once every 20 years but hasn't happened in the sign of Aquarius for more than 600 years! It heralds in something special, unique, and rare. This alignment is a big deal. A wise-men-following-a-star kind of big deal. The conflict in our world is unlikely to go away anytime soon, but when you look a little closer, there may be a tiny spark which shares a message of hope for universal love.

-Angie Agnoni