

Mercury Retrograde Cheat Sheet

Experiencing Mercury Retrograde, you can feel frustrated by delays, distractions, and mixed messages. Mercury rules contracts and communication. He governs education, thinking and perception. Mercury rules all forms of data, travel and transportation. Mercury rules all forms of media. Such as publishing and broadcasting. Mercury rules YouTube and podcasting. This includes radio, and TV. He governs a large kingdom. For instance, computers, cars, and technology can act up during Mercury Retrograde.

Do you remember Murphy's Law? "What can go wrong, will go wrong."

Mercury is the Magician card in the Tarot. He holds the power to transform base metals into gold. Even Mercury retrograde has its benefits and advantages. There are opportunities in every retrograde cycle. You are well advised to follow these simple steps. In other words, you can use Mercury retrograde to your advantage. You can make Mercury retrograde work for you. Timing is everything!

Five Things to do with Mercury Retrograde:

- 1) Mercury retrograde is excellent for doing your homework, such as research work and strategizing. It is great for re-working projects. It is awesome for writing, creating and working behind the scenes.
- 2) It is brilliant for re-connecting with past friends, lovers, and colleagues.
- 3) This is a great time to back up all your records and important data on your computer.
- 4) It is an opportunity to rethink and redo. You can revisit and reconnect. You may want to rewrite, rebuild, reevaluate. It is excellent to reconsider, review and revise. You can repair multiple situations.
- 5) It is a great time for learning. Do keep your sense of humor. Mercury is a trickster. He loves to play hide and seek. Yes, the Gods, the planets (archetypes) do have a sense of humor. Lost items can be rediscovered. While keys and wallets vanish. Documents, and other important items can go missing.

Five Things not to do with Mercury Retrograde:

- 1) Do not get married. Marriage is a sacred contract and if you desire a long-term relationship. Marrying under Mercury Retrograde can imply separation in the future.
- 2) Do not take a new job. If you have been out of work and do not mind changing your job, later on, go ahead. Otherwise, it's best to wait until Mercury is direct.
- 3) Do not launch a new product or website. Wait on starting a new business or construction project. This is not the best time. As too much is hidden from view. And will be revealed to you later. Launching something new in a reverse energy is like going swimming when the tide is out to sea.
- 4) Do not purchase a new car or a new computer. Mercury rules cars and computers. Thus, it is notorious for buying a lemon under his retrograde influence. Yes, there are exceptions to every rule. You may need a new car or computer. Life is anything but simple. And you can't wait. Go ahead. Make sure to keep your receipt. And get a good warranty on what you purchase.
- 5) Do not form a new business partnership. In fact, Mercury retrograde rules liars and thieves. People can betray. You are more apt to have to deal with people that are dishonest or lack integrity. It is wise to take a wait and see approach. Allow others to prove that they are trustworthy to you. Before you invest your precious time, money, heart and energy.

Mechanical items tend to break down more than usual. Especially Mercurial ruled areas: travel, communication, speaking, writing, listening, mail, community relations, and "business as usual."

When Mercury is retrograde you are well advised to delay signing contracts. Getting married or launching something new. Unless you do not mind revising, redoing it later on. And are not attached to the outcome. Any new job taken, personal or business partnership formed under Mercury retrograde will change in the future. If you do not mind temporary work or a short-term partnership, then go ahead and merge.

The best strategy for navigating the Mercury retrograde cycle is to keep a sense of humor. Be patient and double-check everything. The devil is truly in the details. When shopping keep your receipts. You may be returning or exchanging your purchases. Stay awake. Be alert to your environment, especially while driving. The most precarious Mercury retrograde days are the day he turns retrograde. And the day he turns direct. I always like to give Mercury a day or two after he turns direct or retrograde before taking action.

Love,

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