

2022 Wish Mapping

MAKE A WISH ON THE NEW MOON

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"The purpose of any ceremony is to build stronger relationships or bridge the distance between our cosmos and us." - Shawn Wilson, *Research is Ceremony*

MAKING MAGIC ON THE NEW MOON

Wish mapping can be as simple or as creative as you want.

1. Write a draft of your monthly wishes in a wheel formation with twelve spokes - one for each month. Get crafty! Pro tip: The degree of the zodiac sign gives a clue to where the buried treasure is for you personally. Look at your birth chart and notice what house the Moon is in - refer to our guide on Houses and use it for ideas for themes and intentions.
2. In her book *New Moon Astrology*, Jan Spiller teaches the importance of making wishes within the first 8 hours of the time the New Moon is exact. We have reported times in GMT, so be sure to check your local time zone with an online resource or our digital calendar. There is always a free month available on our calendar page online. At the time of each New Moon or within 8 hours after, write up to ten wishes on a piece of paper.
3. Create a little ritual for your wishes that incorporates the elements Fire, Air, Water, and Earth. You can use candles, crystals, essential oils, ice cube trays, streams, gardens, etc. Need ideas? We send out ceremony ideas in our newsletter and monthly astrology forecast.
4. Check the exact time of the New Moon in your location with the Wise Skies Digital Astrology Calendar

The Lunar Cycle

“Astrology is a Language. If you understand this language, The Sky Speaks to You.”
—Dane Rudhyar, *A Handbook for the Humanistic Astrologer*

Why do we use the lunar cycle to make wishes and set goals? Author and syndicated astrologer Jan Spiller states that incorporating the moon with intentions is an ancient practice, and that knowing there is power in wishes or intentions has been handed down through the ages. Spiller notes that even children “know to make a wish on a falling star or a passing hay truck.” A child instinctively looks at the Moon and believes it is a connection for making dreams come true. Wishing focuses the mind at a “magic moment,” and can “transform the desires of the heart into material reality.”

Spiller reminds us that wishes made with faith *do* come true. In this book we show that tying wishes to specific astrological events during phases of the Moon is the secret ingredient for creating effective ceremonies. It’s helpful to understand the significance behind the different phases of the Moon when mapping out the intentions powering your ceremonies. Although we focus on the New and Full Moon phases, we invite you to be the author of your own destiny *at any time* of your choosing by creating your own magic, honoring your wishes and dreams—and making them come true—through ceremony.

New Moon: Make a Wish

The New Moon signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set intentions, plant seeds or ideas, and start something new. This is the phase of unconditional love and light. Trust your instincts during this phase as you’re likely to feel more alive and in tune with your body wisdom than in any other phase. In her book *New Moon Astrology*, Spiller teaches the importance of making wishes within the first 8 hours of the time the New Moon is exact. This phase is when the Moon is positioned between the Earth and the Sun, making it invisible. In the Sky, you’ll see a dark silhouette of a circle where the Moon is in shadow. Luna is not illuminated during this phase—there is total darkness—so it’s also a great time to stargaze and ponder your dreams.

First Quarter Moon: Make a Commitment

This yang or active phase engenders decision making, determination, and commitment to action. In the Sky, you’ll see exactly half of the Moon illuminated. This is a good time for finding courage and inner strength. The first quarter moon is not for shying away from life - it’s a time to learn through new experiences. And it is a period for being aware of your reactions: how do you show up when you meet your “edge” in life? While regular meditation can help slow your emotional reactions during this phase, ceremony during this time can support spiritual growth and promote inspiration.

Full Moon: Celebrate Completion

During the Full Moon you can find freedom from struggle. This phase signifies the completion of a cycle, endings, and closure. Think of the Full Moon as a time to harvest blessings and to express gratitude from the past few weeks, or current challenges, or

previous season. If you notice people are more touchy than usual it is because Full Moon is a time when the inner and outer worlds are split. There can be a sense of loneliness or a feeling that things are irreconcilable. Remember that we are always in a state of impermanence, and in dealing with our emotions and perspectives there is the conventional wisdom that “this too shall pass.” The entire Moon is illuminated during this phase, and standing under it you can feel quite magical in its bright, beautiful light.

Last Quarter Moon: Trust the Process

During the Last Quarter phase it's time to get out of the mix and look at things more objectively—become the wise observer. In the Sky you'll see exactly half of the Moon illuminated. This yin, or internal phase, signifies receptivity and a willingness to trust, to surrender, and to let things take their course. This is a moment to call on your faith, and to know that all is truly well.

Using the Moon sign to create themes

In this book, we give several recipes for ceremonies based on the astrological sign the Moon is in (whether New or Full). Creating ceremony in this way taps into the archetypes of the different zodiac signs, and offers ideas on specific themes you can work with.

How do I know what phase and sign the Moon is in?

The Moon's cycle is about 29 ½ days. The four phases of the Moon are determined in relationship to the Sun. Each phase lasts approximately one week. Luna moves in the order of the zodiac, spending two to three days in each sign: Aries, Taurus, Gemini, Cancer, Leo, Virgo, Libra, Scorpio, Sagittarius, Capricorn, Aquarius, and Pisces. If working with Moon signs and phases is new to you, you can find more information the old-fashioned way—such as in the Farmer's Almanac—or in a “new”-fashioned way through the Wise Skies digital calendar, or through various free online sources.

Because we tend to rely on what sign and phase the Moon is in when conducting ceremony, it can be fun to explore a little more about how we incorporate astrology into our daily lives by learning about the basic principles and archetypes in the Sky—the planets, signs, and houses.

The Houses: Extra Wish-Mapping Ideas

In Western astrology, everyone has 12 houses in their natal chart. Consider the houses as the locations or sets of this great movie in your birth chart. The movie unfolds differently for each of us depending on the location of the planets across the houses of the zodiac. Each house is comprised of 30 degrees. Multiply this by the 12 houses and you get 360 degrees total to create the wheel.

How to: Check out the degree of the New Moon, then find that spot in your chart. Notice what house it falls in - and use the below as guidelines to add an extra layer to your wishes.

- 1ST HOUSE: Self, Ego, How I Present Myself
- 2ND HOUSE: Money, Values, Self-Worth
- 3RD HOUSE: Communication, Siblings, Mentality, Processing Information
- 4TH HOUSE: Home, Family, Nourishment, Living Space
- 5TH HOUSE: Play, Fun, Workshops, Heart
- 6TH HOUSE: Service, Gardens + Herbs, Vocation, Healing Work
- 7TH HOUSE: Relationship, Significant Partnership, Sacred Union
- 8TH HOUSE: Shared Resources, Endings + Eclipses, Sex, Death, Taxes
- 9TH HOUSE: Philosophy, Publishing, Overseas Travel
- 10TH HOUSE: Career, Social Status, Reputations
- 11TH HOUSE: Friends, Social Networks, Benevolent Forces
- 12TH HOUSE: Subconscious Mind, Hidden Prisons, Mystery

2022 NEW MOON OVERVIEW

- January 2- 🌙♎ New Moon at 12° Capricorn [6:33am CST]
- February 1- 🌙♒ New Moon at 12°Aquarius [5:45am CST]
- March 2- 🌙♓ New Moon at 12°Pisces [5:34pm CST]
- April 1- 🌙♈ New Moon at 11°Aries 30 [6:24am CST]
- April 30- 🌙♉ New Moon at 10°Taurus [Partial Solar Eclipse
2:28pm CST]
- May 30- 🌙♊ New Moon at 9°Gemini [11:30am CST]
- June 29- 🌙♋ New Moon at 7°Cancer [2:52am CST]
- July 28- 🌙♌ New Moon at 5°Leo [5:54pm CST]
- August 27- 🌙♍ New Moon at 4°Virgo [8:16am CST]
- September 25- 🌙♎ New Moon at 2°Libra [9:54pm CST]
- October 25- 🌙♏ New Moon at 2°Scorpio [Partial Solar Eclipse
10:48am CST]
- November 23- 🌙♐ New Moon at 1°Sagittarius [10:57pm CST]
- December 23- 🌙♑ New Moon at 1°Capricorn [10:16am CST]

January 2- New Moon in 12-Capricorn

The Visionary

- Crystals: Smokey Quartz for calming, Apache Tear for grounding and healing trauma.

Focus on what needs to be renewed in terms of your public identity. Make wishes about landing your dream job, or set your ambitions on a new course. Where do you need to hit the reset button? What new projects do you want to start? Where do you need to make a commitment? Make wishes on themes of the house-themes of wherever 12-Capricorn is in your chart.

Capricorn New Moon Intention

I expand my light and perspective to include the bigger picture while trusting I am doing the next right thing. I experience fulfillment in the journey.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Capricorn New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Ambition and vision

Taking responsibility

Healing work

Discipline

Realistic, structured goals

Maturity and adulting

Traditions

Success and reputation

Long-term planning

Building your empire consciously and compassionately

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Capricorn New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Rigidity and sternness

Resentment

Not staying in the present moment

Touchy or sensitive

Controlling tendencies

Pessimistic attitudes

Fear of change

February 1- New Moon in 12-Aquarius

Power to the People

- Crystals: Labradorite for inner worth, Chrysoprase for aligning with Universal energy and balancing yin/yang.

Make wishes around: the collective consciousness, friends, future, and understanding. This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set intentions based on house-themes of wherever 12-Aquarius is in your chart.

Aquarius New Moon Intention

I surround myself with inspirational people and recognize the extraordinary in the ordinary.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Aquarius New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Empowering groups

Human rights

Out of the box thinking

Futuristic inventions

Curiosity and innovation

Networking

Being honest with yourself and others

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Aquarius New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Being overwhelmed

Aloof behavior

Self-righteousness

Being flakey

Judgmental attitudes

March 2- New Moon in 12-Pisces

Spiritual Prosperity

- Crystals: Blue Lace Agate for auric clearing, Goldstone for grounded spirituality.

Make wishes around: help sleeping, inner peace, mystical states, and purification. This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set intentions based on the house-themes of wherever 12-Pisces is in your chart.

Pisces New Moon Intention

I have space for mindful connections and heartfelt interactions without conditions or strings attached. I am prosperous.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Pisces New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Compassion

Charity

Intuition

Artistic abilities

Healthy boundaries

Mystical reading lists

Meditation and mindfulness practices

Strategic giving and volunteerism (budgeting time and money)

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Pisces New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Taking on too much

Toxic environments

Unhealthy boundaries (or lack thereof)

Depression or sadness

Escapism

Addiction

Delusional thinking

April 1- New Moon in 11-Aries New Habits

- Crystals: Bloodstone for clarity, Shungite for purification.

The Moon of new beginnings in the sign of new beginnings is an auspicious time to start something new. Make wishes around: starting a new project with fresh eyes, minds, and hearts. This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set intentions based on the house wherever 11-Aries is in your chart.

Aries New Moon Intention

I welcome new experiences, perspectives, habits, behaviors, and ideas into my kingdom. I'm ready for a fresh start.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Aries New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Starting something new: hobbies, habits, and health routines

Drive and high energy

Pioneering spirit

Paving the way for new beginnings

Individuality

Boldness

Mental wellness

Personal responsibility

Assertiveness and confidence

Authentic and genuine communication

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Aries New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Know-it-all attitudes

Bossy-ness

Short temper

Defensiveness

Dealing with enemies

Antagonistic attitudes

Conflicts

Self-centered viewpoint

April 30- New Moon in 10-Taurus Solid Foundations

- Crystals: Tiger's Eye for empowerment, Rose quartz for compassion.

Planting seeds. Make wishes around money, food, perseverance, feeling grounded, and letting go of stubbornness. This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set house-based intentions on wherever 10-Taurus is in your chart.

Taurus New Moon Intention

I feel safe and secure in my body, trusting that all of my experiences are lessons to help expand my horizons and personal evolution. I'm connected to the Earth and work with her resources wisely.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Taurus New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Consistency and patience

Loyalty

Nurturing through food

Self-worth

Core values and manners

Money and wealth-building

Sensuality and pleasure

Security and stability through slow and steady growth

Combining the old and the new: think vintage charm

Perseverance and contentment

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Taurus New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Stubbornness

Laziness

Slow to change or make decisions

Tire-kicking / Stagnation

Overly protective or territorial/ Possessiveness / Attachment

May 30- New Moon in 9-Gemini Clarity & Opportunities

- Crystals: Labradorite for magic, Aquamarine for stepping forward.

Make wishes around clear communication, dualities, opportunities, and friends. This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set intentions based on the house wherever 9-Gemini is in your chart.

Gemini New Moon Intention

I communicate with integrity, trust my inner voice, and work within divine right timing. I am present and focused. The doors of opportunity and learning are wide open.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Gemini New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Multi-tasking

Focus and attention to detail

Writing, editing, speaking, and reading

Clear communication and healthy discussions

Mental stimulation

Intelligence, intellect and quick wit

Mindfulness and being present

Micro goals

Social opportunities

Work with hands: handyman, typing, knitting, playing instruments, etc.

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Gemini New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Overcommitment

Overthinking

Detachment

Indecision

Impulsivity

Anxieties

June 29- New Moon in 7-Cancer

Nesting

- Crystals: Moonstone for intuition, Watermelon Tourmaline for emotional clarity.

Make wishes around home, family, personal space, home-cooked meals, and overcoming control-tendencies and fear. This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set intentions on house-themes wherever 7-Cancer is in your chart.

Cancer New Moon Intention

My soul's journey is illuminated with meaningful experiences. I feel at home in my body, and have compassion towards myself as my psychic gifts unfold.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Cancer New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Home and family

Cooking, nurturing and mothering

Caring and caregiving

Kindness and compassion

Emotional intelligence

Keen intuition and gut instincts

Empathy and sensitivity to others

Healing early childhood conditioning

Creating space for self-compassion

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Cancer New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Being controlling

Perfectionism

Being over-protective

Insecurity

Obsessiveness

Fear of rejection

Lack of clear ambitions

Being moody or crabby

July 28- New Moon in 5-Leo

Follow your Heart

- Crystals: Citrine for abundance, Carnelian for emotional empowerment.

Follow your heart. Make wishes around leadership, creativity, and passion. This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set intentions based on the house wherever 15-Leo is in your chart.

Leo New Moon Intention

I'm consciously aware of my thoughts, feelings and physical body and choose to follow my heart on an epic journey.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Leo New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Leadership

Courage

Passionate Play

Loyalty

Generosity

Appreciation

Falling in love with life

Igniting and activating vitality in your DNA

Trusting your insights

Willingness

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Leo New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Neediness

Attention-seeking tendencies

Self-centered behaviors

Inability to experience and truly express gratitude

Unrealistic expectations

August 27- New Moon in 4-Virgo Heart Clearing + Lineage Wisdom

- Crystals: Moss Agate for peace, Celestite for healing.

Make wishes around health, your family tree, emotional clearing, house rules, organization, and anything that requires attention to detail. This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set house-based intentions wherever 4-Virgo is in your chart.

Virgo New Moon Intention

I find joy in the journey as things fall into place.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Virgo New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Integrity

Practicality

Precision

Being of service

Organization

Constructive criticism

Trusting the process

Blending the old with the new

Setting up new procedures

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Virgo New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Judgmental or overly critical attitudes

Analysis paralysis

Inefficiency or getting stuck in the details

Inability to see the bigger picture

September 25- New Moon in 2-Libra Live & Let Live

- Crystals: Chevron Amethyst for wisdom, Fluorite for clarity.

Make wishes around relationships, balance, and harmonic exchanges of energy. This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set intentions based on the house-themes of wherever 2-Libra is in your chart.

Libra New Moon Intention

I practice forgiveness, connection, and harmony. My internal justice system is aligned with truth and fairness.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Libra New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Fairness

Justice

Balance

Harmony

Partnership

Ability to see all perspectives

Kindness

Honesty

Authenticity

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Libra New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

People-pleasing tendencies

Indecision

Unhealthy compromise

Being two-faced

October 25- New Moon in 2-Scorpio

Connecting the Cosmic Dots

- Crystals: Tiger's Eye for empowerment, Carnelian for emotional intelligence

Make wishes around: liberation, magic, mystery, vitality, and healthy use of personal power. What do you want to change at a deeper level? This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set intentions based on the house-themes wherever 2-Scorpio is in your chart.

Scorpio New Moon Intention

I experience clarity, magic, and curiosity. I trust that all is well in my kingdom.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Scorpio New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Ability to execute

Transcendence

Growth

Passion and desire

Resourcefulness

Embracing personality quirks as strengths

Self-discovery

Connection with an intimate partner

Healing power struggles and finding your personal power

Making new financial pathways through shared resources

Magic and metaphysics

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Scorpio New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Jealousy

Resentment

Secrecy

Distrust

Revenge

November 23- New Moon in 1-Sagittarius

The High Road

- Crystals: Lapis for creativity, Green Aventurine for opportunity.

Make wishes around: taking a road trip, teaching a new class, publishing a book, and finding a new outlook on life. Do something fun! Where do you need to live a little? This phase signifies new beginnings and is a great time to set intentions based on the house-themes of wherever 1-Sagittarius is in your chart.

Sagittarius New Moon - Eclipse Intention

I naturally find freedom, peace and joy in each day. I express my gratitude and contentment with life easily and graciously.

Positive (High) Vibes of the Sagittarius New Moon

(Make wishes in these areas)

Travel and adventure

Higher education, students, and mentors

Involvement with artistic and multicultural endeavors

Truth-seeking, devotion and faith

Friends

Enthusiasm

Growth

Peace of mind and meditation

Ceremonies

Heirs and guardians

Abundance and fortune

Legal hearings/careers

Publishing books

Challenging (Low) Vibes of the Sagittarius New Moon

(What you might wish to remove)

Procrastination

Delusional thinking or overly optimistic attitudes

Over-doing things or exaggerating

Taking shortcuts

Making assumptions

December 23- New Moon in 1-Capricorn The Visionary

- Crystals: Smokey Quartz for calming, Apache Tear for grounding and healing trauma.

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Capricorn New Moon Intention

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(Make wishes in these areas)

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