

A few notes about what got the Tiger?

In a nutshell, Tiger got hit by Pluto and Saturn as will most of us in the coming month.

Tiger Woods is a Capricorn – December 30, 1975 – and was born to find the balance between fits of perfectionism and extraordinary imagination. He was born with a strong MARS MH which is a strong indication of an ambitious, athletic competitive individual. However, his Sagittarius Moon IC wants to make everyone happy. Because it is a balsamic Moon type, he would feel “different” than others and has the capacity of having many different love relationships in this life time. In fact, this is the chart of someone with many paradoxes. He can be very level-headed (we see that when his eye is on the ball), civilized and rational. On the other hand, he has drive and passion that could develop into complications. He would have a social conscience with a concern for the overall picture. But, he also has Pluto in the first house in a trine to his elevated Mars which can make it easy for him to “slip-up” with relationships.

At the time of writing these notes, Tiger is being secretive about the reason he crashed his automobile at 2:25 AM. It really isn't any of our business but when one becomes a public figure who is as wealthy as he is it becomes a delicious distraction from what is going on in the world that matters.

So, looking at the transits that matter – Saturn and Pluto in a square – Tiger has Pluto starting a 2 to 3 year conjunction with his 4th house SUN (family, home, emotions); while Saturn is conjunct his natal 1st house Pluto. The above lingo translates this way - the current Saturn/Pluto square is pointing to Tiger's sense of self and the potential for being a positive or negative influence over his family and those he loves. He wants to always have a perfect reputation and to seem totally in control. His lessons in life generally point to finding balance between his passionate side to his organized and disciplined side. He is a teacher to all of us how to find the middle way between high energy and ambition with remaining balanced and harmonious with those you love.

Considering that Saturn is about being careful, in control and strong at all costs and Pluto is all about releasing, purifying, purging and probably a time of humility and/or death and loss this tells the story of how one individual is dealing with the problem that Pluto brought up. Tiger is a good example of facing the truth and at the same time demanding privacy. This isn't about secrecy as much as privacy and control so that others don't get hurt.

In each of us there will be a place that Saturn and Pluto are pointing in our birth charts. The key to achieving a sense of accomplishment will be to speak the truth but be aware of the consequences of each action and deed. Pluto likes to bring us into a mire of problems while Saturn enjoys a climb upward. In both cases it is quite easy to fall, slip and get muddy.