

# Janet's Plan-its™ 2007 ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆

# Celestial Planner

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## Introduction

We walk out our doors each day and the world looks about the same. We forget we're on a giant sphere spinning through space. The movement of our planet around our star (the sun) is related to time and space, the dimensions of our perceived reality. The other ingredient in our experience of life is *us*, the thinkers. Like Descartes said: "I think therefore I am." We create our own reality, or at least our version of it.

The great film "What the #\$\*! Do We (K)now!?" presents quantum physics in lay terms, how sub-atomic components in motion affect other moving bits. Sounds like astrology to me! The microcosm reflects the macrocosm; our solar system is like a huge atom. In the film, Dr. Masaru Emoto demonstrates the impact of thoughts on water molecules, showing our thoughts affect not only our body but other things as well.

The power of positive thinking should command greater respect! With that in mind, I aim to aid your efforts in composing your reality. Janet's Plan-its suggest how to work with astrological influences to maximize their benefits and minimize any detrimental effects. Put my advice together with your thought-power and voila! Create a better life.

## Overview of 2007

Two thousand seven is a Nine year ( $2+0+0+7=9$ ). In numerology, a Nine year ends a cycle and prepares us for the new energy to come next year. Some systems that have been in place the past eight years have lost steam. This is a time for transition and letting go. Nine is also a spiritual number, urging us to be kind to one another and work on inner growth rather than material success. It prompts us to live our lives in an exemplary way. "They shall be known by their deeds."

Along this same theme astrologically, 2007 is a year to be broadminded and philosophical, to live up to high principles and be good citizens of the world<sup>1</sup>. We're more optimistic than in 2006, a year of formidable extremes. We'll see a lot of growth in 2007, albeit often with growing pains. We're more attuned to the plight of the unfortunate, a trend since the second half of 2006<sup>2</sup>. We strive to develop greater sensitivity and spirituality, and to move past being judgmental<sup>3</sup>. Overall, this will feel like a better year than we've had for some time, but it does have its uphill battles, and no period is free from at least one drawback (which is true in most years).

The year begins mildly enough but it doesn't take long to set up challenges. The New Moon on 1/18 starts a 4-week cycle of volatility (especially

trying around 1/22). An unlucky influence brings difficulties out of the blue and portends accidents or large-scale disasters. Long distance travel is not advisable, nor is installation of technological equipment. This influence<sup>4</sup> repeats with similar problems around 5/10 and 10/9, and is loosely in effect a good portion of the year. Use the energies at hand in a positive manner by studying new thought systems, science, metaphysics or the ways of a different culture.

What we thought we could count on seems to weaken or erode, and confusion and chaos can undermine our efforts at control and order at the hands of another difficult influence<sup>5</sup>. This is prominent in late February and again from the 5/18 New Moon through the summer solstice, and to a lesser extent, continuing all season.

Mid-to-late March is the runner-up for the best period of the year, and we'll feel like we're making some real progress. Eclipses then have a mix of helpful influences accompanying harder ones. A positive force<sup>6</sup> at the spring equinox carries its momentum through the spring season. Of course, adjustments are required later, particularly in early May and throughout the summer. Although this summer is better than last year, we'll feel like we take one step backward for every step forward,

and we end up re-doing a lot of what was handled earlier. The strangest time of 2007 may be in the 4-week cycle starting at the 7/14 New Moon. No planets are in interactive configurations and two are totally disconnected wild cards, indicating we may run amok and suffer by being unfocused.

The Eclipses at the end of the summer, like those in March, send us mixed messages, some of hope, some of caution. They foster intense discussions that can lead to significant improvements. Around Halloween, the power for positive visualization is potent and we can make magic in early November, the best period of the year. The New Moon on 11/9 is the most positive one in 2007. But shortly thereafter we enter another backtracking phase, lasting into January, which lowers our energy level and spurs us to do our "inner work."

The year ends with a bang! There should be some big news just before the winter solstice. A precarious influence around 12/11 indicates that major change is inevitable, but it need not be negative. It's time to discard old things and ways, or life will take them away – a fitting end to a Nine year.

***May you steer the planets' energies wisely in 2007!***

***Yours in the stars,***

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<sup>1</sup>Jupiter in Sagittarius; <sup>2</sup>North Node in Pisces, South Node in Virgo;

<sup>3</sup>Jupiter square the Nodes, February to mid-September; <sup>4</sup>Jupiter square Uranus; <sup>5</sup>Saturn opposite Neptune; <sup>6</sup>Jupiter trine Saturn