

Libra 24 September - 23 October



Your element: Air

Your ruling planets: Venus

Symbol: The Scales

Your stone: Clear quartz, diamond, white coral and zircon

Life Pursuit: harmonious in body, mind and spirit

Vibration: Refined

Secret Desire: Refined, social, artistic, vacillating, intellectual, communicative and concerned with relationships

You're born under the sign of Libra, which represents the element of air, or the intellect. You're most definitely a thinker — you like to use your mind to tackle problems. Libra is the seventh sign of the zodiac, which refers to relationships of all sorts and your connection to the world around you.

People know you as someone who loves to socialize. Your outgoing nature and love of communicating brilliant ideas to people around you is one of your strengths. You're rarely at a loss for words ... even on your worst day you have the gift of the gab!

You not only have the ability to share your ideas in a very natural way; you also have charm in the way you convey your feelings. This is another of your very positive traits. Even people who don't agree with what you have to say can't resist you and will usually behave well around you — you're simply a nice person.

Your love of communication makes you an excellent mediator and negotiator. Coupled with the fact that you're always reasonable in the way you deal with people, this means your friends and co-workers can always depend on your having a balanced viewpoint, even in the fiercest of arguments.

In fact, if there's a problem with you, it comes out of the fact that you're so good at seeing all the sides of a problem and staying impartial. This makes it hard for you to commit to one side of an argument — you don't want to be seen as biased, and you want everyone to like you!

What ends up happening is that the way you get everyone's approval is by agreeing with everyone. This is not a good idea, because you're agreeing to things for the wrong reasons: to keep everyone on side, rather than because you're firmly committed to something. Try not to do this, because it can mess up your dealings with people. You don't need to bend over so far just to be accepted.

Making decisions is an area in which you excel, but again, don't jump to conclusions simply to please others. You have the ability to look at all sides of an issue, so use it. Sometimes you get stressed if you feel you're being obstructed somehow. The answer is to get all the relevant facts; running off and asking others to support you will just confuse things.

And anyway, if you look inside yourself you'll realize that you can rely on your own experiences. You don't need to use others as a crutch for your decisions.

When you get to know people, you are perfectly comfortable sharing your feelings with them, and you'll go to some trouble to make them feel at ease. You create harmony in your environment to match the harmony in your character.

This relates to the fact that your ruling planet is Venus. This is a soft and gracious planet, and feminine by nature. Your softer side is expressed in pretty much everything you do — the way you entertain guests, the type of home furnishings you like to buy, the clothes you wear and even your personal grooming.

All these things express the natural flair and grace which is part of that Venus temperament. There's no way others won't notice your style. People see you as elegant and tasteful — and that's people who know you well as well as people who've just met you.

You often make a great first impression because you are such a good communicator and connect so easily with people; this makes you an ace networker. Some people believe you must have an ulterior motive because you are dealing with so many people at once, but it's really just that you absolutely love socializing and partying. You are a real 'people person'.

Because Venus is the planet of love, you seek love this in everything you do, and particularly in relationships. Finding your soul mate is a big dream, perhaps even your most significant life mission — you will go to great lengths to meet lots and lots of people. Who knows where you'll find the right one? You have a lot to give to the person you feel is your perfect match.

Very few Librans find the peace and satisfaction they're looking for until they've connected with that special person. Once this happens, they can really get into their work, family and other domestic affairs with energy.

There are three grades of Libra. Which of these do you fall under? You can figure it out by the date of your Libran birth.

If you're born between the 24th of September and the 3rd of October you are a true die hard Libran and have the qualities of Venus fully dominating your life. You are artistic, caring and full of love and social warmth. Venus provides you with loads of friends, perhaps too many at times.

Librans born between the 4th and 13th of October are a little wacky by nature but harmless. If that's you, life is a bundle of fun and you can expect the unexpected from time to time. You like the surprises that life throws at you.

The **final portion of Libra occurs between the 14th and 23rd of October**. Were you born during this time frame? If so, you are the type of Libran who is constantly on the hunt for knowledge and information. You are an eternal student who will never tire of learning new things. As well, you will never grow old as Mercury's co ruler ship of your life ensures a sprightly and youthful attitude.

Libra is a movable air sign, which means there's creativity in you. You are quick to grasp ideas, and you have a need to produce works of art and unusual or original things. You bring a touch of art to anything you do. Remember to incorporate this part of you into all your life's activities; you'll be richly rewarded.

THREE CLASSES OF LIBRA

September 24 - October 3

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October 4 - 13

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October 14 - 23

The final portion of Libra is between the 14th and 23rd October. If this is your birth date you are the type of Libran who is constantly on the hunt for knowledge and information – an almost insatiable thirst. You will never tire of learning new things and could be kindly termed the eternal student. As well you will never grow old as Mercury's co-ruler ship of your life ensures a youthful attitude and sprightly future.

Born on the Cusp

Libra – Virgo cusp

The junction point of two star signs is called the cusp. This is a change over period when those born in this interval, in your case between the 21st and 29th of September, will partake of some of the characteristics of the previous star sign, namely Virgo.

The combined influence of the two ruling planets that is Venus the ruler of Libra and Mercury, the ruler of Virgo endow you with a very quick and analytical mind. You have an extended awareness and can apply this to both practical matters as well as spiritual insights as well.

Because you are such a rational person you take on the critical aspects of Virgo and can sometimes be extremely difficult to deal with. Your mind is in hyper mode much of the time and this can tire you out as well as get people off side.

Relationships are to be felt and ideas are there to be thought about. Try switching these around although it's not a bad idea to keep a balance of these other areas of your life and by doing so the Virgo - Libra combination will serve you well.

An important point I should make is that Virgo being the sign of health and Libra being the sign of sociability, one may affect the other. Living life too hard, on the razors edge is not a good thing for you. If you are as aware as what I've indicated, it will start to make sense when you're not living in harmony with what nature has intended.

You have a mixture of emotion and mentality and at times when you oscillate between the two. You try to make decisions with your feelings and try to analyse emotional relationships with your mind. Don't you think this is back to front Libra?

Your bodily signals will be quite clearly pronounced and you should listen to what these signals are telling you. Try to keep balance on your mind, don't let the critical side of Virgo overtake your sensibilities and be gentle on yourself because Virgo can be their own worst self critics. Love yourself Libra!

Libra – Scorpio Cusp

The Libra – Scorpio cusp is an intense and passionate one. If you are born between the 19th and the 24th you'll have strong elements of Scorpio influencing your personality.

This is an exciting combination which endows you with both social graces and intense sexual magnetism. Those born in this cusp are probably some of the most sexually switched on individuals in the Zodiac.

You could easily persuade others to do whatever you want them to do but particularly in the bedroom. This combination makes you a conqueror of the opposite sex. And fortunately you may have troubles with commitment being born in this cusp and for that reason you'll need to delve into your past to see what elements of your upbringing have influenced you and may be working against your best interests.

Although you are overly critical, this usually comes from a deep level of devotion to friends and family and often people don't see this. Try to be softer in the way you handle the one's you love. Your desire to push people to bring out their best may backfire and cause you a lot of troubles.

You have a wonderful sense of intuition and your judgment is profoundly well developed. You could use both of these attributes to come up with conclusions that others are dazzled by. People do wonder how you come up with the ideas that you do and there is an element of mental brilliance associated with your birth during this time of the year.

There's a great impulsiveness in your nature which means you need to be careful about being overly self-indulgent or developing compulsions that are hard to overcome. Laziness too which is not normally evident in the Scorpio could sneak in to your personality so always fight the urge to lay back and become a couch potato.

Overall this cuspal influence is excellent as it brings eventually peace and harmony and this Scorpion determination to achieve what it is you so desperately desire in life.

Aries Sign Compatibility

Libra & Aquarius

Libra and Aquarius, Air again and again... A heavenly love, provided that you find someone to cook and clean for you.

It is not quite without problems; still, a Libra-Aquarius relation could last for a very long time. You are both good listeners and you communicate with the others very well. The only difference is that Libra thinks that anybody should give and receive, and Aquarius gets lost with crazy ideas, abstract concepts and discussions.

So listen to your Aquarius and don't forget you cannot change him; it's like trying to mould a bubble of air. Anyway, you both like talking so you will be excellent friends. Therefore, since you are both looking for a perfect friend first and a wedding ring afterwards, it can all start from here.

The only problem you will have with Aquarius is that (s)he loves freedom too much and you want to make him/her settle down too quickly. Allow him/her some time and space to be him/herself, don't take him/her too harshly and give him/her the freedom (s)he needs.

Aquarius is a very rational sign, the rebel of the zodiac, always in search for a cause to commit him/her to.

Libra & Capricorn

Libra and Capricorn? Don't think so. Unless you are willing to get bored for the rest of your life. Big time.

The Libra-Capricorn relation is a difficult one and only the diplomacy, patience and tact of Libra can make it last. The main problem is that you are both cardinal signs which mean you have a lot of ideas but there is no one to put them into practice.

And there is also the fact that Capricorn, as an Earth sign, does not like changes: Capricorn usually travels by a tram called Reality. Moreover, Capricorn hardly ever has fun and you will always feel bored, for Libra is a sociable sign that likes being surrounded by people.

Of course, considering the situation coldly, a Capricorn could help organize your life a little bit. Capricorn is a native that is very careful with money and (s)he will probably handle it (you spend a little too much anyway).

Libra & Sagittarius

Libra and Sagittarius, Air and Fire. An excellent combination: the Archer is hard to get but once you've made him/her stay, (s)he will become a dream partner for you.

Sagittarius' fantastic and exciting thirst for adventure will definitely make you fall in love with him/her at first sight. Libra's gentleness and refinement, on the other hand, will attract this traveller, maybe even make him/her stop for a while from his/her search for discoveries.

You both like parties and making new friends. You communicate very easily and you have much energy: this is a perfect match. Sagittarius is more enthusiastic and has greater ideas and plans, and you are the romantic and sentimental partner.

Sagittarius is afraid of being "put on chains" or getting too involved in a relationship. Sagittarius needs much freedom, much space, for (s)he has to be sure (s)he is not locked in the cage or forced to live side by side with a certain person. In return, Sagittarius is very faithful once (s)he has begun to trust someone and (s)he will prove to be a reliable friend, who will always be there for you. The first step is harder to take, that's all.

Libra & Scorpio

Libra and Scorpio. Air and Water: you couldn't have found anything more difficult to mix!

Ok, Scorpio is mysterious, (s)he lives intensely, (s)he seems to know the secret of the universe and (s)he is a little obsessed every now and then. Now, what can a nice Libra like about a Scorpio? Scorpio is a native difficult to understand and (s)he often needs time and isolation to grasp his/her own feelings.

What Scorpio feels is very complex and (s)he may even love you in his/her way. But Scorpio's ways are hard to decipher, for Scorpio is a Water sign so (s)he can go without problems where the rational and balanced Libra, who looks for equilibrium and harmony, is lost or refuses to go. Scorpio handles an ocean of feelings perfectly, even during a storm.

Scorpio is possessive and jealous. Almost nothing that is said about Scorpios is true, but everything is worth listening to. Scorpio is possessive because beneath that tough shell of an "impetuous" native lays a personality that desperately needs understanding, love (lots of it) and acceptance. Your harmonious spirit will hardly cope with a Scorpio's outburst

Libra & Pisces

Libra and Pisces, Air and Water? Beautiful, fascinating, unexpected... and often highly improbable.

If you happened to fall in love with a Pisces, you were probably fascinated by some mysterious, charming thing that all Pisces natives seem to hide. But don't say I didn't warn you: down there, in the depth of the water where the Fish live, there is nothing really, except for confusion, contradictory feelings and uncertainty.

With some natives, it can work, but with others, it doesn't. It depends on the other planets in your birth chart, especially for Pisces. The angle between you two on the circle of the zodiac is 150 degrees. Even without an astrological name, it still looks like a strange angle.

And it is strange, indeed. Equilibrium is the most difficult to obtain in a Libra-Pisces relation, if it is a long-term one. In fact, it is better said that balancing a Pisces, making him/her reach that point of stability and harmony, is quite difficult. By the way, if you find a solution, it's even better: we license it, wrap it and get rich immediately, because it is often impossible.

Libra & Aries

Libra and Aries? Yes and no, maybe yes, maybe no... Stars seem to be undecided, too.

It is sure that Libra and Aries are 180 degrees apart on the zodiac circle, which means you are opposite signs. The attraction between you two at first sight is ardent, remarkable, fatal. Generally, though, the relation encounters many difficulties later. There are more strong points than weak points, but the weak ones are essential.

You, dear Libra, are the sign of partnership (of any kind: marriage, family, friends, associations) while Aries is the sign of initiative. This should end with "until death parts us". But this is where the problems start, too: Aries, headed towards action, has the impression that Libra avoids reality, and when the charm of the beginning is over, you will think Aries is a little too impertinent, rude and unkind.

Libra's desire is to find inner balance, harmony and peace. Aries needs to discover new worlds, Columbus (or Picard) is written on his forehead, (s)he is restless until (s)he finds something new to deal with. Moreover, although not very faithful himself/herself, Aries demands complete faithfulness from his/her partner. Aries cannot forgive too easily Libra's hesitation in getting more involved in their relation. The physical relation, as in most cases of "attraction of the opposites", is fantastic, but what remains afterwards?

Libra & Libra

Libra and Libra? How long did it take you to set the first date?

With a Libra, you will feel as if you constantly look in the mirror: you look at yourself but there is also someone weird that resembles you and is looking at you from the mirror. On

the good side of things, you are both lively and in love with beauty. On the other side though, you are quite lazy when it comes to housework and way too undecided. That's why I asked how long it took you to set the first date: it's hard to make one Libra say "yes", let alone two of them!

The relations between two natives of the same sun sign can be very good, but they are often a little too much alike and they end up getting bored or not standing each other's flaws. In your case, the main problems will be who rules and where, who cleans the house and where you can learn to let your passion free. Your relationship can be successful if you clear some things from the beginning.

Since each Libra is a little general of the army (although Libra is a perfect diplomat, that rules tactfully), assigning clear responsibilities and duties, tasks and rights from the beginning is worth the effort, even if it takes you 100 hours of discussions. Your incapacity of making a decision comes from your seeing both sides, looking at them carefully and not wanting to make a mistake or to be unfair etc.

Libra & Virgo

Libra and Virgo? Cheerful Air and Earth? You'd better stay at home, at least you won't get angry this way...

Your pleasant, attractive personality will immediately attract a Virgo. The problem is Virgo's perfectionism. Virgo criticizes anything that comes in the way and this is what you particularly dislike, being nagged and analyzed all the time and having your every step watched.

Besides that, Libra is too sentimental for a Virgo, who is often emotionally inhibited (or too reserved) and takes life TOO seriously. We are talking about a sun sign that is rather rigid for your taste and does not open up too easily. Love will have a short life for you two.

Certainly, Libra gets along with almost any zodiac sign due to his/her diplomacy and permanent charm. The only problem will arise when you are not happy with the situation anymore. Virgo is often too reticent, even sexually. Virgo is a faithful native, indeed, and this is a good thing.

You can always rely on a Virgo: for good, for worse, in the morning, in the evening, whenever you need him/her, Virgo is always there for you. However, you will have problems with the sexual aspect: too many things that Virgo finds perverse, too much reserve, too long until (s)he unwinds.

Libra & Taurus

Libra and Taurus? A clear-headed Libra should think ten times before going into something like this... It's a difficult relationship.

Of course, Taurus is a wonderful person, no doubt about it. The problem between you two is making decisions, even the most insignificant ones. Taurus' style in this regard? (S)He just waits for somebody to come and solve the problem. Libra's style? Much the same. And when we deal with two signs that don't like talking honestly about many things and prefer to let problems solve by themselves, we can say that conflicts are most likely to appear quite frequently.

At the beginning, the relation is very good. Taurus enjoys everything that is good in life, (s)he is sensual and (s)he knows how to have fun. On the other hand though, Libra, precisely because (s)he is a Libra, can't refrain from a little flirts every now and then, so that (s)he convinces him/herself that (s)he is still wanted. Taurus does not appreciate this, for Taurus is a sort of faithfulness fanatic.

To a great extent, this combination depends on the kind of Taurus you choose. If (s)he is a confident Taurus, (s)he shouldn't be bothered by irrelevant things like this one. But if (s)he isn't...

Libra & Gemini

You two shouldn't forget to come down to Earth from time to time, the world needs you around. With two Air signs, of which one is a double-faced Twin (or a Twin with two personalities, as they like saying) and the other is a Libra with two scales looking for equilibrium, everything is perfect. Mind though that you find someone who spends some time at home, cleans the house and things like this. Oh, yes, and somebody to bring money.

An excellent relation: Gemini is so curious, so young in spirit and giddy that (s)he will fascinate you. Gemini will feel even more attracted to you because, in comparison to a Twin, even a Libra will seem realistic and clear-headed.

Gemini's communication skills, his/her vivacity, the way in which (s)he reaches to the "core of the action", all this will turn each day into a new adventure.

You will probably have a lot of friends because Gemini is as sociable as you are. Your Gemini will probably take you out quite often (for Gemini doesn't stay at home too much) and, at one point, you will probably have to think very seriously about who stays at home anymore

Libra & Cancer

Libra and Cancer? Cheerful Air and temperamental Water? You'd better give up... Seriously, you'd better stay away from it.

Why? Let's start with the fact that Cancer is very, very, very sentimental. You will say that is a good thing in a relation. It is, indeed, but if it is too much, it affects and spoils the taste of the other ingredients, just like salt does.

Governed by the Moon, the most wandering celestial body, Cancer is a capricious and self-restrain native. Well, we could call him/her "introspective", so that we don't upset him/her, but in reality Cancer changes from one moment to another.

You just don't know when and why Cancer got upset, it takes hours to make him/her get over it and, in addition, (s)he never forgets. Cancer forgives, but (s)he does not forget. And when (s)he gets the chance, (s)he explains to you how badly you hurt him/her five years ago. And if you can't remember, Cancer will get upset all over again. Diplomacy can be very helpful in this relation, but pay attention to Cancer's high sensitiveness.

Cancer is a very complex person and (s)he has a depth of feelings that you find a little exaggerated. It's difficult to get under that shell (s)he carefully shows, and a Libra will often get bored before reaching the bottom of the ocean

Libra & Leo

Libra and Leo? Air and Fire? If you caught a Lion in your trap, keep him/her close, it's an excellent relation.

A classic combination: Air and Fire, each of them adores the other. The Air knows how to feed the Fire so it plays as the Air dictates... In brief, there is a good chance for the relation to last and stay fresh and beautiful.

Libra - meaning you - is very good at manipulating, for Libra likes ruling, but not in an obvious way - (s)he is a "little general". The good thing is that Leo falls for it very well. Leo likes ruling in an obvious way, but (s)he also likes being appreciated, loved, being told how wonderful (s)he is. Most often Leo is wonderful, indeed; after all, it's a royal sign: no matter whom (s)he is, next to him/her you feel like you are the king of something.

Leo likes saving people, situations that (s)he can be applauded for during the action. Moreover, Leo will replace your hesitation with an ardent spirit of action. So, any time you want him to do something for you or in your favour, all you have to know is how to begin the sentence: "Sweetheart, you are so... (Three-five qualities), would you... (The thing you want him to do)?" It will definitely be a success with Leo, especially if you are careful not to

flatter him, because (s)he will see right through you. Leo enjoys sincere admiration, because (s)he really thinks (s)he has all the qualities people say (s)he has.

2014 Love Horoscope

With Uranus in Libra's house of relationships, the period 2011-2018 will be trepidant, marked by changes that regard the couple or the couple partner.

To successfully go through these years, you'll need adjustability and benevolence. More than ever in the first part of 2014, because Uranus will be caught in a tense configuration.

And there's more to it. The ruler of Libra's house of relationships, Mars, will be in the cycle of retrograde movement precisely in Libra, where it'll stay unusually long: between December 7th 2013 and July 26th 2014. This long stay could have an important impact on the couple life.

In theory, retrograde Mars in Libra should amplify your sexuality and love initiative, make you more desired and bring passion to your life. It's just that Mars will be irritated by the opposition with Uranus and by the squares with Jupiter and Pluto and will tend to take out its negative, aggressive and conflicting side.

Beyond the tendency towards disagreement, there'll be the danger of outbursts or even break-up, especially if the personal horoscope predisposes. Moreover, by March 2014 Venus, the planet of love and Libra's ruler, will also be in the cycle of retrograde movement.

The most complicated periods will be January, March, (particularly!) April and the first two decanates of May 2014.

The above-described transits could bring, however, passionate love stories too. But they will tend to be troubled and to end badly.

In July 2014, tension will dispel as if it has never been there, and harmony will take its place back in Libra's relationships.

Under a splendid, big triangle between Mars, Jupiter and Uranus, the second part of September and all the month October 2014 will promise happy love and fulfilment for Libra's couple life.