



The Karmic Insight Report for

## Mother Teresa

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## Introduction

From an esoteric point of view your birth chart is a portrait of your soul's intention for this lifetime, the lessons to be learned, qualities to develop, problems to be resolved, service to be rendered. From that perspective, the choices one makes in one's daily life have reverberations that may last beyond even this lifetime.

This report is written to help you clarify your lessons and goals, illuminate your struggles, and encourage you to move in the direction of your true purposes.

The best to you on your journey...

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Sun	9	Leo	48	Pluto	5	Gem	08
Moon	26	Ari	01	N. Node	0	Tau	11
Mercury	6	Vir	35	Asc.	1	Sag	40
Venus	16	Can	17	MC	25	Vir	24
Mars	20	Leo	24	2nd cusp	9	Cap	09
Jupiter	21	Vir	13	3rd cusp	20	Aqu	42
Saturn	13	Ari	56	5th cusp	21	Ari	27
Uranus	29	Sag	11	6th cusp	12	Tau	22
Neptune	28	Gem	01				

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GMT: 13:25:00 Time Zone: 1 hours East  
Lat. and Long. of birth: 41 N 59 21 E 26

### Aspects and orbs:

Conjunction	: 5 Deg 00 Min	Trine	: 4 Deg 00 Min
Opposition	: 5 Deg 00 Min	Sextile	: 3 Deg 00 Min
Square	: 4 Deg 00 Min	Quincunx	: 3 Deg 00 Min
Conjunct Asc:	3 Deg 00 Min Above,		5 Deg 00 Min Below

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## Chapter 1: The Moon

The placement of the Moon in your birth chart is very significant from a karmic perspective, as it indicates the accumulated karmic tendencies, both positive and negative, that you carry from your past incarnated experiences on earth.

While the Sun reveals your intended purposes and lessons for this present life cycle, the MOON represents what you have already done and developed, hence, what is instinctive and natural to you, and what you tend to do over and over again. Your childhood is also reflected in the Moon's placement, as it is through those childhood circumstances that any unresolved past-life issues are re-stimulated. Your subconscious predisposition is indicated by the Moon's position. It is the psychic imprint of the past. The nodes of the Moon describe behavior patterns from the past, as well as delineating a direction out of outworn or overdone behaviors and habits.

### *Moon in Aries*

You instinctively react to challenges or stress with action, decisiveness, and a first-strike approach. Subconsciously you feel that you must either conquer or be conquered, and thus tend to view personal differences as a threat to be fought or defended against. This underlying feeling that life is a dogfight can make you rather quick-tempered, defensive, and combative, responses that frequently hinder you in establishing closeness and security in personal relationships. Since you feel that the other person is essentially a rival or opponent, it is difficult for you to let down your guard.



You may have lived many lifetimes in the military or in rather primitive circumstances in which you basically had to depend on yourself to hack out an existence, perhaps as a pioneer or explorer. These experiences enabled you to develop a deep sense of inner self-reliance and independence as well as a residual, underlying sense of "I'm all I've got", a feeling of singularity and aloneness which continues to influence your behavior and your choices.

In your present life it may be that you were forced to fend for yourself emotionally at a young age. You may well have been an only child or the first born, with the attendant feelings of being the chief or leader of the pack. If you were a middle child, it is likely that you resented this position since it does not correspond with your innate feeling about yourself, namely that you should be the first or dominant one. You subconsciously expect to be first and can be rather demanding and impatient when it comes to having your desires and needs attended to. At the same time, you dislike having to depend upon others for anything or having others depend upon you, especially emotionally. You were taught not to be a "leaner" and you dislike this trait in others, so much so that you may reject even natural, healthy expressions of neediness from other people. The urge to be a free agent and to act independently is deeply ingrained in you. For this reason, cooperative endeavors or partnerships of any kind often feel strained and uncomfortable to you, unless both parties are permitted a great deal of personal space or unless you are essentially the boss. Your competitive instincts are too strong to allow another to take the lead or, if the truth be told, even to share that position. The existence of win-win situations and outcomes that benefit everyone involved may be an entirely new concept for you!

Another facet of your deep down conquer or be conquered feeling about life is that you are prone to retreat or give up rather quickly if you cannot immediately make the impact you wish. Unless your initial efforts are successful, you are quick to feel defeated and to drop your plans altogether. Compromise, patience, and sorting

out differences in a mutually helpful way is something you have yet to learn at a deep level.

When at your best, you express a confident, take charge attitude which enables you to lead and blaze new trails. You do well in independent enterprises and anywhere you have a clear cut opponent or challenge to pit yourself against, but once again, in intimate one-to-one relations this self assertion can work against you. You tend to be more selfish than you realize, especially when you are pursuing your latest passion or enthusiasm. You do not want to slow down, and other people's needs and wishes may get run over. Non-verbally and unconsciously you may send them the message that you do not want them to depend on you or get in your way. You often respond with a forceful, rather insensitive denial of feelings and emotional needs, your own as well as other people's. When young you are apt to feel invincible and to scorn weakness.

You are also quick to anger. The plus side of this is that once you blow up, it is all over and forgotten. However, you tend to have an anger habit, that is, to be easily provoked, unable to control your temper and apt to lash out quickly no matter how inappropriate or uncalled for that reaction may be. Also, your anger can be a cover for other, "weaker" feelings like hurt, sadness, helplessness, or inadequacy.

The qualities you most need are patience and receptivity. Learning to listen and take in what others are offering, to receive, to ask for help and support, and to acknowledge all of your own (and other's) feelings will go a long way to create harmonious and satisfying, close relationships.

#### *North Node in Taurus:*

In your incarnational past, you tended toward intensity, passionate extremes, and radical solutions to your problems. Your growth direction now is to become more grounded in the physical world, and committed to a work or a lifestyle that enables you to be more stable, reliable, and trustworthy.

#### *North Node in 5th house:*

You may find your past tendencies are particularly active whenever you are involved in a group, club, organization, or in community with others. That is where you tend to behave in the old way. Your growth direction is activated when you are involved in personal self expression or your individual creative projects.

#### *Moon Conjunct North Node:*

Alliances with women, intimate friends, and family will aid you considerably in fulfilling your growth direction, as will functioning in a parental, soulfully nurturing and supportive role for others.

## **Chapter 2: The Sun**

The Sun in your birth chart represents the primary creative thrust for this lifetime, those qualities you are to develop (or further develop) and express, and your current life focus. This may be in harmony with your instincts and your emotional habits, or along completely different lines. The Sun represents your conscious identity in this lifetime.

#### *Sun in Leo*

Your path of soul development in this lifetime revolves around developing your awareness of yourself as a distinct, unique individual. It is not enough for you to simply be who and what you are, you must radiate your inner essence outwardly, express it, bring it forth in a creative way. Although ultimately your goal is self-discovery and self-recognition, you initially have a profound need to make an impression on others and to be recognized and appreciated by the world. In many ways you are like the eager child who, delighted with the discovery of a new power or accomplishment, demands of all and sundry "See ME! Look what I can do!". Of course, you do this in subtler ways (usually!).



Nevertheless, the joy of self-discovery and self-expression, and the yearning for "strokes", applause, and affirmation is very much present in you. Put simply, you tend to be rather fascinated with yourself. Your tendency to dramatize or exaggerate, and your desire to be the center of attention comes from a need to project yourself into the world in order to see yourself and what makes you special. However, your acute awareness of yourself as an individual can also lead to an excessive, constant self-consciousness which may actually inhibit your free flow of self-expression. You may feel that you are always on stage and have to perform or have to be the best, because you are being watched (at least by yourself!). And you can be incredibly self-centered at times, blind to other people's realities and to the larger realm of life which does not revolve around you.

It is imperative for you to find an area in which you can excel and shine and truly make a significant, personal contribution which matches your inner sense of nobleness. You must have a domain, one which is yours alone to shape and fashion according to your own inner dictates. Unless you are acting from your own heart, from your own core, you are not fulfilling your destiny. Thus, you will resist imitating and being dictated to by others, for your task is to find your own inner light and radiate it. While young you are apt to have heroes and images of greatness in whatever form most resonates with your heart. Ultimately you must become your own hero.

The obvious potential downfall for you (in terms of spiritual growth) is becoming overly preoccupied with the more superficial aspects of your ego, your sense of pride, and personal importance. At your worst you feel threatened by others' original, creative expression or their successes and are unable to give them the acclaim and recognition they have earned. It is as if no one else exists in their own light, except as extensions of yourself, minor characters in a play which stars you. But at your best you affirm not only your own worth and specialness, you also warmly encourage other people's creative talents and the blossoming of their potentials and greatness. You cherish individuality and creativity in other people and nurture that spark wherever you find it. Once free from the great allure of and interest in your ego, you begin to fall in love with the creative process itself and to experience a great joy in being a part of life expressing itself, not only through you, but through others' lives as well.

### **Chapter 3: Rising Sign**

The point that was on the eastern horizon at the moment of your birth is called the ASCENDANT, or rising sign. While the Sun describes your conscious direction and current life focus, and the Moon your subconscious predisposition and past, the Ascendant indicates a way of being that transcends and embraces past, present, and future. It describes the way you engage and merge with the outer world and how you bring through into life the energies depicted by the Sun, the Moon, and the rest of your birth chart. Everything is filtered through the Ascendant from an esoteric point of view. It indicates your soul's function and thus a key part of your destiny.

#### *Sagittarius Rising:*

Faith, belief and the ability to foresee and envision the future or "what could be" are essential elements of your soul function. You may well be ahead of your time or at the fore front of coming trends and movements in the collective. You are a seeker, one who searches for the overview, the larger pattern, or a broad, over-arching

philosophy of life - and also a teacher who conveys that vision or broadcasts it in some way. Your ruling planet is Jupiter.

#### *Sagittarius Rising and Jupiter in Virgo:*

Your Jupiter in Virgo suggests that in addition to your vision and your ability to see the big picture, you have highly developed critical and intellectual faculties. You believe very strongly in education and lifelong learning.

You are meant to translate your philosophical beliefs into concrete, practical service, and are particularly suited to education, medicine, law - or somehow combining these together. (Teaching about health and "natural laws", for instance).

### **Chapter 4: Saturn, Your Achilles Heel**

Karmically considered, the placement of Saturn in your birth chart indicates where your energetic blockages, weaknesses and fears lie, and the areas of your life where the most concentrated effort and discipline will be required to master and overcome them. Yet it also points to the aspects of life which can become your greatest strength if you are willing to face your fears and difficulties honestly, and work with them patiently.

#### *Saturn in Aries*

You have a hard time asserting your own will and desires, and believing that you have a right to them, and thus you are apt to struggle with or avoid situations which might call for direct confrontation or positive, decisive action on your own behalf. Secretly fearful of failing, you withhold yourself from many of the challenges and battles in life, yet at the same time you may resent others who fully and freely "go for it", expressing their own will without reserve. The more you stifle or restrict your own natural aggressive, competitive or "selfish" urges, however, the more internally hostile you are likely to be, and the more cut-off and alone you are likely to feel. Paradoxically, the more forthright and open you are about expressing your initiatives and putting your own will into action, the less acute your feelings of isolation and loneliness become.



There is within you a rather harsh, dictatorial voice (sometimes playfully referred to as the inner Mussolini) which urges you to control yourself, keep a stiff upper lip, to never step out of line or show any weaknesses and, above all, that it is very IMPORTANT to win. One of your parents may have been particularly militaristic and critical of you also. Learning to subdue this internal critic which inhibits you from bringing yourself fully into life, or from even trying to achieve your real desires is an important task for you. Developing courage, confidence and faith in yourself is also the lesson here.

#### *Saturn in 4th house:*

Your roots, background, origins, early home life and/or relationships with your parents is the arena where you most likely have been frustrated or suffered a lack of support (physical or emotional). Basic insecurities stemming from the legacy of your childhood need to be addressed and healed. Being neglected, deprived or burdened with responsibilities beyond a child's capacity may have robbed you of the sense of security a child derives from being taken care of. Quite possibly you were forced into fending for yourself earlier than you were developmentally ready for. Thus, as an adult you need to concentrate on building a solid inner base of security within yourself. One of the blessings here is that through this process you have the opportunity to find your "true

home", a place within you that is the source of real security and nourishment. On an external level, owning your own home or property and developing it over time can be a way to help this process along.

You have a tendency to isolate yourself and become a hermit. At certain periods in your life this is necessary and good, for you develop the strength and self-esteem which were not nurtured in your beginnings. However, you should beware of closing people out entirely, and of rejecting intimacy, family ties, or deep emotional investment.

#### *Saturn is Retrograde:*

All of the above is complicated by the fact that you carry a rather heavy burden of self-doubt, mistrust, or guilt over having let yourself and others down in your past, when you struggled (and failed) with these same issues. You now have the opportunity to correct your course, make amends and resolve a difficult karmic tangle, or a difficult state of mind.

#### *Saturn Square Venus:*

In this lifetime the arena of human relationships and personal love will be full of challenge and lessons for you. Love is hard to find, hard to sustain, or just plain hard! Shyness and loneliness, due mostly to an acute sensitivity to the possibility of rejection, are apt to plague your younger years. Even when friendship and open affection is offered to you, you are prone to doubt it, push it away in disbelief, or feel unworthy of it. Pure, unadulterated pleasure in any form discomforts you. Subconsciously at least, you believe that there is a price to be paid for any love or pleasure you receive, that you may be punished if you enjoy too much or love too much. There is an inner link between love and loss, love and separation, or love and punishment that inhibits you or makes you wary.

Worst of all, you may feel that you are unlovable or unwanted. All of this is a karmic carry-over which needs to be handled with great compassion toward yourself. You may have toughened up and hardened your heart a great deal due to past injury, so that you have acted in cold, unfeeling, ungenerous, or unloving ways towards others and yourself. Perhaps, too, you have put work or other responsibilities ahead of the needs and desires of your heart. An opening and healing of the heart, first of all by cherishing yourself, is necessary. Once you start valuing yourself, your personal relationships will reflect that, and happiness in love in your later years can do much to make up for the earlier difficulties.

You might wish to wear or carry rose quartz, tourmaline, lavender, jade, or chrysoprase.

### **Chapter 5: The Hard Aspects**

The following is a description of your MAJOR LIFE CHALLENGES, both in terms of energies you are to learn to develop and express in a positive way, and those which are the result of struggles and unresolved karmic issues which you have brought into this life.

#### *Mercury Square Pluto:*

You have a penetrating, incisive mind which cuts through surface appearances to the deeper, underlying heart-of-the-matter. Your perceptions and profound insights border at times on being truly uncanny, for you have the gift of being able to perceive the hidden content, the concealed, disguised, or suppressed aspects of a person, situation, or subject. On a concrete level, this quality of mind impels you to be the researcher or investigator, searching out the unknown, uncovering a mystery. Even in casual social interaction you automatically perceive others' subconscious intentions and motives. You are very astute psychologically. Hence, your presence can be somewhat threatening to those who have secrets or who have much invested in the superficial and prefer not to go any deeper.

This capacity carries with it, however, challenges and pitfalls. You may find yourself falling into a habit of mind that is suspicious, paranoid, cynical, or preoccupied with the dark underside of life, and this may skew your entire outlook. (You may also use your considerable insight, persuasiveness, and mental power to try to manipulate others' thoughts and actions which would inevitably bring negative karmic results.) Verbally you can be quite cutting and hurtful. Realize that simply speaking "the truth" without mercy or sensitivity to how your words are received, can do more harm than good.

At its worst this aspect would be expressed in a Machiavellian type of mind, utilizing your keen perception to manipulate and dominate others.

#### *Uranus is Retrograde:*

All of the above is complicated by the fact that in prior times, you experienced great personal instability as a result of impersonal, collective impulses toward change (during a time of revolution, political upheaval, war, etc.). You may well have been an agent of these movements, with a lingering inclination toward radical solutions, extremism, flauntingly disregarding social mores. Or you may have become a reactionary, fearing and resisting all reforms or departures from the "main stream". It is thus difficult for you to be balanced and fair towards any eccentricities (in others or even in yourself). A misuse of science or technology, perhaps participating in experiments which were harmful to you or others, is also indicated. Thus, you may have a deep distrust of or an attraction/repulsion toward science and technological advancement.

#### *Uranus Opposition Neptune:*

You and many others born the year you were are inherently open to experiencing unusual states of consciousness and higher inspiration. However, your grasp of reality may be rather shaky at times. In your incarnational past you practiced extreme methods that forced open your higher spiritual centers before you were prepared to constructively channel those energies and/or you were involved in extreme idealistic systems of thought that were not particularly well-grounded. It is important for you to moderate this extremism and to stabilize yourself. Any mind-altering practice or substance should be utilized with caution. Develop regularity and rhythm in your life, and use your inspirational energies to infuse your ordinary life with imagination. Too much focus on utopia or spirituality can lead to disorientation. You easily get too "far-out".

### **Chapter 6: Soft Aspects**

The following is a description of your GIFTS and STRENGTHS which can help you work with your major life challenges. These are abilities and qualities of heart, mind, and soul which are quite natural to you. You probably take them for granted. Because these represent the lines of least resistance for you, you may rely too much upon them at times; hence, there are some cautions suggested. Still, these are the areas where good flows into your life and/or where you have considerable inner resources.

#### *Moon Trine Uranus:*

You can tolerate a great deal of unpredictability and insecurity (in the sense of the unknowns in your outer circumstances), and thus you are more willing than most to take risks. You have a keen sense of adventure. Your ability to harmoniously adapt to changes and unexpected twists of fate is one of your assets, as is your receptivity to anything new, your willingness to experiment, and your ability to completely alter your direction based on new information and the needs of the moment. You stay open to possibilities no matter how wild or far-fetched they may seem to more conservative folks, and thus you could easily earn the reputation of being a bit wacky. Your natural inclination to pursue the non-traditional or unexplored path is apt to bring you benefits. At

the very least, yours is an unusual, varied, and exciting life, and sometimes includes extraordinary discoveries.

Also, you navigate through life using your intuition, inspiration, and inner impulses to guide you (rather than some pre-planned formula for living) and this will work well for you, as your intuition is sharp and clear and relatively undistorted.

#### *Moon Sextile Neptune:*

You are very much attuned to the feminine side of life, and this is one of your greatest assets. Your refined sense of feeling, your sympathetic understanding of others' unspoken emotions and troubles, your receptiveness and your gentleness are all aspects of this. Because you truly appreciate (and even idealize) women, you tend to attract "angels" into your life, women who want to help you and who will support you on many levels.

You also have a pronounced feeling for music, and your moods and general well-being can be profoundly influenced by the music you listen to. You could compose and/or play music, but this is a talent you may take for granted.

Your psychic abilities are also highly developed, and could be tapped and further refined to the point of clairvoyance, telepathic communication, and so on. Periodically, throughout your life you are apt to have a deep involvement in mysticism, dreams, and inner exploration.

#### *No trines or sextiles:*

You are a person that thrives on challenges and your greatest gift may be your willingness to work hard for what you have. While you take it for granted that effort, attention, and discipline are necessary for success and happiness, others often complain when things do not come easily. This allows you to succeed in the long run. If you ever allow yourself to feel overwhelmed by challenges, to pity yourself, or be jealous of others who seem to have an easier path, then you need to shake yourself loose from this indulgence and develop the inner strength and determination that are beautiful and special qualities of yours.