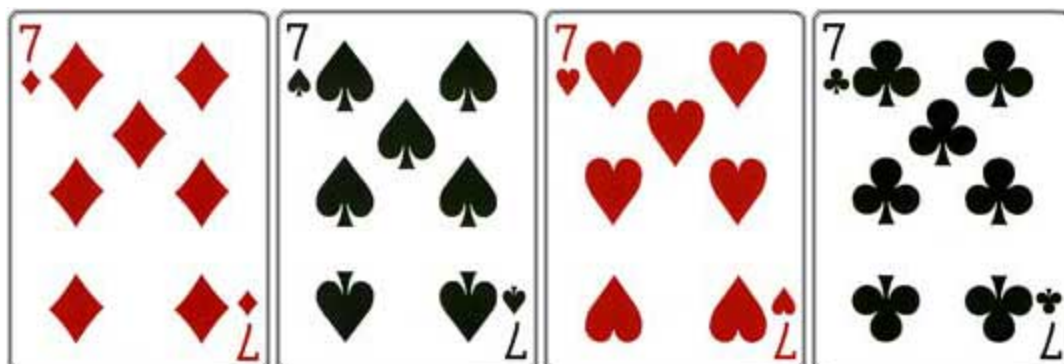


Birth Cards: Sevens



Nine and Seven are the spiritual numbers. In this regard, Seven is more important. The seven is located perfectly in the center of the deck of cards. Think of this: The number of planets is Seven. By the same token we have seven body charkas, seven seals in the Bible's Book of Revelations. Seven comes up frequently in mathematics, and geometry. For ages it has been a meaningful spiritual symbol used in countless religions and cultures. Because it is an odd number Seven symbolizes imbalance. There is movement away from the static and from balance. Seven is moving away from the stable Six. Since the Six can receive messages from a higher source, the Seven symbolized stepping into the unknown. This can be frightening. The Seven leaves the security of an organized and harmonious world. However, in the outside world, peace and contentment are the goals. We want these regardless of objective circumstances. A high state of spirituality is needed and this is very difficult to acquire. It is somewhat related to the difficulty of entering heaven but it is precisely the Seven that is the heaven's gate. The core of the Seven is faith. Sevens are somewhat like a bridge between the everyday world and the spiritual world. During their lifetime they have the opportunity to experience both. True contentment though, resides in the spiritual. A carefree life and full of awe and wonder is what makes them happy and content. The carefree perspective comes from the faith that their needs will be provided for. They are directly connected to a higher power assuring that they will be fine. Worldly concerns are minimized and they experience a higher state of consciousness; the spiritual. Should a Seven slip back to the material world, they encounter endless difficulties and worries. They worry about their basic needs. They are deeply insecure and are certain they are unloved. Worry is relentless. Therefore, they try manipulative techniques as a defense, but they only sink lower. Depression comes and sometime negative attitudes about life that worsen the misery. They become miserly when the Sevens have personalities that are mundane. They never have enough. It becomes critical that Sevens recognize their spiritual side. Sevens simply must live in truth. The name we use does not matter. Sevens, more than others, must walk in the light of truth or be doomed to misery and desperation. It makes sense then, that there are two kinds of Sevens; happy and unattached ones and unhappy and worried ones. There is a magical quality about the unattached ones because their needs are fulfilled without worry. They give and understand and are carefree about everything. They are service oriented. They can do great things for the world. The other Sevens live in poverty, manipulation and contempt. They are profoundly unhappy.