

Chinese and Western Combinations

Leo (Monkey) Month

Combination with Tiger Year:



"Will Power Sun, Fire, Fixed

"Observe" Yang-Positive Wood

Characteristics: Authority, Good Luck, Disobedience, Itinerancy, Fervor, Swagger, Intemperance, Benevolence, Immodesty, Magnetism, Vanity, Impetuosity, Hotheadedness, Bravery, Protection, Philanthropy, Warmth, Promiscuity, Tyranny, Arrogance, Nobility, Self-Satisfaction, Power, Loyalty



When taken singularly this combination, that is not a problem. When Leo is mixed with the Tiger personality, the result is someone who not only thinks they are royalty, but knows they are royalty. As a result, they are extraordinarily snobbish. It is difficult to be tactful about some of the issues facing the Leo-Tiger. They are, of course, royalty. Plainly put, they feel superior to everyone and it shows in the way they talk and in the way they carry themselves. What does not show is that being so much better than everyone else is lonely. This combination refuses to see themselves for what they are and become cute. Everyone, other than himself or herself, recognizes this for what it is and knows the fundamental insincerity. There is some chance they can come to their own rescue from these difficulties because they possess a great deal of courage and that is precisely what it takes for a Leo-Tiger to view themselves for what they are. This combination occasionally makes friends but it is hard for them to keep them. Royalty does not want to have equals around; they want to have yes-men and yes-women around. As if this alone was not difficulty enough, the Leo-Tiger tries to sugarcoat their essence using bad faith.

Romance: Sexual adventures are allowed though because it is possible to perhaps find someone who is willing to acknowledge the royal essence of this combination. This mixture makes domestic life essentially impossible because there are not many who are willing to polish their thrown on a regular basis. Arrogance is not attractive to most individuals. Romance and emotional attachments are not in the Leo-Tiger's field of vision. What they demand in a partner is almost impossible to find because, in their eyes, there is essentially no one who is worthy of marrying them.

Relationships: To be avoided in this combination are the Taurus, Scorpio or Aquarius-Monkey as well as Taurus and Aquarius-Buffalos. Taurus and Scorpio-Snakes are a certain no go. A Taurus-Rabbit is also out of the question. There are some possible combinations for the Leo-Tiger to investigate in terms of romance.

They are the Aries, Gemini, Sagittarius and Capricorn together with the Dragon, Horse and Dog. Unfortunately, the list is short because of the nature of the combination.

Family Life: There is a misconception in the self-image of this combination that they are a vagabond or a gypsy. Somewhere they view themselves as revolutionary heroes; perfect ones, of course. The Leo-Tiger is not so much frugal as they are practical and that is most certainly obvious in their home. What it is more than anything is real as well as comfortable. It will most certainly not be filled with fine art or ancient artifacts. It is not cheap because this combination wants quality for its staying power.

Likelihood: Furthermore, this combination is individualistic. That is the area where they might be best off. Or, perhaps they are right; they are a revolutionary in search of a cause. If they find theirs, that might be right up their alley as a vocation. Charity work or political work, even as a leader, is possible. If that is where they end up, they can put on a real white hat and let go of the pretense. There might be a manager inside the Leo-Tiger, but this is not the best world for them. Their drive toward being human might interfere with telling people what to do.

Famous Leo/Tigers: *Emily Bronte, Eric Hoffer, Natalie Wood.*