

# *Chinese and Western Combinations*

## *Libra (Dog) Month*

### *Combination with Ram Year:*

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**"Steady"** Venus, Air, Cardinal

**"Reliance"** Yang-Negative Fire

**Characteristics:** Parasitism, Sensitivity, Tardiness, Pessimism, Taste, Worry, Quarrelsomeness, Justice, Aesthetics, Charm, Gentility, Manipulation, Procrastination, Self-Indulgence, Equilibrium, Indecision, Idealism, Talkativeness, Invention, Lack of Foresight, Perseverance, Whimsy, Good Manners, Impracticality



This combination is quite serious much of the time and they want people to recognize that about them. While they do not want to be placed on a pedestal, they do want to be well liked by their associates. Balance is important to most Libras. However, the Libra-Dog is the exception to the rule because they are not concerned about balance and peace like most of the Libra family. Plainly put, they are difficult and hard to get along with a lot of the time. They enjoy a good argument that gets the blood pressure up a bit. They are experimental and like to try new things. They can be lazy at times but have a taste for flair and sophistication. In terms of style, they lean toward the conservative or timeless. Libra-Rams are somewhat air headed but they are absolutely genuine. There is nothing fake about them. They have a sense of security and self-awareness. There is a large dose of creativity in this combination. They probably will not be famous artists but they are skilled at many crafts and have basic artistic talents to a high degree. This combination is not interested in the latest fad or current trend. They climb the ladder of success by being cultured, not by drinking martinis. Rule them out as party animals and associate them with art galleries.

**Romance:** This combination would be lost on their own. They are huggers and kissers and terms of endearment people. For those courting a Libra-Ram, this means performing the necessary romantic rituals and being exceptionally tender and sentimental. Libra-Rams are romantics and know what they are doing in that area. They have the necessary emotional makeup to use candles at the dinner table and have surprise birthday parties. They love walks on the beach and moonlit nights. They are good in the sexual portion of love too. They are not exactly needy, but they are made to be part of a couple.

**Relationships:** Ruled out for compatibility in this combination are Aries, Cancer and Capricorn-Dogs as are Cancer and Capricorn-Buffalo. Capricorn-Tigers do not make the list either. Rabbits are a great romantic choice and of those the top of the line are Gemini, Leo, Sagittarius and Aquarius. Horses are also good and among that group

the best are Gemini, Sagittarius or Aquarius. Continuing the rather large number of good picks are Leo and Aquarius-Boars.

**Family Life:** This combination is the messy type. They make good parents and strive to have educated and cultured children. Their natures allow them to be overwhelmed by their children from time to time because they are most certainly not disciplinarians. The Libra-Ram has more of the absent minded professor approach to home decorating. Essentially, they are not particularly worried about their environment as long as it works. Neither are they out to impress others. They are the intellectual type and thus not meant to be home decorators. Comfort is the first priority.

**Likelihood:** This combination is particularly good in areas involving imagination and innovation. Others do need to encourage them because they can be very sensitive if not supported. They are most certainly not multi-task type people so their assignment sheet needs to be kept to a minimum. Libra-Rams were not meant to be on their own. They do not work well that way and they do not do well at home that way. They need others to help them stay organized. They are gifted and original in many areas. The Libra-Ram presents themselves well and is well spoken.

**Famous Libra/Rams:** *Pierre Trudeau, Doris Lessing, Chevy Chase, Barbara Walters, Catherine Deneuve*