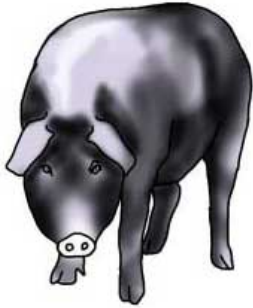


# *Chinese and Western Combinations*

## *Scorpio (Boar) Month*

### *Combination with Ram Year:*

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**"Form"** Mars, Water, Fixed

**"Reliance"** Yang-Negative Fire

**Characteristics:** Good Manners, Discipline, Impracticality, Worry, Taste, Sensitivity, Whimsy, Perseverance, Tardiness, Pessimism, Magnetism, Invention, Parasitism, Intransigence, Lack of Foresight, Tenderness, Suspicion, Dedication, Revenge, Inspiration, Sadism, Sovereignty, Mercilessness, Fanaticism



This combination needs some kind of external structure or framework because they are without it themselves. There is a degree of self-knowledge so it is possible for them to come to grips with which they are and move on and attain some success. Where the framework for their lives originates varies. The Scorpio-Ram is a very creative, but highly unpredictable and a somewhat goofy individual. To be sure, they have intelligence and it is in their creativity that most of their intelligence resides. They also work hard, in spite of beliefs to the contrary. Perhaps a spouse will help them in that regard or even their own children. It might come from their job. The fact is though, it is always external. They simply do not know what is useful. They can be geniuses at times to be sure. They can be talented visual artists. They can be, and truly are, highly idealistic. What they are not, and never can be, are practical. The inner workings of the Scorpio-Ram are another matter. They are the eccentric inventor perhaps, with an endless stream of new and fanciful ideas. They are, whatever it might be, quite wacky. Their problems in this regard are a total lack of pragmatism.

**Romance:** This combination is selfish as well. They have the willpower to push for things to be done their way and push they do. What is good about them makes up for a lot of this. They are terrifically interesting individuals. They are loyal as well. There is opportunity in romance and marriage for the Scorpio-Ram. They can, using this mechanism, find someone to give them guidance and rein in their eccentric behavior when necessary. They can even hint at some rules to follow. This situation and potential is often destroyed, however. The reason things can go afoul is that the Scorpio-Ram is, to put it mildly, argumentative. To put it less mildly, they love to argue and anyone who is partnered with them better get used to the idea that there are going to be issues.

**Relationships:** Toward the bottom of the ladder for compatibility in this combination are Taurus or Aquarius-Buffalos. Leo-Dogs and Aquarius-Tigers are not particularly good either. Really good choices in the romance department are Cancer, Virgo,

Capricorn and Pisces-Boars. Additional good matches can be found with Virgo, Capricorn or Pisces-Rabbits. Also fine choices are Virgo and Pisces-Horses.

**Family Life:** This combination is not much interested in the art of cookery so their kitchen might be a bit on the sparse side. They are pretty artsy though, and signs of this will be seen. There will be fine art prints or nifty artistic photographs on the walls. In terms of parenting, the Scorpio-Ram is a mixed bag. They clearly love and care for their children. They just happen to be kind of awkward relative to knowing how to handle them. The home of a Scorpio-Ram is generally quite tasteful and can even be in the well-appointed category. They have a creative streak in the interior-decorating department with a hint of the offbeat.

**Likelihood:** This combination does not make especially good bosses. They are popular, but it does not go much deeper than this. Financially, they are a little devious. They do not like others to know their situation, but odds are it is much better than they let on. There is potential for awesome accomplishment with this combination. Given opportunities they are capable of being professional artists. The medical field is also within their grasp. Unfortunately, the Scorpio-Ram is lacking in stick-to-it-iveness. They might give up during their education or after they have barely begun. Their nose does tend to wander away from the grindstone.

**Famous Scorpio/Rams:** *Shah of Iran, Morley Safer, Annie Girardot, Joni Mitchell.*