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The Mystery Man

THE Mystery man was not an individual to figure out, but an exercise in perception. After your five senses, Astrology should be your primary means of experiencing the world. If Astrology says a thing is true, then that thing is true. If Astrology says it is false, then it is false. Using this as a guide, you will very quickly separate Astrology from idle fancies of astrology.

For example, last week's Mystery Man was clearly not the President of the United States. The mystery man is institutionalized, works behind the scenes, loves detail, is a service-loving menial, is under the thumb of a variety of partners, is scatter-brained, has no speaking ability, etc.

The President of the United States is an accomplished orator and when he speaks, he goes big. Really, really big, but as for details, he cares not at all. Details are not important, details are for the little people. Consequently people feel the President has reneged on campaign promises. Which are always about detail. He has no partners, he has no peers, he is complete in and of himself. In offering August 4, 1961, 7:24 pm, Honolulu, he, like virtually all politicians, lied.

The President's veracity is not the issue.

The issue is your ability to separate real from unreal, truth from falsehood. I myself know a number of ways to do this, but there is nothing which compares to Astrology. You do not project your ideas onto or into the chart in front of you. Carefully unpack the chart and see where all its many details lead you. Be a chart detective! Contrast and compare what you find to what your senses tell you. Temper your conclusions with common sense. Study, have patience and you will learn. There are many charts I cannot present because so many do not know how to read a chart. You will, instead, overwhelm astrology with popular beliefs and misconceptions. Here is one such: June 28, 1969, 3:10 am, Greenwich Village, New York. This is a chart of an event. (Data from an old copy of [Mountain Astrologer](#).) It has two radically different interpretations, but only one of them is astrological. The other is cultural.

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for the week (all times GMT)

11	01:27	☾ ♃ ☉	
12	02:05	☉ 18♄24	Full Moon
	10:10	♀ △ ♀	
	23:36	♀ ♀ ♀	
13	00:00	☾ ♃ ♀ ♀	
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	03:48	♄ ♃ ♀ ♀	
	07:42	♀ ♃ ♀ ♀	
	10:52	♀ ♃ ♀ ♀	
	21:14	☉ ♃ ♀ ♀	
14	11:38	♀ ♃ ♀ ♀	
	18:22	♀ ♃ ♀ ♀	
	21:06	♀ ♃ ♀ ♀	
	23:54	♀ ♃ ♀ ♀	
15	10:52	☾ ☐ ♀ ♀	Void
	14:15	☾ ♃ ♀ ♀	
16	16:56	♀ ♃ ♀ ♀	
17	13:37	☾ △ ☉	
	18:56	♀ ♃ ♀ ♀	
	22:18	☾ △ ♀ ♀	Void

ASTRO MED A to Z

FROM C.E.O. CARTER'S ENCYCLOPAEDIA

Insomnia is most frequently caused by an affliction to the 12th house (usually to a planet placed therein) from one of the other cadent houses. It is probable that any bad aspects of Mercury and the Moon, by affecting the nerves and emotions may hinder sleep, but this will be less if the cadent houses are not involved by occupancy or rulership. **Rosetti** and also **Lord Rosebery** suffered from this complaint. Contrast **Edison**, who needed little sleep: Venus lord of the 12th in Pisces sextile the Moon on the cusp of the third. Mars or Uranus rising or afflicting the ascendant, or planets in Aries may cause insomnia by bringing too much blood to the brain.

Influenza is unfortunately so widespread that it is questionable whether it can be traced to special degrees. Taurus-Scorpio are frequently in affliction, denoting infection through the throat. The suddenness of onset suggests a connection with Uranus. Example: Female, born 3:30 am, May 28, 1904, Midlands, died of this complaint, aged 19. — [Encyclopaedia of Psychological Astrology](#).



STAR OF THE WEEK



SPICA alpha Virginis 24♌16 (one of the biggies)

Notes: A brilliant flushed white binary star in the Wheat Ear of Virgo.

Frequently called Arista.

Influence: According to Ptolemy it is of the nature of Venus and Mars. It gives success, renown, riches, a sweet disposition, love of art and science, unscrupulousness, unfruitfulness and injustice to innocence.

If rising or culminating: Unbounded good fortune, riches, happiness, ecclesiastical preferment, unexpected honour or advancement beyond native's hopes or capacity.

With Sun: Great and lasting preferment, eminent dignity, immense wealth, great happiness to native's parents and children, help from friends among clergy, favourable for public and legal affairs. If culminating, Church and State preferment. If with Venus and Mars, the native is a potent king obeyed by many people . . . — from [Fixed Stars](#), by Robson

Ivy M. Goldstein-Jacobson
1893-1990

IVY'S GEM OF THE WEEK

Pluto

PLUTO was discovered in 1930 by Percival Lowell whose initials combine to form Pluto's symbol [♇]. His orbit is very erratic, his distance very great, and his appearance very difficult to see, therefore he seems to reflect all these attributes in his nature, and research has proved that he is indeed ERRATIC and DISTANT, retiring and SHY and bashful in a natal chart, inclined to have an INFERIORITY COMPLEX and avoid chance meetings. To cover this up when angular he maintains an air of BRAVADO and can be self-conscious.

Pluto is related to the UNDERWORLD and its denizens, with certain connotations of illegal activities, LAWLESSNESS and MOB RULE because he rules GROUPS—although his desire to disassociate himself from others makes him take part from a DETACHED position, as the leader of a GANG, seldom seen. He assumes their mannerisms and vulgarity of speech as a DISGUISE, has a WATCHFUL look in his wary eyes, and walks AIMLESSLY as though to throw others off the track, but is always on his guard. He is easily CONFUSED and at a loss.

Wherever Pluto is found by house in the natal chart there will be COMPLICATIONS in the matters it rules, difficulty to surmount, ISOLATION, strange developments, NERVOUSNESS with the people of that house; if afflicted, and especially in the 1st House, the person is apt to put his worst foot forward and give a wrong impression or account of himself.

Pluto is a NON-CONFORMIST, flouting rules and regulations and given to leaving abruptly. . . — **Correspondence Course in Astrology**, 1968

GET TO KNOW YOUR CANDIDATES

RON PAUL

LAST month the Republicans formed a circular firing squad in the form of debates. When the smoke cleared Rick Perry, Sarah Palin and Michele Bachmann were effectively out of the race and someone named Cain had snuck in. There's no point bothering with trivial candidates like Cain. They will be out of the race before the end of the year.

The Republican race is coming down to **Mitt Romney**, who has the experience and the money to stay the course, and **Ron Paul**, who has acres of popular support. Neither man will give up, at least, not before some actual votes are counted. I delineated Romney's chart a few months ago. I haven't done Paul's as he has no birth time, and for the sort of astrology I do, I need that. Until recently I had no sense of the man. I looked at his Wiki pages, but as Wiki pages are written by hack sycophants there was no hope there, either.

But then it struck me that Ron Paul is your garden variety fanatic. True believer. Right is right and wrong is wrong. Black and white. All that sort of thing. And that made it easy: Ron Paul is a 9th house type. The 9th house is the house of, among other things, law and justice, truth and falsehood.

Which means that the chart ruler will be in the 9th, *or* the Sun will be in the 9th, *or* the Moon will be in the 9th, *or* a whole bunch of planets will be in the 9th, etc. And since Paul started out as a doctor, we should find a late degree on some house cusp or another (probably the 6th), with a ruler pointing to medicine, and some other planet actually in the house, in some other sign, that pushes him into politics. Where he has been for many years now.

So our theory says that Ron Paul has something about his 6th, because he was once a doctor but is not now, and some planets in the 9th, because he thinks Ayn Rand is hot stuff. (He named his awful son, Rand Paul after her, and don't confuse me with Randal. Paul did not name his son after an **acerbic actor**.) If you want to put a time under a chart that has no time (like Ron Paul's), this is the sort of preparation you must do. If my previous experience is any guide, you will find you were completely wrong. And if so,

that would be good, because it means the chart is telling you things. Giving you ideas. In trying a "wrong" idea, the chart itself might just lead you in the right direction. You won't know unless you try. Never be afraid to guess, never be afraid to be wrong. Not only is being wrong a great way to learn, it's really the only way.

According to Wiki, Ron Paul was born in Pittsburgh, PA, on August 20, 1935.

In looking at Paul's chart, I find his Sun late in Leo and his Moon late in Taurus, forming a square. Mercury, Neptune and Venus (retrograde) are in Virgo. Remembering the 6th and 9th houses are square, I set the Moon just inside the 6th house cusp, with the Sun just inside the 9th house cusp. Sag rises, the time is 3:20 pm EDT.

Sun/Moon in square is a darn good driver. It will make you itch, it will make you do things in life, give you challenges. In fixed signs a square from Sun to Moon means you have to endure it, there is no cure. If in cardinals you would be driven to action, in mutables life would be out of your control. In fixed, you endure. You become patient, you resist temptation.

Though it's only my first guess, I'm struck by the 3:20 pm chart. Moon in the 6th, a late degree of Taurus on the cusp, the ruler is retrograde Venus in Virgo. Retrograde Venus in Virgo thinks itself dirty and can never get "clean enough" to overcome it. There are presumably sexual hang-ups as well. It applies this unease to the sixth and the Moon, the result is an OB/GYN with puritanical sexual views and an intense curiosity about "how girls work." You will note that Venus is ruled by Mercury, which is itself in detailed, analytical Virgo.

But without a lot of Taurus actually in the 6th house, the Moon and its medical career "runs out of room" almost as soon as it gets started. It might be that Paul took up pre-med in order to "get girls" ("play doctor" in other words), but by the time he actually got to med school he was married, which made his quest somewhat moot. This would leave him in a quandary, as his Sun, at 3:20-ish pm, "ran out of room" in the 9th even faster than his Moon did in the 6th, given **(continued, pg. 4)**

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Part 60:

Occupation and Position

The influence of planets, continued:—

VENUS. Painter, poet, artist, maker of toilet accessories, dealer in scents and flowers, embroiderer, confectioner, milliner, dealer in women's goods or luxury trades. In 9th, poet, especially if in conjunction or aspect to Saturn, Mercury and Moon. With Jupiter, haberdasher. With Mars, dyer, perfumer, barber, metal worker. With Mercury retrograde, singer, music master. With the Moon seamstress, engraver, upholster, glover. Afflicted by Saturn and both weak, harlot.

MARS. Soldier, surgeon, dentist, chemist, iron and steel worker, barber, cook, agitator. In 2nd, unfortunate with merchandise. In 10th, energy but no success except in martial work, slander. With Saturn, miner, plasterer, bath or exhibition attendant; if in bad aspect, sweep, bailiff, labourer. With Jupiter, soldier, tobacconist, mechanic, tax collector, innkeeper. With Sun, in nocturnal map, soldier. Separating from Sun, shipwright, stonemason, carpenter, labourer.

JUPITER. Judge, councillor, clergyman, lawyer, doctor, banker, trustee, clothier, grocer. If in Virgo, with Moon in Pisces, poet. With Venus and Mars, prison keeper, in charge of women.

SATURN. Dealer in land and property, miner, coal merchant, plumber, architect, undertaker, jailer, grave digger, beggar, monk, antiquarian, labourer, worker in dark or heavy materials. In 7th loss through public affairs. In 10th rises high by industry but falls. With Venus or Mars, curate, undertaker, work connected with religious ceremonies. Afflicting Mercury and Mars, thief, and swindler, especially if Moon also afflicts Mercury; if Saturn is in 7th may be hung, if in 12th transported or imprisoned; if Mars also afflicts Moon, robber and assassin.

— **A Student's Text-Book of Astrology**, by Vivian Robson.

On Professions

from **Christian Astrology Book 3**
 by William Lilly

The nature of the Signs wherein the *Significator* or *Significators* are placed, does much conduce to this manner of Judgment, which I again repeat in a more full measure than formerly: they are as follows.

Movable Signs, as ♃, ♄, ♅, ♆, conduce to such Arts or professions as require a witty capacity, in regard they are directed by contemplation of the Wit, viz. Geometry, Physic, Astrology, &c.

Fixed Signs do also require Learning or Education, except ♋.

Human Signs, viz. ♀, ♂, ♁, ♂, as they signify human affections, so do they import such proper Arts to a man as are liberal, and have especial use in the life of man, and are taught with Authority.

Watery and Earthly Signs as ♋, ♌, ♍, ♎, ♏, ♐, shows professions conversant about the Water and Earth, as upon Meadows, Herbs, Medicine, Ships, Fish or Funerals.

Four-footed Signs, as ♑, ♒, ♓, show Mechanical professions, Butchers, Grasiars, Builders, Curriers, Cutters of Stones, Diggers of Stones, Clothiers, Wool-winders.

Alubater a learned *Arabian Physician*, out of whose Writings most of our *Astrological Aphorisms* are collected, does distribute the Signs thus, and says:

Fiery Signs signify Trades or professions conversant in fire, whether it be in Smithery or working in Goldsmithery, or in Baking or Glass-making, &c.

Earthy Signs show earthly occupations, or proceeding from the Earth, as pot-making, Ditching, Digging, Delving, makers of Mud-walls, or Dirt-daubers.

Airy Signs import Singers, Jesters, Fowlers, Millers, Shooters.

Watery Signs declare Fishermen, Laundresses, Fullers of Cloth, Watermen, Tankard-bearers. — **Christian Astrology, Book 3**, by William Lilly.

Is This You?

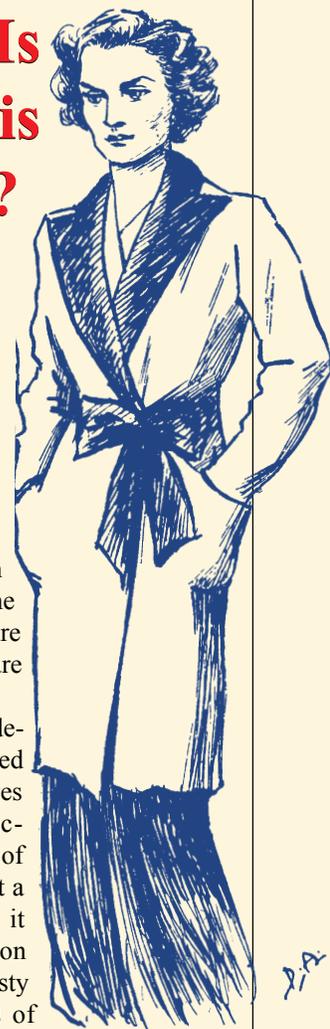
20°–30°
Aries rising
The Sagittarius decanate

Appearance of the third decanate of Aries:

The face and eyes resemble the Sagittarius type, with the upward tilt to the eyelids, but the figure and head formation are those of Aries.

The *Sagittarius* decanate of Aries is ruled by Jupiter. This gives strong passions, accompanied by a love of pleasure. This is not a fortunate decan, for it makes the disposition too impulsive and hasty at critical moments of the life. There are usually many friends and associates who considerably influence the outlook on life.

From the dawn of history the signs of the Zodiac have been depicted upon innumerable temples and churches in every land. Civilizations have waxed and waned, but the signs of the Zodiac, being based on fundamental principles, have continued to influence mankind. For this reason the twelve signs and their decanate types have been illustrated in detail in this book. These sketches are the result of many years' astrological study. . .



★HEAD TO HEAD★



that the Sun in Leo hasn't got a "sponsor" (i.e., ruler) elsewhere in the chart to help it out.

Eventually Paul realized that Mercury was the key to his quest. (He doesn't realize consciously, of course, as he has no knowledge of astrology, which is aside from the fact that this method of chart analysis is rare anyway.) Mercury, which had made him a doctor, could also give him the room his 9th house Sun needed but did not have.

Mercury in Virgo in the 9th, Paul could know right from wrong. Details matter. Does the 9th house give details? Yes, it does. It sells them wholesale, in big lots. Take it or leave it.

What kind of details did Mercury find? Look straight across the chart and you will find Saturn, dead opposite at 7° Pisces. At 3:20 pm, Saturn rules the third house. Saturn in the 3rd makes study a slog. Study, study, study.

Saturn also rules the second, which is Capricorn. You have to earn your keep, and what you earn is yours. Handouts are not permitted. In his medical practice, Paul notably refused to accept Medicare or Medicaid. In Congress, he refused to accept his government pension. He opposes welfare of all kinds.

All of which Saturn throws back to Mercury. **Oppositions make for contrast**, which is the only way we can know the world. In the case of Paul's Saturn-Mercury opposition, Saturn tells Paul that hard work is required, and will be rewarded. Which bounces to Mercury in the 9th, which looks around, seeking an ideology that fits.

And finds it in the novels of **Ayn Rand** and the **Libertarian Party** in general. Note that Mercury isn't very happy with what Saturn has given it, since Saturn is in the sign of Mercury's debility, Pisces. It's like getting love letters from the one person you never wanted to hear from again.

I AM delineating a *guess* of Ron Paul's chart, but notice what I've just done. From the beginning:

I've guessed his dominant traits, from what I can read in the newspapers.

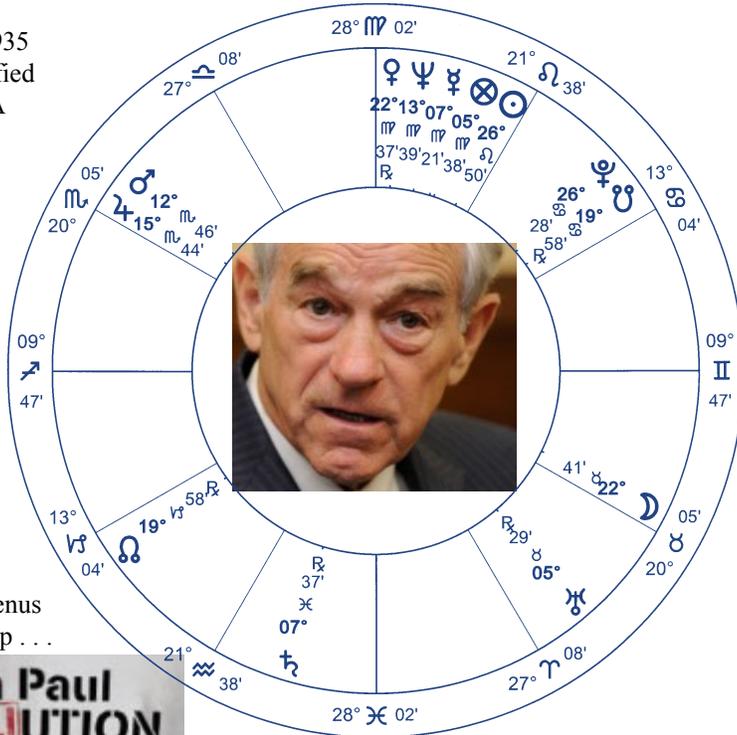
I reduced these to astrological notation: The relevant houses that might express them.

I then went to his chart and put those factors into those houses. **First degree of success:** Ron Paul's chart would let me do that. I could not have done it with my chart and I probably could not have done it with yours.

Then I started making stories. Mercury in Virgo in 9, that's, let me see . . . details

Ron Paul

August 20, 1935
3:20 pm rectified
Pittsburgh, PA



Regrograde Venus
always turns up . . .

(Virgo) that come straight from God himself (9th house). Details handed to St. Paul on a platter. Sort of like the Burning Bush in the Bible. Details that Paul believes with his whole heart, his whole body, his whole soul.

But what's the context? Aha! Saturn sits dead opposite. Whatever God has given Mercury, in the guise of St. Paul, is going to be exactly the opposite of whatever Saturn has, and not just because of the opposition, but—we know our basics!—Mercury really doesn't like the sign that Saturn is in.

Since Mercury is stronger in Virgo than Saturn is in Pisces, Saturn is a sore point, an irritant, an *external factor*. So Mercury gives him a lot of attention. Mercury is *conscious mind* (the Moon is emotional and often unconscious), so Ron Paul is very much aware of this.

What is Saturn telling Mercury? In Pisces, that the world is a mess. Which Mercury knows already, since that's Mercury's own opinion of the sign, one of his least favorite. Saturn tells Mercury that daily life is a slog, that one must study hard, that help comes from siblings, but only if one has earned it (all 3rd house), that you start at the beginning and work your way up. (Capricorn on the second, ruled by Saturn.)

Which Mercury, by and large, refuses to hear (see **Robson** on Mercury oppositions and deafness, which can be selective). Instead, Mercury runs to the safety of the house he is in and finds an ideology (9th house)

with the details that satisfy his Virgo craving for such details. That rationalize his distaste for Saturn and everything it stands for. He finds Libertarianism and Ayn Rand.

Who or what was **Ayn Rand**? Here is part of her Wiki page:

In her philosophy of Objectivism, Rand advocated reason as the only means of acquiring knowledge and rejected all forms of faith and religion. She supported rational egoism and rejected ethical altruism. In politics, she condemned the initiation of force as immoral and opposed all forms of collectivism and statism, instead supporting laissez-faire capitalism, which she believed was the only social system that protected individual rights.

Let's use astrology to unpack this. Rejection of faith, isn't that sort of like a planet in a house it's not very comfortable in, like, I dunno, Mercury in the 9th? Reason in place of faith, wouldn't that be Mercury in Virgo in 9? Laissez-faire, isn't that kinda like Capricorn on the second, Saturn in 3? Work your way up by your bootstraps? Isn't there a fundamental conflict here, that one cannot both be rational and simply let things be? Isn't that like waiting for *laissez-faire* to turn up as the Hand of God—an entity you don't believe in? If rationality truly is the key, then won't rationality trump *laissez-faire*? Is not reason a light that peers into the darkness and brings illumination? Agreed, some subjects

are harder for reason to penetrate than others, but I myself have pushed reason far beyond such a flimsy limit. *Laissez-faire* is simply a cheap cop-out.

But aren't you using astrological make-believe to justify your rectification of Ron Paul's chart? Isn't that cheating?

No, it's not. I am **not** trying to impress an audience of astrological novices. I am not trying to pull rabbits out of hats. I am demonstrating to the astrological community the very close relationship between astrological symbolism and the personal preferences of the chart under study.

Ron Paul jumped onto the Ayn Rand bandwagon because her philosophy exactly matched his experience. Anyone who had lived as Paul had, and read what Rand wrote, would have done the same. Astrology merely confirms, it merely describes.

In support of the rectification, elsewhere I read that Ron Paul started life as a Lutheran, baptized his children as Episcopalians, before finally ending up a Baptist. Which is indicative of conflicts in the 9th house. One with no conflicts, including all those with an empty 9th house, keeps his father's religion. This is an absolute rule, as religion is not a casual thing to play with.

Lutheranism, to hear **Garrison Keillor** talk about it, is dour and severe. Episcopalians are a very close branch of the Holy Roman Catholic Church, in other words, the Real Deal, a branch acceptable to those who don't like Popes. In shifting from one to the other, we see Paul searching for absolute reality, a Mercury in Virgo in 9 quest. Baptists, on the other hand, believe that God has put us here to get rich and that we are doing God's Work by becoming rich. (Such has always been my understanding.) This fits tightly with Rand and Libertarianism.

I'd tell you about Libertarianism except it's never really been clearly defined, not even to this day. It's something to do with not liking government. Ideologies built on negatives (*don't like this, don't want that*) are often ill defined as a result.

Early on in his career, Paul was a doctor in the Air Force. Can the rectified chart tell us why?

Yes it can. Chart ruler Jupiter, in Scorpio, wants to be in the 12th house, of institutions. And he would have been, except that Mars, also in Scorpio, is racing to join the chart ruler and also jump into the 12th.

Either planet, by itself, would probably have given Paul a home in the military, but Mars and Jupiter together made him too big and too bold, not to mention too forceful and

too sneaky. So he left, but not that many years later found himself hankering after another institution, the Congress of the United States. Where, not surprisingly, he has largely been a gadfly.

I'M still struck by how easy this was. I conceptualized Paul as 6th/9th house, I set up his chart with the Moon in one and the Sun in the other, and I seem to have the man. Astrology is never this easy! This is hubris!

Another way of rectifying a chart, or at least confirming or refuting rising degrees, is to look for solar eclipses on that degree. (**Nick DeVore** is a handy reference.) It is believed that an eclipse exactly on the ascendant leads to great changes in life. If, during your life there was a solar eclipse exactly on your ascendant, but your life continued on without interruption, your birth time might be wrong. At 9° Sagittarius, there were no solar eclipses in the 20th century, but there was in May, 2003.

So what about the Presidency?

As a president, Ron Paul would be scary. He knows right from wrong, he knows true from false, and he will act upon it. To the extent he can "unbury" his Sun, he will shake things up, because Mercury opposite Saturn, lacks raw power, while Mars/Jupiter, with their boundless energy, are obscurely placed. Which makes his Sun in Leo the critical planet. So far as I can tell, in his life Ron Paul has never quite done this, his Sun has never quite "broken through".

Note that Ron Paul lacks the common touch. He is not a "peoples man." Sagittarius on the ascendant is an enthusiastic placement, but not a personable one. Virgo on the midheaven makes him critical. Venus retrograde makes him loveless, except that by this time in his life he has learned, courtesy of Mercury, its ruler, how to fake it. And faking it, when it comes to debilitated planets (Venus retrograde and in fall) is sometimes enough.

So often I find politicians with tight Mercury-Neptune squares or Mercury-Neptune oppositions, or the same with the Moon and Neptune. Which are, all of them, professional liars. **Paul is not.** Paul has Mercury in an applying conjunction to Neptune, six degrees and closing. Mercury in Virgo is strong. It has the facts, it knows what the facts are. It would seem that in Ron Paul's chart, Mercury is reaching out to Neptune, reaching out for more than mere facts. It appears to me that Neptune's "beyond-facts" would be wrong, since Neptune in Virgo, by definition, has the

wrong facts in the wrong way. Remember the 9th house actively suppresses facts, wholesale. Ron Paul's beliefs about how the world works, and why, are therefore most likely wrong.

So far as a choice between Ron Paul and Barack Obama, I'd take Paul over Obama. Easy. Paul, unlike Obama, will change things. Some for the better. Many others for the worse. I fear that Paul will rationalize his blunders, which will compound them.

So far as Paul vs: Romney, that's harder. Romney believes in money and vested interests. Romney isn't going to tell anyone to take a hike. Romney will plot, he will scheme, he will be complicated. Romney might just blunder through, but he will blunder.

Realize there is never going to be a perfect president. Such a man does not exist. We need to remember this, we need to remember that we are electing a human being. Not anointing a 4-year god. By use of astrology, we can know a great deal about who and what that president will be.

SO, if a clear concept got me Ron Paul's birth time, what could a concept do for the Mystery Man? Can a chart be constructed whole cloth? The day, the month, even the year? Let's see . . .

Oratory is a 10th house placement. Which is Mercury. Broad public appeal is the Moon in 10, but it comes with a bite. The Moon waxes and wanes, so popularity comes and goes. There are a bunch of somethings in the 9th, as not only does the Mystery Man like things BIG (details are not important), but do you remember the very first **commercial for the Mac**? From 1984, it ran during the Super Bowl. The Mystery Man ran a **parody of it** in February 2008, if memory serves. The big face on the screen (which gets smashed in the end) was Hillary Clinton's. Obama's parody reeked of Worship Me. He was setting himself up as a Savior, as a god. That's 9. Sun and Moon are very likely in square and in angular houses. One and ten, I think.

And the Mystery Man is a toady to his rich friends. That's Taurus on 11 with planets in Taurus, and very likely a final disposer as well. Venus?

So the Mystery Man would have a strong 9th, 10th and 11th houses. If Taurus is on 11, that gives Cancer rising. Aries on the MC, Pisces on the 9th. According to **Judith Hill**, there are Cancers who are thin.

What about Kenya? Forget Kenya! A guy in Chicago needed a new ID, *okay?* One as far from Chicago as he could get. As luck would have it, he fell in with someone who

knew of an orphan birth in Hawaii. White mother, black father, given up for adoption. When that happens, the name is changed and the records sealed. The kid doesn't know his own birth name and so can't claim his own birth record, not without a lot of legal fuss to get things unsealed. Which makes the original birth certificate easy pickings for a Mystery Man clever enough to claim it. As it happens, the **Kapiolani hospital** seems to have run its own orphanage but I can't find anything on-line about it. Anybody out that way want to find out if they ever had an unplaced orphan born in August, 1961?

THIS past week there have been donations. This was a welcome surprise and I am most humbly grateful. Many, many thanks.