

2024 IN ASTROLOGY

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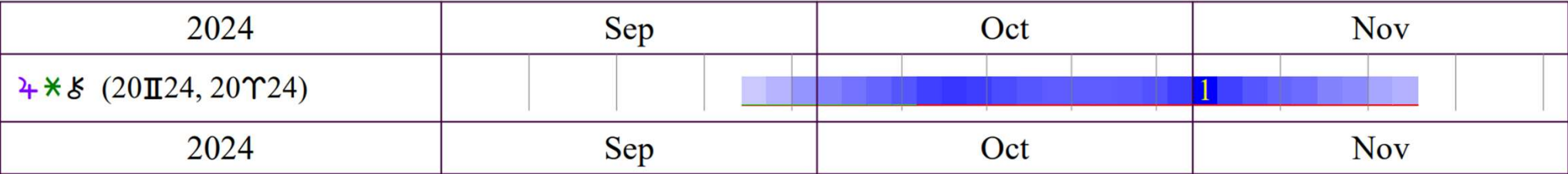
One of the much anticipated events of 2024 is the return of Pluto to the sign of Aquarius on **January 20, 2024**. Pluto will remain in Aquarius for about nine months, until **September 1, 2024**, when it briefly retrogrades back into Capricorn until **November 19, 2024**, when it returns to Aquarius where it will remain for approximately the next twenty years. The shift of Pluto from Capricorn to Aquarius signals a transfer of power from individuals to the people, and this is a movement that will become more noticeable over the next two decades. We can also expect many technological revolutions during this time as well as a greater focus on humanitarian issues beginning this year. During the approximately 2 ½ months that mark Pluto's retrograde back into Capricorn, though, (September 1 – November 19) we will likely witness the last gasp of dictators and authoritarian leaders. After 2024, they will feel pressure to bend more and more to the will of the people. Also, on January 20, the Sun and Pluto will enter Aquarius on the same day.

0+ Degrees Aquarius	Dates
Mars conjunct Saturn	3/31/2020
Jupiter conjunct Saturn	12/21/2020
Venus conjunct Mars	3/6/2022
Pluto at 0+ Aquarius	3/23/2023-6/10/2023
Mercury conjunct Pluto	2/5/2024
Mars conjunct Pluto	2/13/2024
Venus conjunct Pluto	2/17/2024
Venus conjunct Pluto	12/7/2024

JUPITER

On **April 20, 2024**, Jupiter and Uranus will form a conjunction at $21^{\circ} \ 50'$. On the one hand, this signifies an expansion of creativity and inventiveness, but on the other hand, the influence will pass within a week or two. However, because these planets will be in Taurus it is likely that economic issues may come to the forefront, and a rally in the stock market would be welcomed by many. Later, on **May 25, 2024**, Jupiter will enter Gemini where it will spend a year, and this should bring a boost to intellectual ingenuity. Furthermore, on **June 2, 2024**, Jupiter in Gemini will make a trine to Pluto in Aquarius, and thus, one might keep an eye out for whatever intellectual or scientific breakthroughs are announced at that time. By the end of the summer, though, on **August 19** and again on **December 24**, Jupiter in Gemini will square Saturn in Pisces, and at these moments we may see some barriers to growth. However, **from late September through mid-November, transiting Jupiter will make a sextile to transiting Chiron**, and this will bring out the sweeter, more transcendent side of Chiron.

Transit to Transit:



CHIRON AND THE SPRING ECLIPSE SEASON

Aside from Pluto's ingress into Aquarius, the planet Chiron may turn out to be the most influential planet for the year 2024. Chiron is most often associated with wounding, but its real purpose is to serve as a bridge between the inner and the outer planets, and as such, it urges to transcend and go beyond the visible world. However, before we can experience the transcendent joy that is Chiron's true nature, we often have to first have our hard, Saturnian shells cracked, and that's where the wounding comes about that then needs to be followed by healing. Hence, when Chiron is active, the result can be either wounding, healing, or transcendent joy, but when the masses are involved, wounding has historically been the most likely outcome. In the first half of 2024, there will be a series of conjunctions with Chiron, one of which will be extremely important. The first is a **conjunction of the North Node with Chiron on February 19, 2024**. This conjunction will momentarily intensify the influence of Chiron. Next, is a **conjunction of Mercury with Chiron on March 20, 2024**, just a few days before a Lunar Eclipse. Following this is what may be the most important astrological configuration of 2024, a **Solar Eclipse on April 8 during which the Sun, Moon, and Chiron will all be exactly conjunct at 19° ʹ 24ʹ**. We'll talk about both eclipses shortly and how the April 8, 2024, Solar Eclipse might impact the world. Following this Solar Eclipse, though, **in April and May we'll have Mercury conjunct Chiron again, Venus conjunct Chiron, Mercury conjunct Chiron a third time, and Mars conjunct Chiron**. The three conjunctions of Mercury with Chiron in the Spring of 2024 suggest a possible wounding of things related to Mercury such as communication or commerce, but for some a moment of clarity and enlightenment.

Chiron Conjunctions	Dates
North Node conjunct Chiron	2/19/2024
Mercury conjunct Chiron	3/20/2024
Sun conjunct Chiron	4/8/2024
Mercury conjunct Chiron	4/15/2024
Venus conjunct Chiron	4/21/2024
Mercury conjunct Chiron	5/6/2024
Mars conjunct Chiron	5/29/2024

Transit to Transit:

2024	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
♁♂♂ (16♈45, 16♈45)		19										
2024	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec

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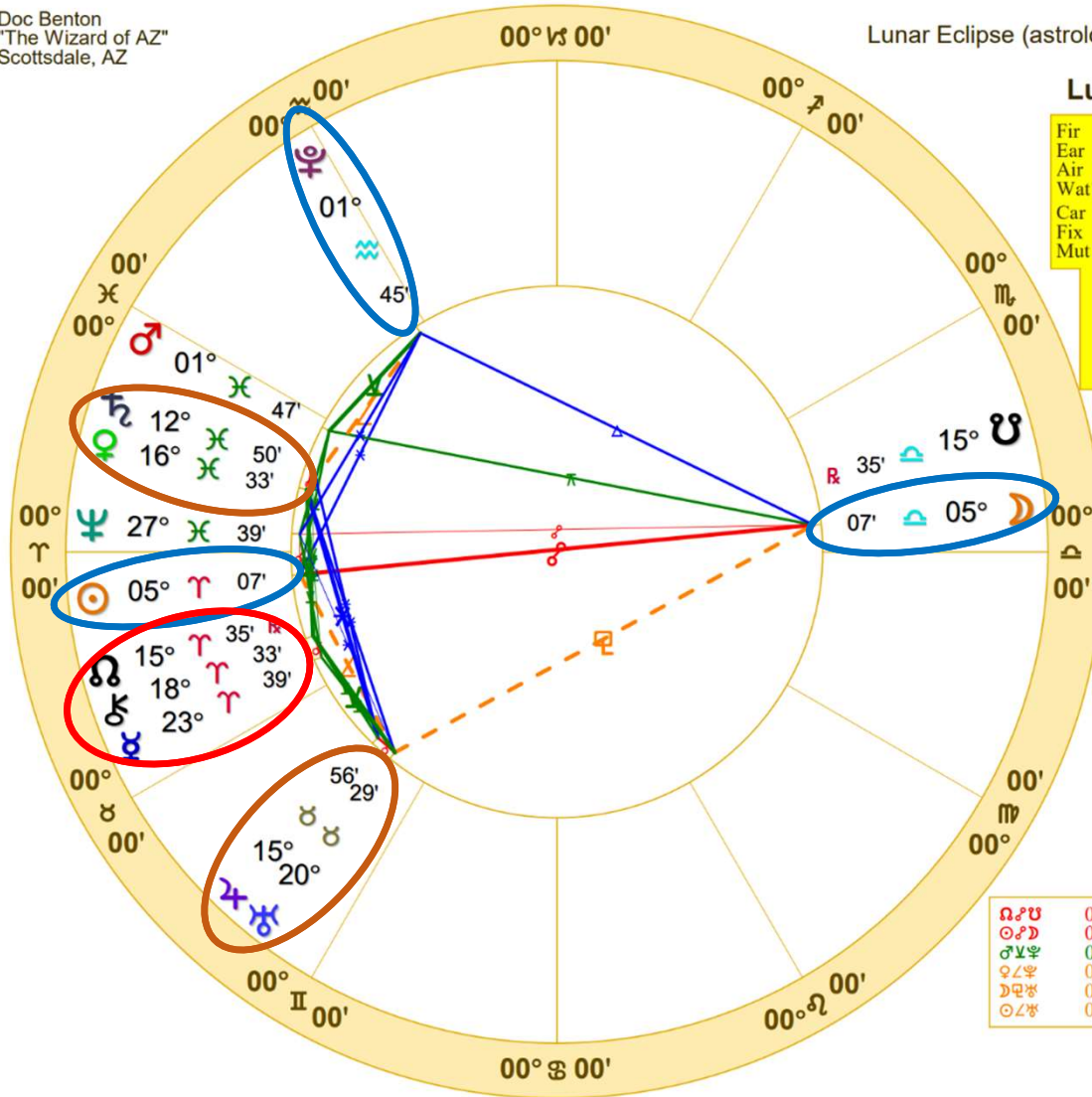
Lunar Eclipse (astrological) Saros Cycle 113 # 64

Lunar Eclipse Mar 25 2024

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Car 3 0
Fix 3 0
Mut 4 1
P A
L S
A C
E N
D

March 25, 2024
12:00:06 AM
Standard Time
Scottsdale, Arizona
33N30'33" 111W53'54"
Time Zone: 7 hours West
Geocentric
Tropical 0-Aries

Lunar Eclipse 3/25/2024



	Long.	Dwada-samsa	Speed
☉	5° 07' 14"	1 II 27	0 59
☽	5° 07' 15"	1 ♈ 27	11 51
♂	23° 07' 39"	13 ♈ 52	0 56
♀	16° 07' 33"	18 ♈ 41	1 14
♂	1° 07' 47"	21 ♈ 29	0 47
♂	15° 08' 56"	11 ♈ 16	0 12
♂	12° 08' 50"	3 ♈ 58	0 07
♂	20° 08' 29"	5 ♈ 43	0 03
♂	27° 08' 39"	1 ♈ 52	0 02
♂	1° 08' 45"	21 ♈ 05	0 01
♂	18° 08' 33"	12 ♈ 40	0 03
♂	12° 08' 08"	25 ♈ 39	0 50
♂	26° 08' 02"	12 ♈ 24	1 04

♂♂♂	0°00'a	♂♂♂	0°22's	♂♂♂	1°13's
♂♂♂	0°00's	♂♂♂	0°22's	♂♂♂	1°13's
♂♂♂	0°02's	♂♂♂	0°37's	♂♂♂	1°37'a
♂♂♂	0°12'a	♂♂♂	0°42'a	♂♂♂	1°55'a
♂♂♂	0°21'a	♂♂♂	0°59's	♂♂♂	2°00'a
♂♂♂	0°21'a	♂♂♂	0°59's		

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Total Solar Eclipse (astrological) Saros Cycle 139 # 30

Solar Eclipse Apr 8 2024

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Standard Time
Scottsdale, Arizona
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Geocentric
Tropical 0-Aries

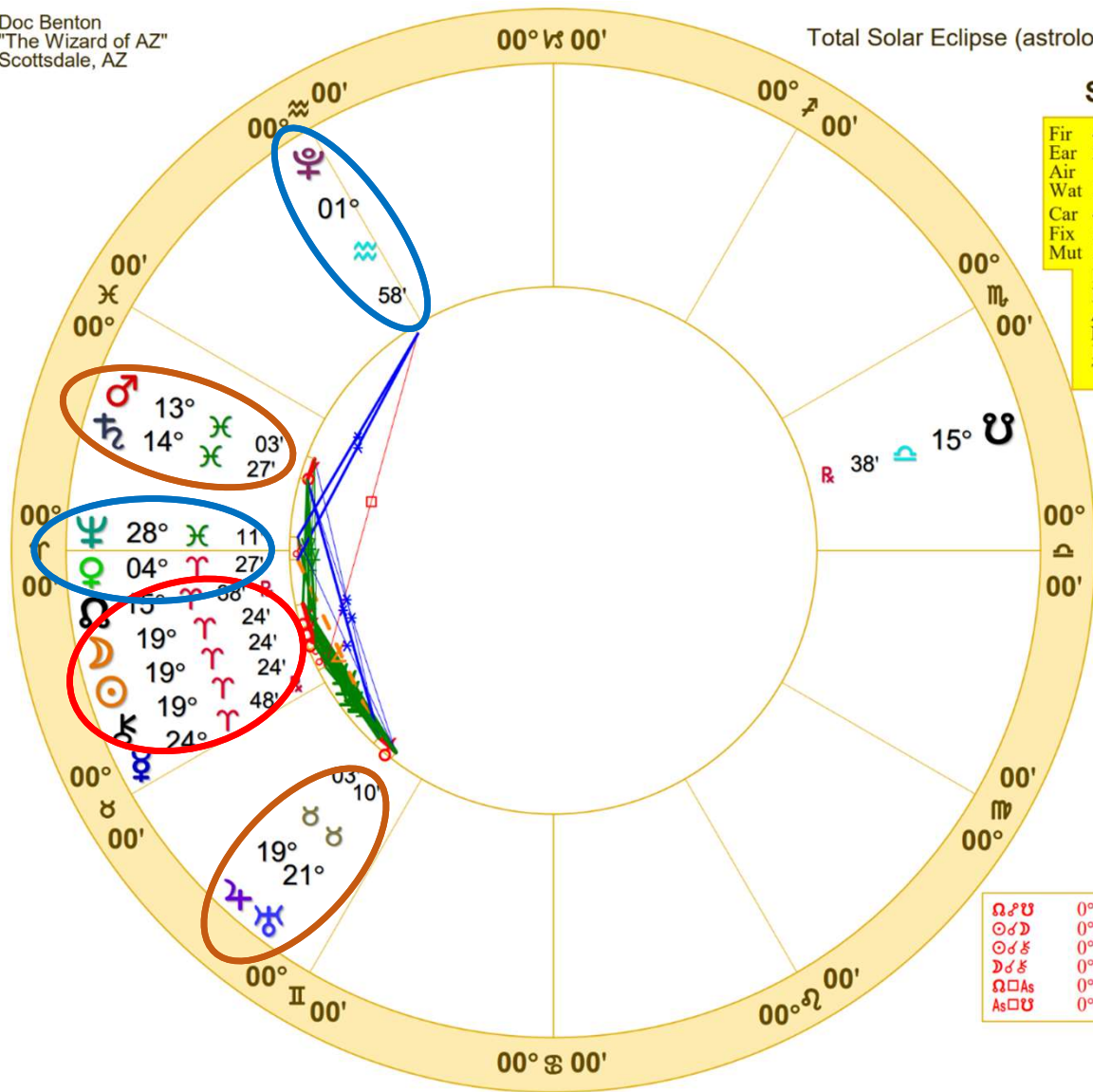
Solar Eclipse
4/8/2024

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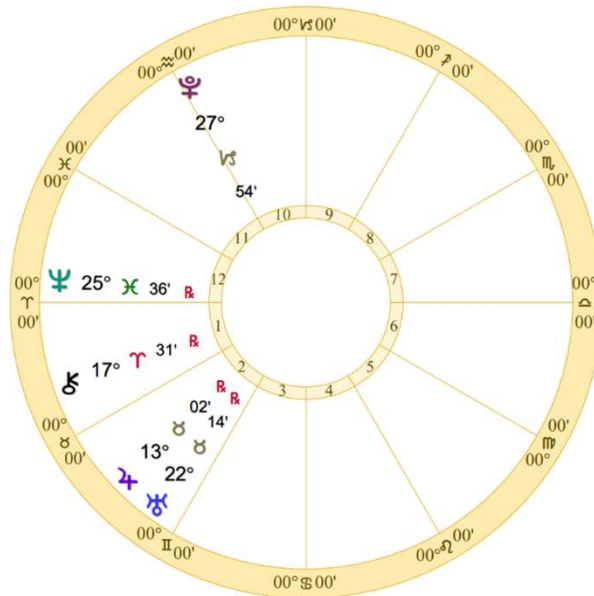
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♀ 4° 27'	23 ♈ 20	1.14
♂ 13° 03'	6 ♈ 37	0.47
♂ 19° 03'	18 ♈ 33	0.13
♂ 14° 27'	23 ♈ 28	0.06
♂ 21° 10'	14 ♈ 03	0.03
♂ 28° 11'	8 ♈ 17	0.02
♂ 1° 58'	23 ♈ 37	0.01
♂ 19° 24'	22 ♈ 52	0.04
♂ 15° 24'	4 ♈ 49	0.51
♂ 0° 49'	9 ♈ 52	1.04

Hamas	Jupiter	19 ♈ 49
Iran	Pluto	19 ♈ 06
Netanyahu	Moon	19 ♈ 12
Putin	Saturn/Neptune Midpoint	19 ♈ 19
King Charles III	Mars/Pluto Midpoint	18 ♈ 45
United Kingdom	Moon	19 ♈ 26
United States	Chiron	20 ♈ 06
United States	Sun/Pluto Midpoint	19 ♈ 24
United States	2 Chiron returns in 2024 & 1 in 2025	20 ♈ 06
Me	Neptune	19 ♈ 18

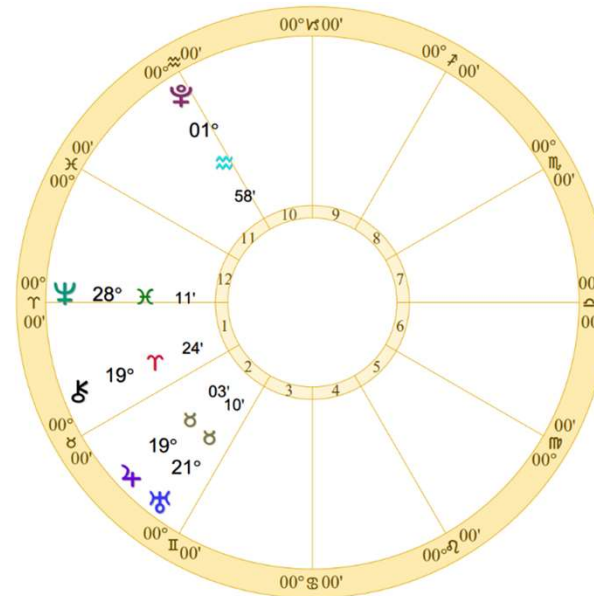
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♂♂♂	0°00'a	♂♂♂	0°22'a	♂♂♂	1°24'a
♂♂♂	0°00'a	♂♂♂	0°24's	♂♂♂	1°46'a
♂♂♂	0°14'a	♂♂♂	0°57's	♂♂♂	1°46'a
♂♂♂	0°14'a	♂♂♂	1°09'a	♂♂♂	1°46'a



If we compare the positions of the outer planets from the time of the October 2023 Solar Eclipse to this one, we'll see that almost all of the outer planets are in about the same positions that they occupied last October. Chiron was activated during the October 2023 Solar Eclipse by its conjunction with the Lunar Nodal Axis, and since this eclipse was immediately preceded by the invasion of Israel by Hamas, there are fears that history will repeat itself on April 8, 2024. Only Saturn will have moved on by about half a sign from October 2023 to April 2024, but hopefully Pluto, which has moved into Aquarius, may lead to a more beneficial outcome.



Solar Eclipse Oct 14 2023



Solar Eclipse Apr 8 2024

On **February 2, 2024**, Chiron enters its retrograde zone at 19° ♏ 00′. On **July 26, 2024**, Chiron will turn retrograde at 23° ♏ 32′. On **December 29, 2024**, Chiron will turn stationary direct at 19° ♏ 00′. And on **April 21, 2025**, Chiron will leave the retrograde zone. An important consequence of this retrograde cycle is that **Chiron will spend about four months, from November 2024 through February 2025, within 1 degree of its position during the April 8, 2024, Solar Eclipse**. Consequently, this four month span of time may reactivate this point resulting in even more eclipse consequences, particularly around **November 29, 2024**, and **January 28, 2025**. Fortunately, however, transiting Jupiter will make an extended sextile to transiting Chiron from late September through mid-November, and this could provide some relief, at least in November, by bringing forth the sweeter side of Chiron as transcendent joy.

Solar Eclipse Apr 8 2024 SOLAR ECLIPSE

Transit to Natal:

2024 - 2025	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb
♏♌☉ (19♏24, 19♏24)		29	28	
♏♌♌ (19♏24, 19♏24)		29	28	
♏♌♏ (19♏24, 19♏24)		29	28	
2024 - 2025	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb

MARS

There are two conjunctions that Mars will make with outer planets that will see some development throughout the year. First, Mars conjoins with Pluto on **February 13**, squares Pluto on **June 11**, and is in opposition to Pluto on **November 3**, right before the American presidential election. The combination of Mars with Pluto can be very explosive, and whatever is initiated on **February 13** may come to fruition on **November 3**.

The second conjunction to keep an eye on is the Mars/Saturn conjunction of **April 10, 2024**. This conjunction comes two days after the **April 8 Solar Eclipse**, and it will change into a square on **August 15**. These aspects can result in violence (Mars) due to increased frustration (Saturn), or they can signal a suppression (Saturn) of violence (Mars). Either outcome is a possibility, but the key thing to note is what happens at the conjunction as this might set the tone for what follows.

Transit to Transit:

2024	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
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♂♂♂ (14♋41, 14♋41)				10								
♂♂♂ (18♌45, 1♌45)						11						
♂♂♂ (17♌44, 17♌44)								15				
♂♂♂ (29♌46, 29♌46)										3		
2024	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec

THE FALL ECLIPSE SEASON

In general, the fall eclipse season will be much more benign as compared to the spring eclipses. This can be seen by the presence of a kite formation (a grand trine topped by a smaller triangle) in the **September Lunar Eclipse** and a grand trine and a smaller, separate triangle in the **October Solar Eclipse**. There may be some tensions associated with the **September Lunar Eclipse** due to Mercury opposition Saturn and Venus opposition Chiron, but with Neptune conjunct the eclipse, there may also be an outpouring of compassion. However, a strong sesquiquadrate/semisquare to Mercury/Saturn from Pluto could signal some problems caused by authoritarian leaders. Around the time of the **October Solar Eclipse** there may be some unexpected events and irritation due to Uranus sesquiquadrate Mercury and Saturn semisquare Pluto. There is also a square to the Sun, Moon, and Mercury from Mars that can trigger some aggression, but it is not overly strong.

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Lunar Eclipse (astrological) Saros Cycle 118 # 52

Lunar Eclipse Sep 17 2024

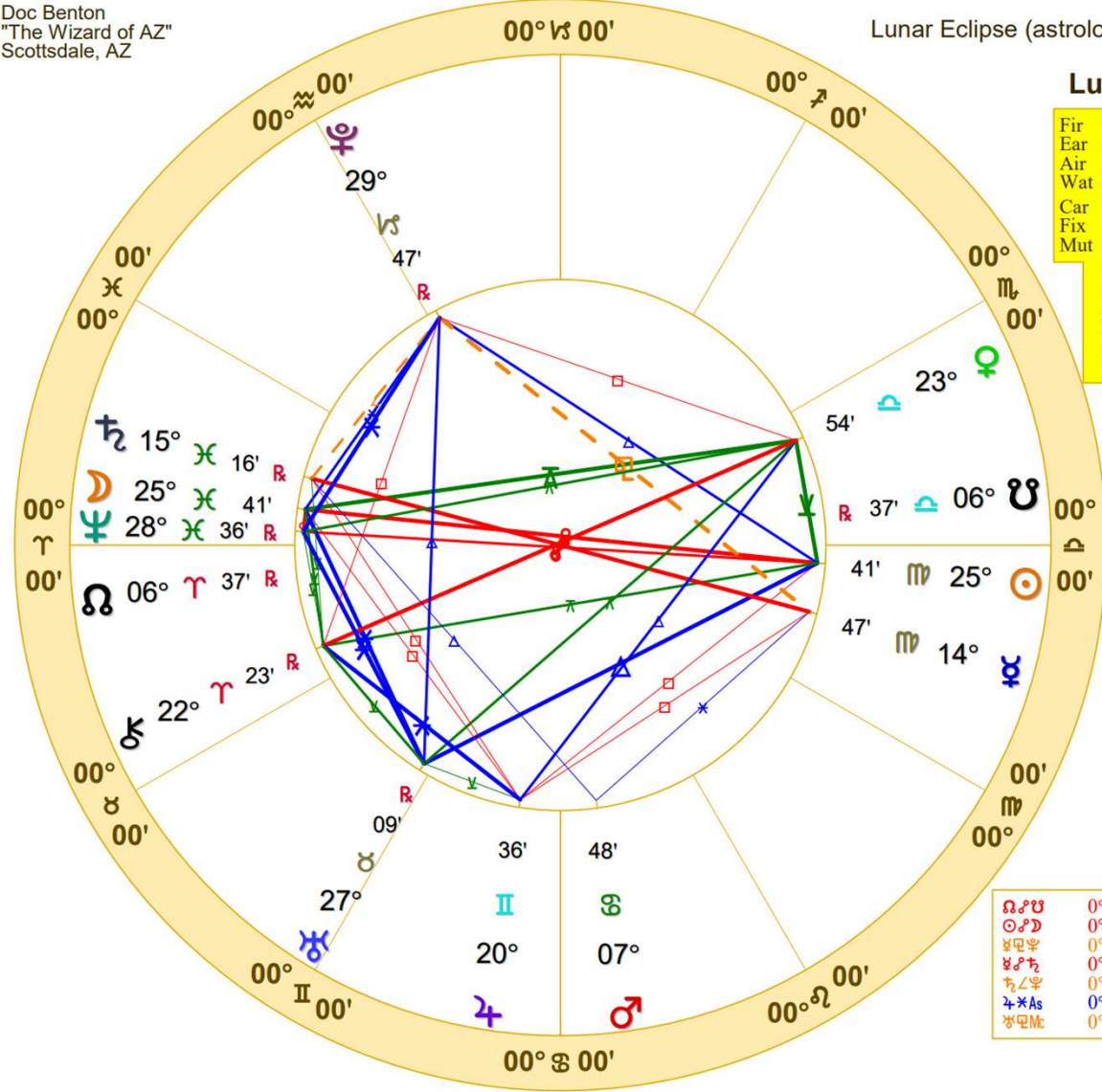
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Time Zone: 7 hours West
Geocentric
Tropical 0-Aries

Lunar Eclipse
9/17/2024

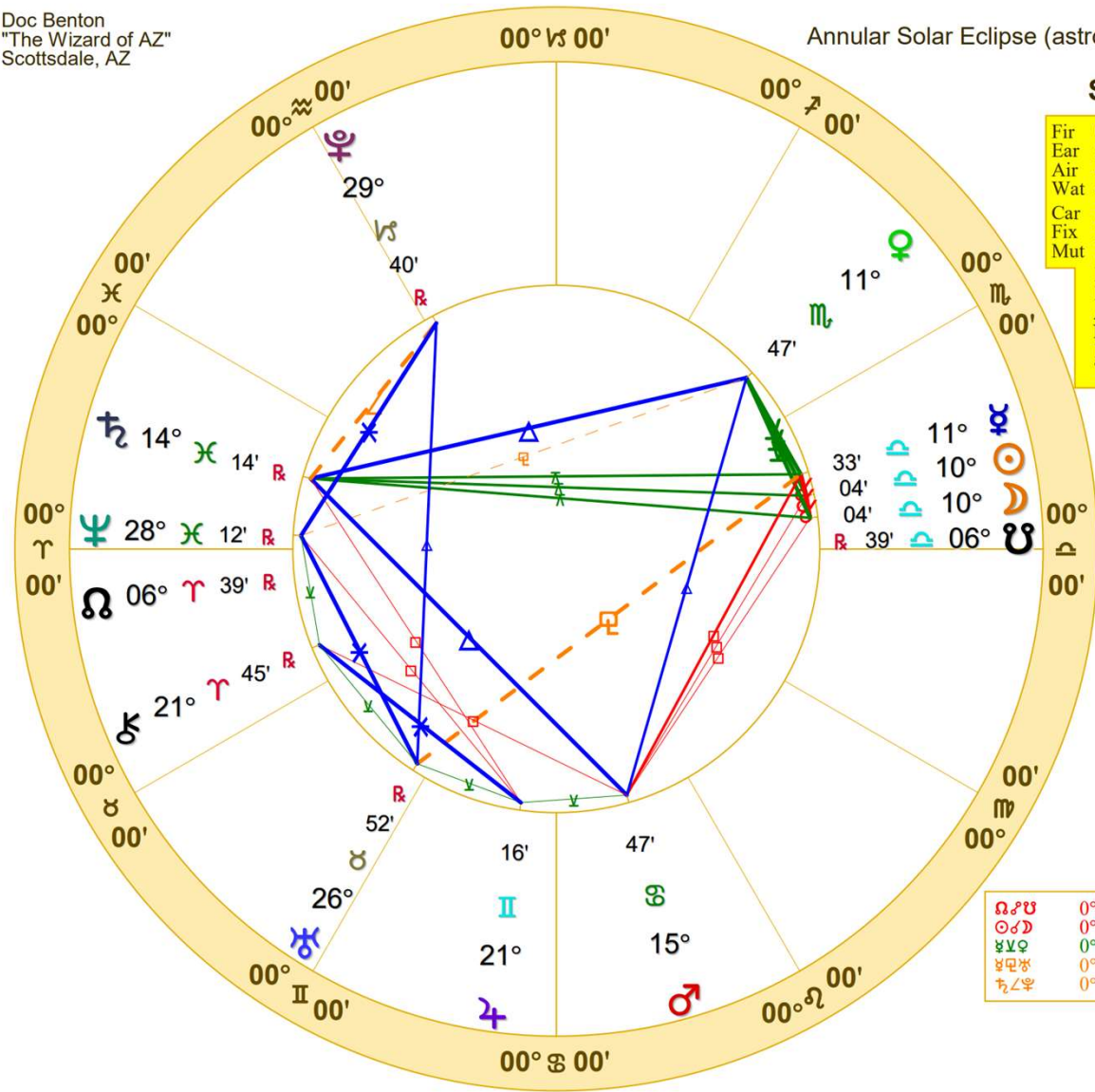
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Wat	4	0
Car	3	1
Fix	1	0
Mut	6	0
P	A	S
L	A	C
A	N	E
N	E	N
E	T	D

Long.	Dwada-samsa	Speed
☾ 25 17 40'45"	8 30 09	0.59
☽ 25 17 40'45"	8 13 09	15.11
☿ 14 17 47	27 18 18	1.50
♀ 23 15 54	16 30 50	1.13
♂ 7 30 48	3 13 32	0.34
♂ 20 11 36	7 14 14	0.04
♂ 15 16 16R	3 17 17	0.04R
♂ 27 18 09R	25 16 43	0.01R
♂ 28 16 36R	13 18 09	0.02R
♂ 29 13 47R	27 18 18	0.01R
♂ 22 17 23R	28 13 31	0.02R
♂ 21 17 21	16 11 11	1.26
♂ 13 13 02	6 11 29	0.55

♂♂♂	0°00'a	♂♂♂	1°02'a	♂♂♂	1°32's
♂♂♂	0°00'a	♂♂♂	1°11's	♂♂♂	1°44'a
♂♂♂	0°00's	♂♂♂	1°11's	♂♂♂	1°46'a
♂♂♂	0°30'a	♂♂♂	1°11's	♂♂♂	1°47's
♂♂♂	0°30'a	♂♂♂	1°27'a	♂♂♂	1°47'a
♂♂♂	0°45's	♂♂♂	1°28'a		
♂♂♂	0°54's	♂♂♂	1°28'a		



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Annular Solar Eclipse (astrological) Saros Cycle 144 # 17

Solar Eclipse Oct 2 2024

October 2, 2024
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Standard Time
Scottsdale, Arizona
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Geocentric
Tropical 0-Aries

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Air	4	0
Wat	4	0
Car	5	0
Fix	2	0
Mut	3	1
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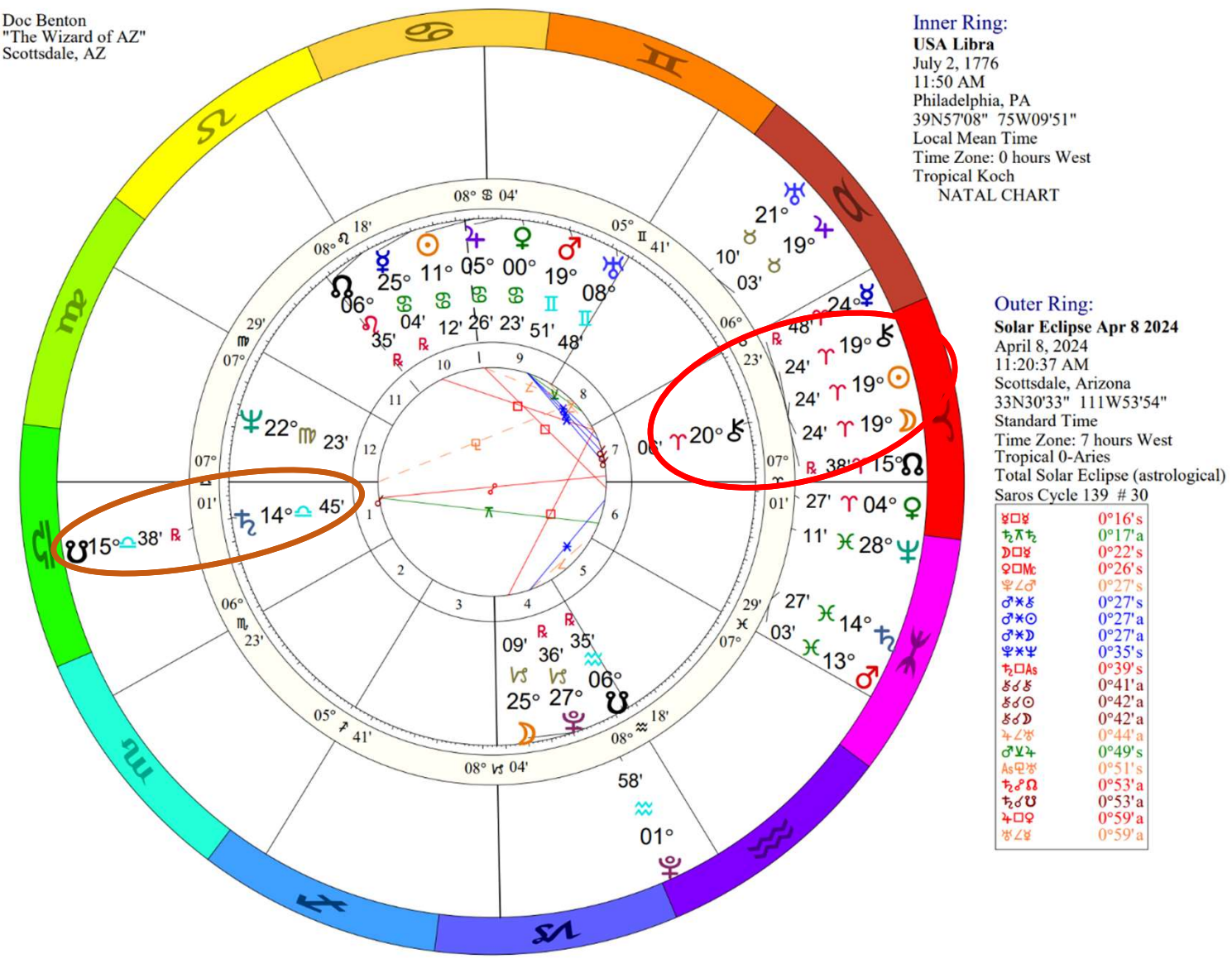
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☿	11 11 33	18 31	1 45
♀	11 11 47	21 19	1 13
♂	15 15 47	9 21	0 31
♂	21 11 16	15 12	0 01
♂	14 14 14R	20 54	0 04R
♂	26 15 52R	22 21	0 01R
♀	28 12 12R	8 18	0 02R
♀	29 13 40R	25 57	0 00R
♂	21 14 55R	21 03	0 03R
As	17 15	27 03	0 51
Mc	2 33	0 31	1 04

☉☽	0°00'a	♂♂	0°29'a	☉☽	1°29's
☉☽	0°00'a	♂♂	1°20'a	☉☽	1°29'a
☿♀	0°14'a	☉☽	1°25'a	♂♂	1°32's
♂♀	0°19'a	♂♂	1°28's	☉♀	1°43's
♂♀	0°25's	♂♂	1°28's	☉♀	1°43'a

Solar Eclipse 10/2/2024

AMERICA AND THE ECLIPSES

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America & the Solar Eclipse 4/8/2024

To the left is a biwheel with the **July 2, 1776**, chart for the passage of the Resolution for Independence as the inner wheel and the **April 8, 2024, Solar Eclipse** as the outer wheel. As can be seen, the Sun/Moon/Chiron conjunction at 19° 24' is only 42' of arc from the position of Chiron in the July 2, 1776, chart. This is one reason why I expect the April 8, 2024, Solar Eclipse to have a significant impact on America. Also, the Sun/Pluto midpoint is at 19° 24'.

Furthermore, America will experience three Chiron returns in 2024-2025.

USA Libra NATAL CHART

Transit to Natal:

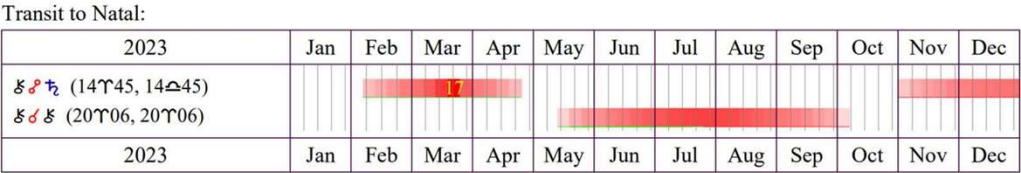
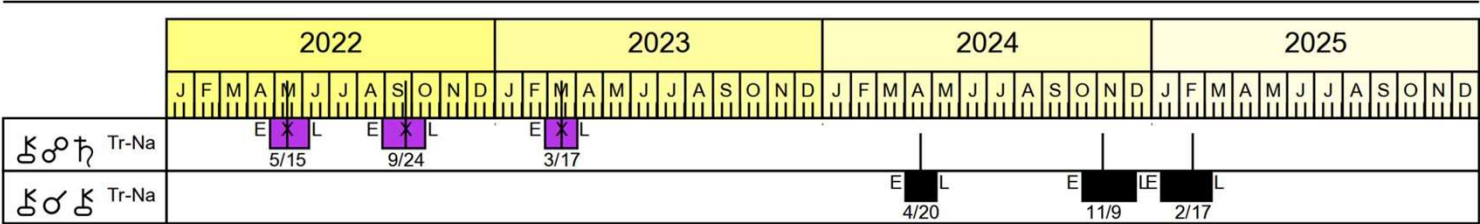
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♄♅♄ (20♿06, 20♿06)				20						9		
2024	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec

Transit to Natal:

2025	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
♄♅♄ (20♿06, 20♿06)	17											
2025	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec

This is on the heels of three oppositions of transiting Chiron to natal Saturn that occurred in 2022-2023, and the last time America went through these transits was in the early 1970s. Back then the country was in turmoil over Watergate and also legal transgressions committed by Spiro Agnew, and ultimately both Vice-President Agnew and President Nixon had to resign. One moment, though, which reflected the higher influence of Chiron was the transcendent work of the Senate Select Committee to investigate Watergate, and also The Supreme Court gave women control over their own bodies with their decision on Roe v. Wade.

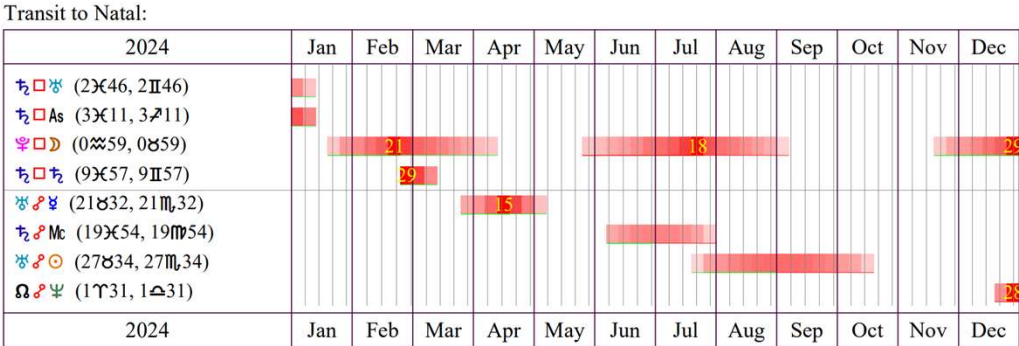
This time around, it is the actions of twice-impeached President Donald Trump that have thrown the country into turmoil, but we have also seen transcendent work this time by the January 6 Committee in response to the January 6, 2021, insurrection. Additionally, the Supreme Court has wounded many Americans by overturning Roe v. Wade and taking away the right for women to have control over their own bodies. If history doesn't exactly repeat itself, it certainly rhymes when astrological aspects repeat themselves. Below are some graphs showing the oppositions and conjunctions of transiting Chiron with natal Saturn and Chiron between 2022 and 2025 that are similar to what we saw in the 1970s. Also, throughout the Summer of 2023 there was a near conjunction of transiting Chiron with natal Chiron, and this is during the time that Donald Trump received some indictments.



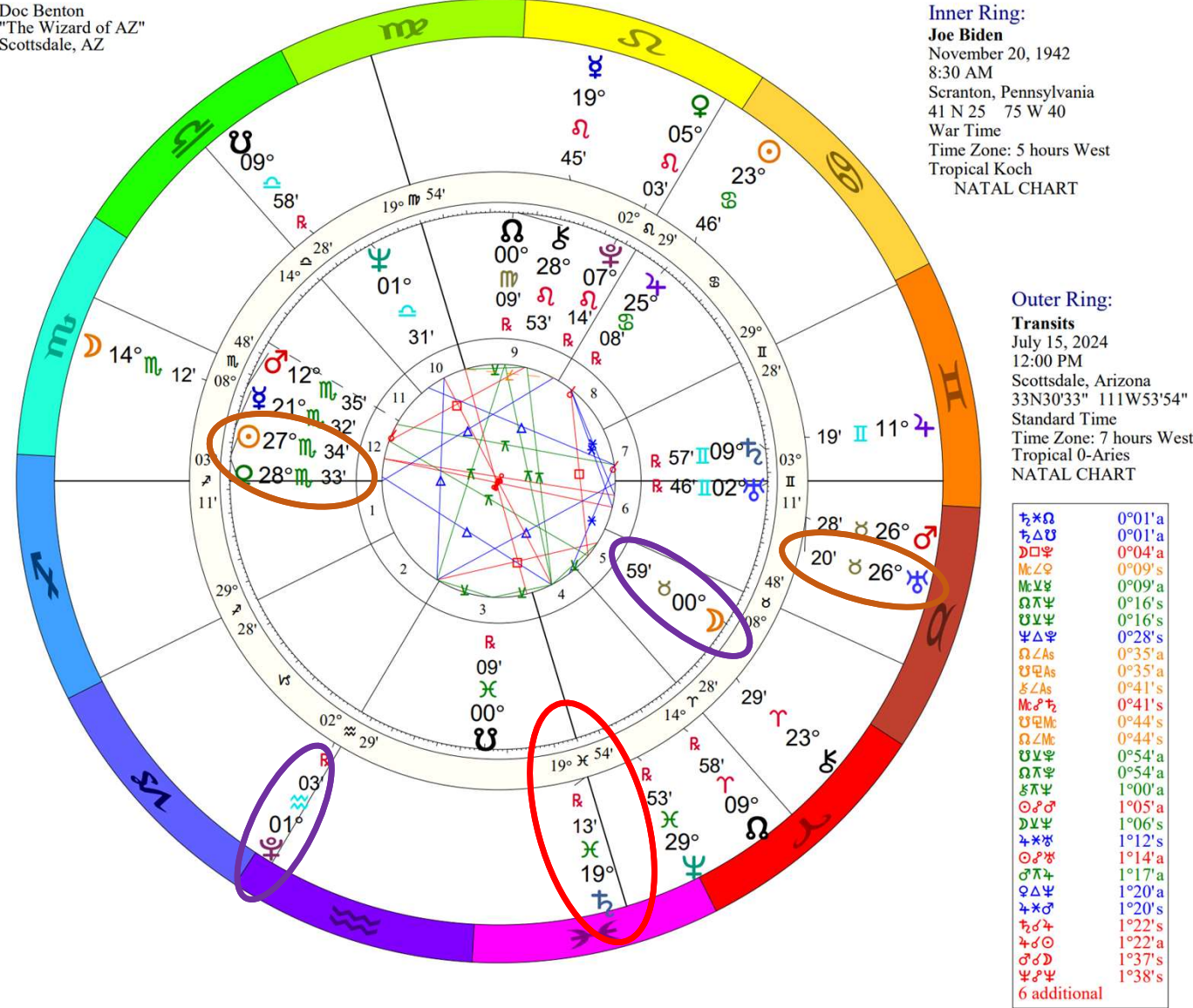
JOE BIDEN

Probably the most serious transit to Joe Biden’s chart in 2024 is a square from transiting Pluto to his 5th House natal Moon. The Moon rules Cancer, and this sign, depending on the house system used, is either on the cusp of his 8th House or wholly contained in his 8th House. Either way, this indicates death as a possible outcome. Also possible are serious illness, mental stress, and/or problems with children (5th House). At Biden’s advanced age, death or illness are certainly possibilities, but the good news is that Joe Biden is a mature individual who has learned how to handle great adversity, and time and time again I’ve seen him handle with ease astrological crises that would floor a less evolved individual. Also, there was a very near square of transiting Pluto to his natal Moon in April & May of 2023, and at that time the issue that came forward was his son Hunter Biden and whether Joe Biden had been involved in Hunter’s questionable activities. Already we have seen that Republicans want to make this an issue in 2024.

Joe Biden NATAL CHART



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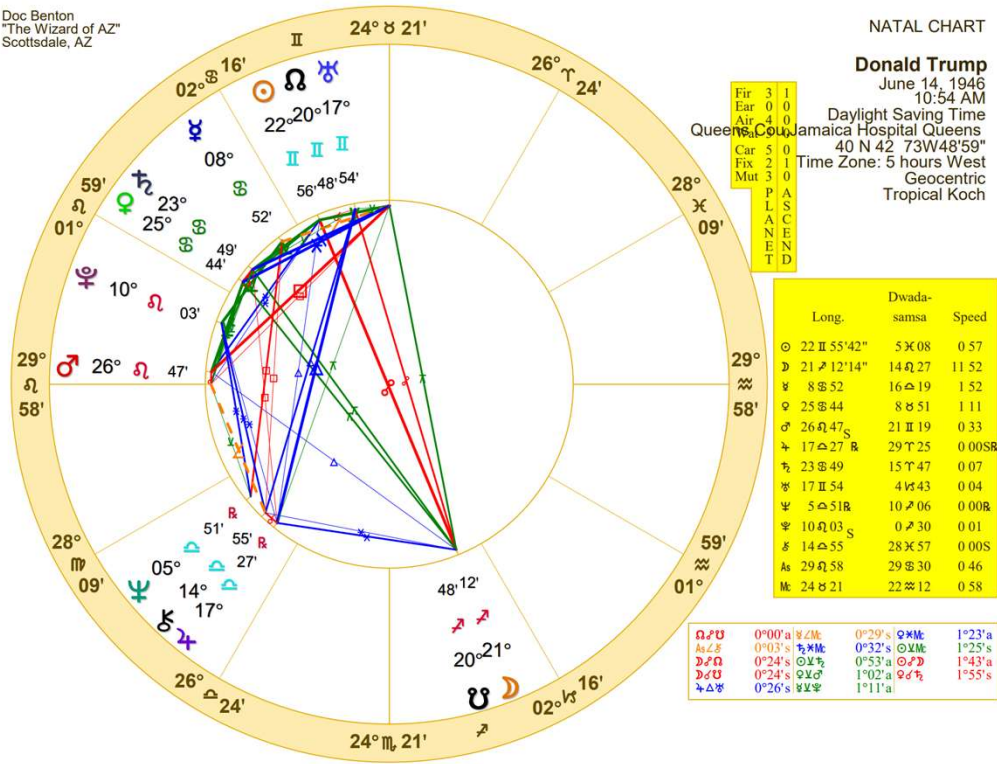
In June/July of 2024, transiting Saturn will be near the bottom of Joe Biden's chart, and astrologically this position often coincides with retirement from the limelight and a focus instead on one's home and family. Following this in August and September, transiting Uranus will be in opposition to Biden's Sun, and this could result in some unexpected developments in his life. What exactly will happen, we don't know. We only know the basic nature of the planets involved.

DONALD TRUMP

As mentioned above, America has so far gone through a series of oppositions to its natal Saturn from transiting Chiron, one near conjunction of natal Chiron with transiting Chiron, and a series of exact conjunctions to come this year and next from transiting Chiron to natal Chiron. Past history has shown that political leaders are often affected by these transits, and so far it has been Donald Trump who has born the brunt of the wounding. His personal transits for 2024 suggest that wounding, frustration, and reversals of luck are likely to continue. Thus, I anticipate the following:

Aspect	Period	Impact
Chiron conjunct Chiron	January	Wounding
South Node conjunct Jupiter	February	Exaggerated behavior; impaired luck
Chiron opposite Jupiter	mid-February to mid-March	Impaired luck
Saturn square Uranus	May, August	Impaired status
Uranus conjunct Midheaven	mid-May to June, mid-November to December	Change in status
Chiron square Saturn	mid-June to early September	Wounded status
Uranus square Mars	July to October	Anger and personal changes
South Node conjunct Neptune	September to November	Scandal, galmour, and misinformation

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Donald Trump Natal Chart and 2024 Transits

Donald Trump NATAL CHART

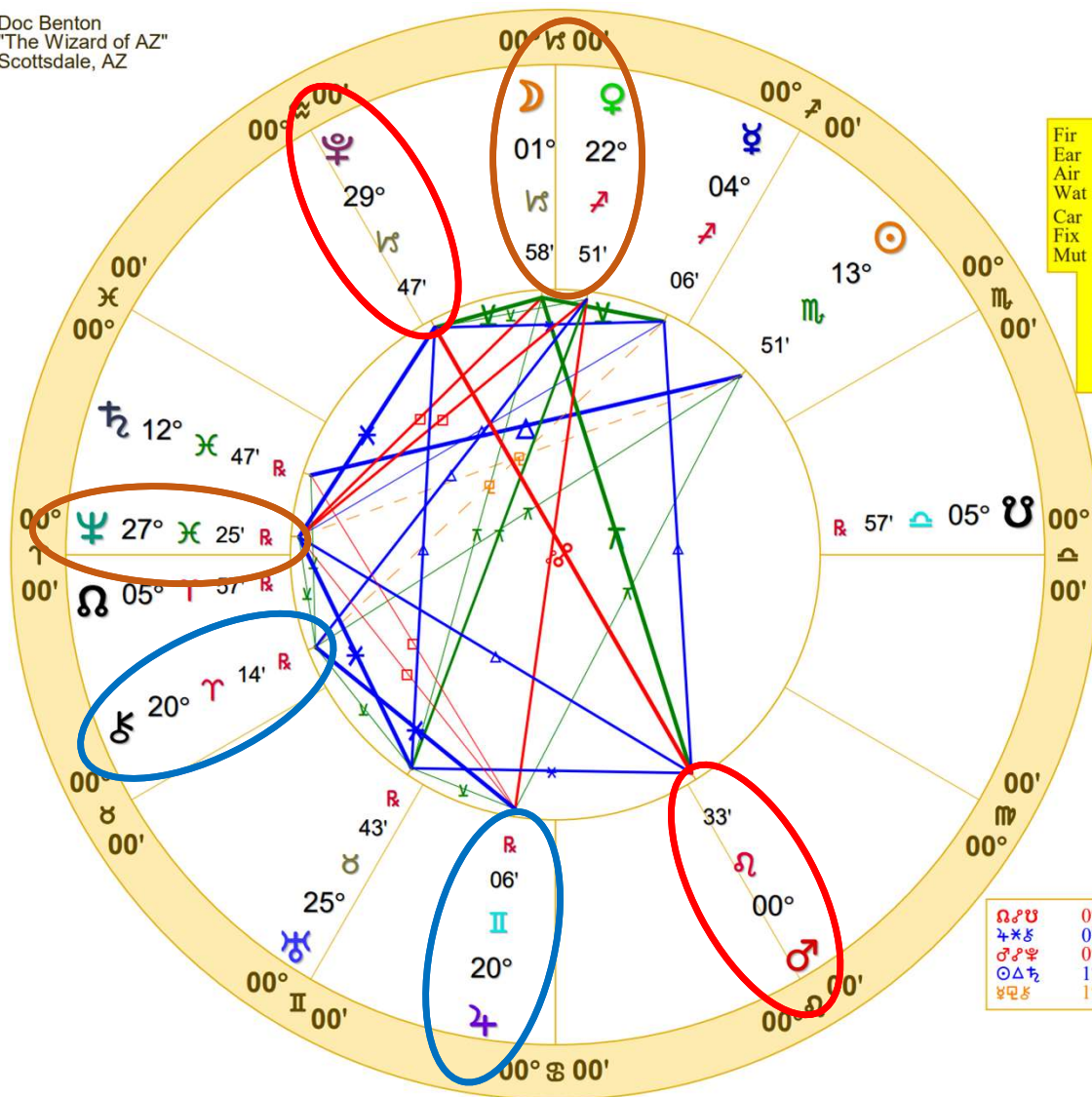
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♂♂♂ (23T49, 23S49)												
♂♂♂ (26S47, 26Q47)								29		5		
♂♂♂ (8T51, 8S51)							23					
♂♂♂ (5T51, 5A51)										6		
2024	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec

THE FALL 2024 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

If you ask me who will win the **November 5, 2024**, presidential election in America, the correct answer is that I don't know. In fact, given President Biden's age and Donald Trump's legal difficulties, I can't really say with complete confidence that either one will be a candidate when the time to vote comes. However, what I can say is this. Pluto will have moved back into Capricorn, and while that doesn't necessarily favor the more conservative candidate, it does suggest that voters will be looking for someone that they perceive as strong and traditional. However, at the same time, Pluto is only about 3 minutes of arc away from returning to Aquarius, and anticipation of what's to come may favor a more progressive candidate. The chart for election day contains several beneficial sextiles and trines, but there are also a few aspects that may result in tension or even violence. For example, Mars is making a strong opposition to Pluto, and Neptune is making a strong square to the Moon and Venus. Hence, discord and misinformation will also be present on that day. However, transiting Jupiter will be making a strong sextile to both transiting and natal Chiron in the July 2, 1776, chart, and this, too, could nudge the country in a more progressive direction. Either way, just five days after this presentation will be second return of transiting Chiron to natal Chiron in this chart for America, and so one way or another the results of this election will likely be very impactful.

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NATAL CHART

Transits

November 5, 2024

12:00 PM

Standard Time

Scottsdale, Arizona

33N30'33" 111W53'54"

Time Zone: 7 hours West

Geocentric

Tropical 0-Aries

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Election Day
Transits
11/5/2024

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Joe Biden

November 20, 1942

8:30 AM

Scranton, Pennsylvania

41 N 25 75 W 40

War Time

Time Zone: 5 hours West

Tropical Koch

NATAL CHART

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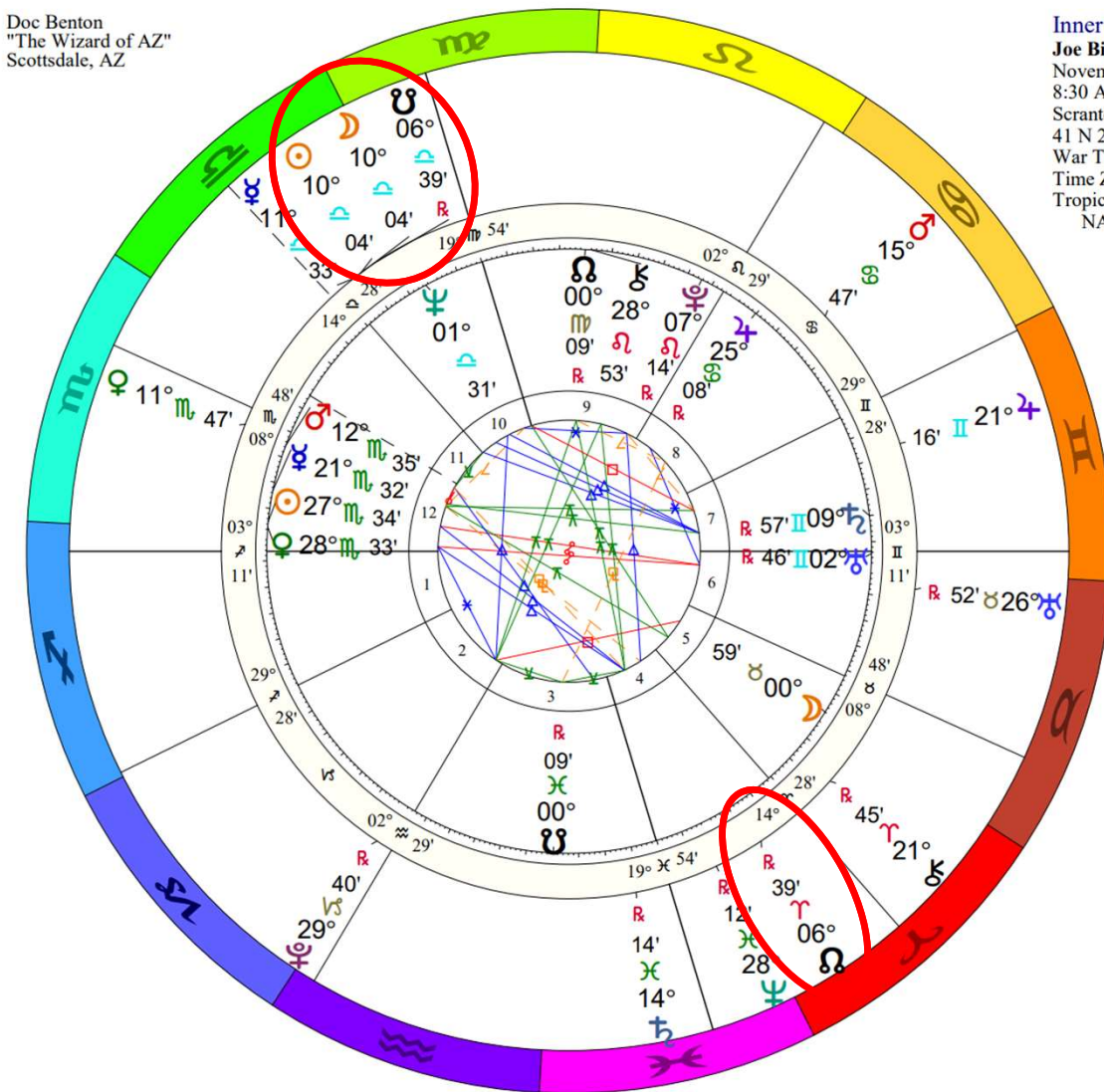
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NATAL CHART

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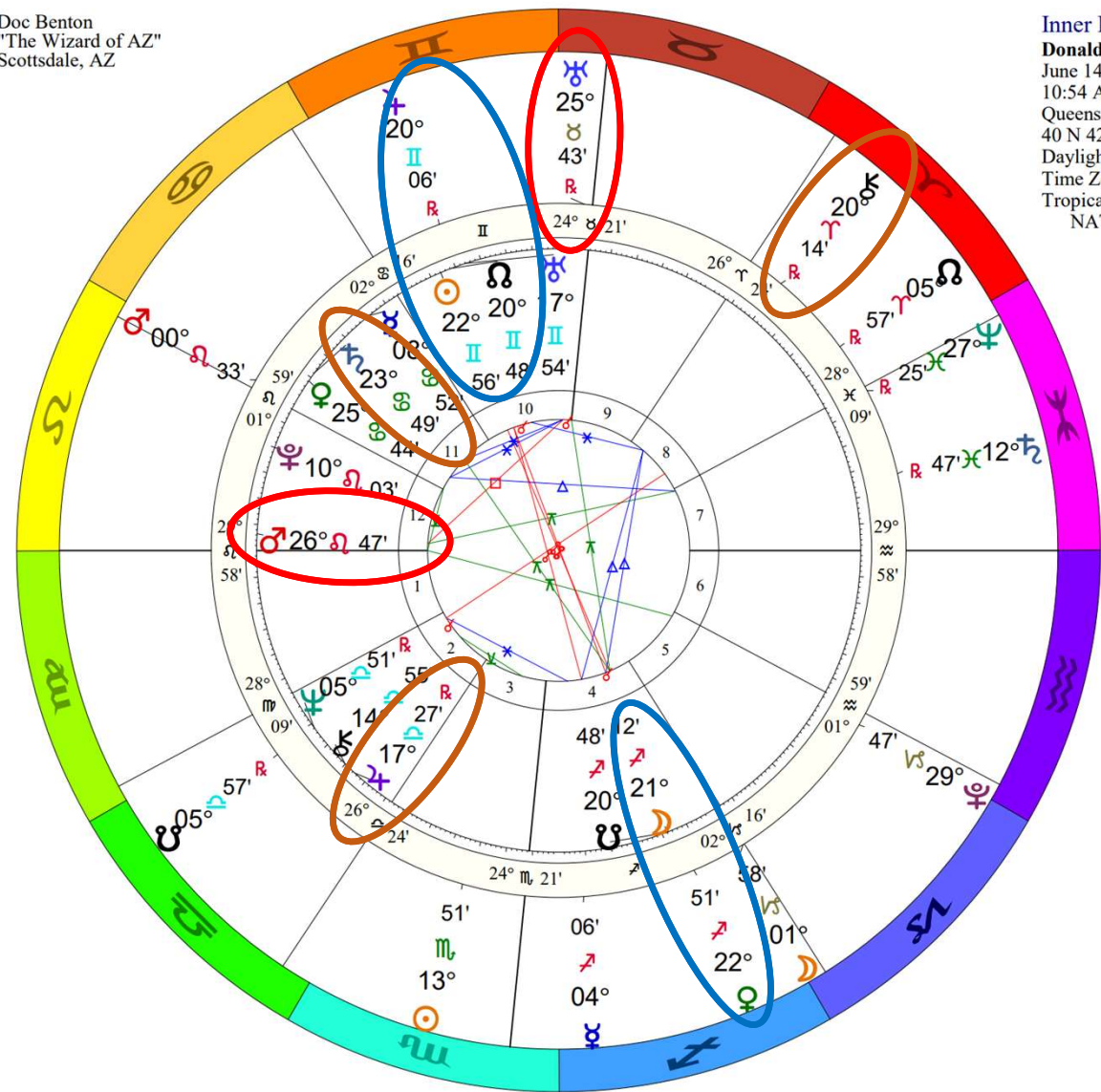
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Annular Solar Eclipse (astrological)
Saros Cycle 144 # 17

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9 additional	

If we look at Biden's **October 2, 2024, Solar Eclipse** transits, then we see these same aspects in play. However, the eclipse activates his 10th-4th House axis which means his status will be highlighted, and that could be for good or bad.

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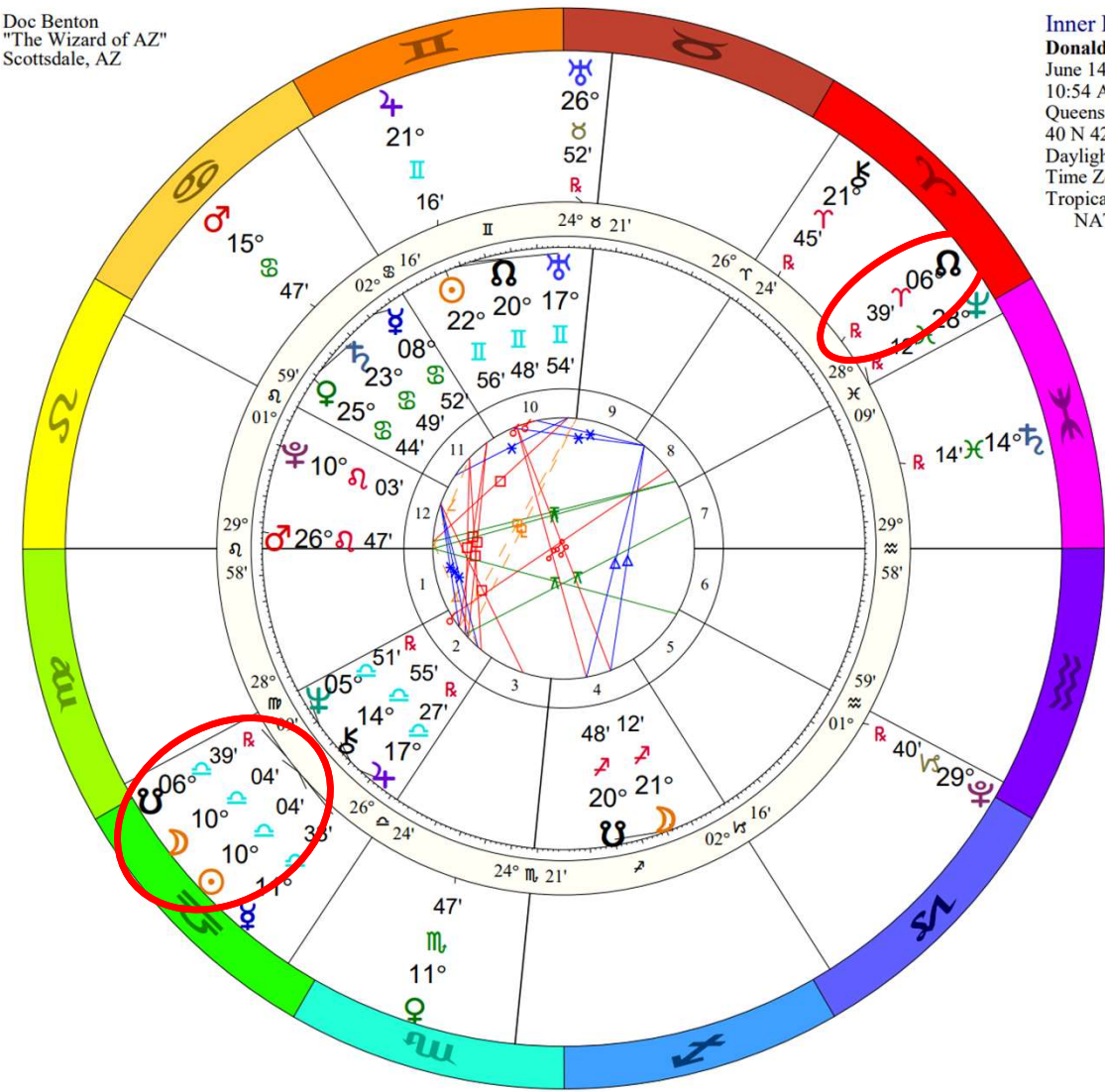
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If Donald Trump is a candidate, then here are his transits on **election day**. The good news for him is that transiting Jupiter is conjunct his Sun and North Node in the 10th House and Venus is conjunct his natal Moon, and that is a very favorable configuration. However, at the same time, transiting Uranus is conjunct his Midheaven and square his natal Mars. That suggests a change in his status, for better or worse, and that he will be very angry. Additionally, if we look at transiting Chiron, then it is within a 3 degree orb of a square to his natal Saturn and an opposition to his natal Jupiter, and this could wound both his status and luck.

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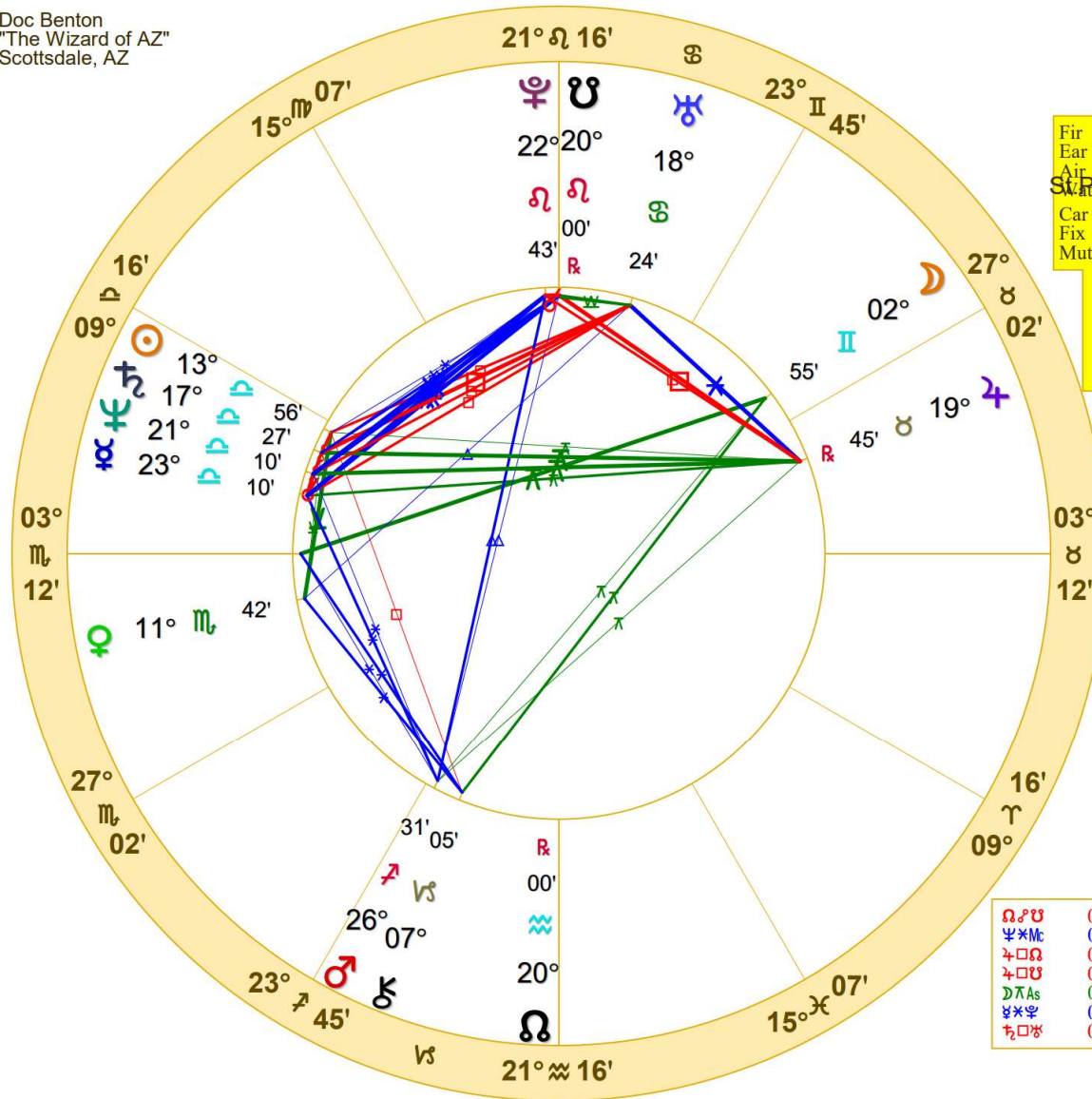
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2 additional	

If we look at Trump's transits from the **October 2, 2024, Solar Eclipse** chart, then we see his 2nd-8th House axis being activated, and this puts a focus on finances and survival.

PUTIN

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NATAL CHART

Vladimir Putin

October 7, 1952

9:30 AM

Standard Time

St. Petersburg, Russian Federation

59 N 55 30 E 18

Time Zone: 3 hours East

Geocentric

Tropical Koch

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At Astrodatbank, Putin's birth data is classified as XX which means "dirty data." However, the chart below that I use is the one most people use, its birth data has been verified by Putin's webmaster, and it seems to work quite well. With that said, I'll proceed with my analysis.

Looking at Putin’s hard aspects for 2024, we see many that involve Chiron, and this suggests wounding throughout the coming year. There are also hard aspects from Uranus which will push for change, and a square from transiting Neptune to natal Mars in February could manifest as illness or even an assassination attempt. We don’t know exactly what will happen and we can only guess at how well prepared Putin is to resist the winds of change. However, we do know that the astrological weather doesn’t favor smooth sailing throughout the year. Specific dates can be gleaned from the bar graph below.

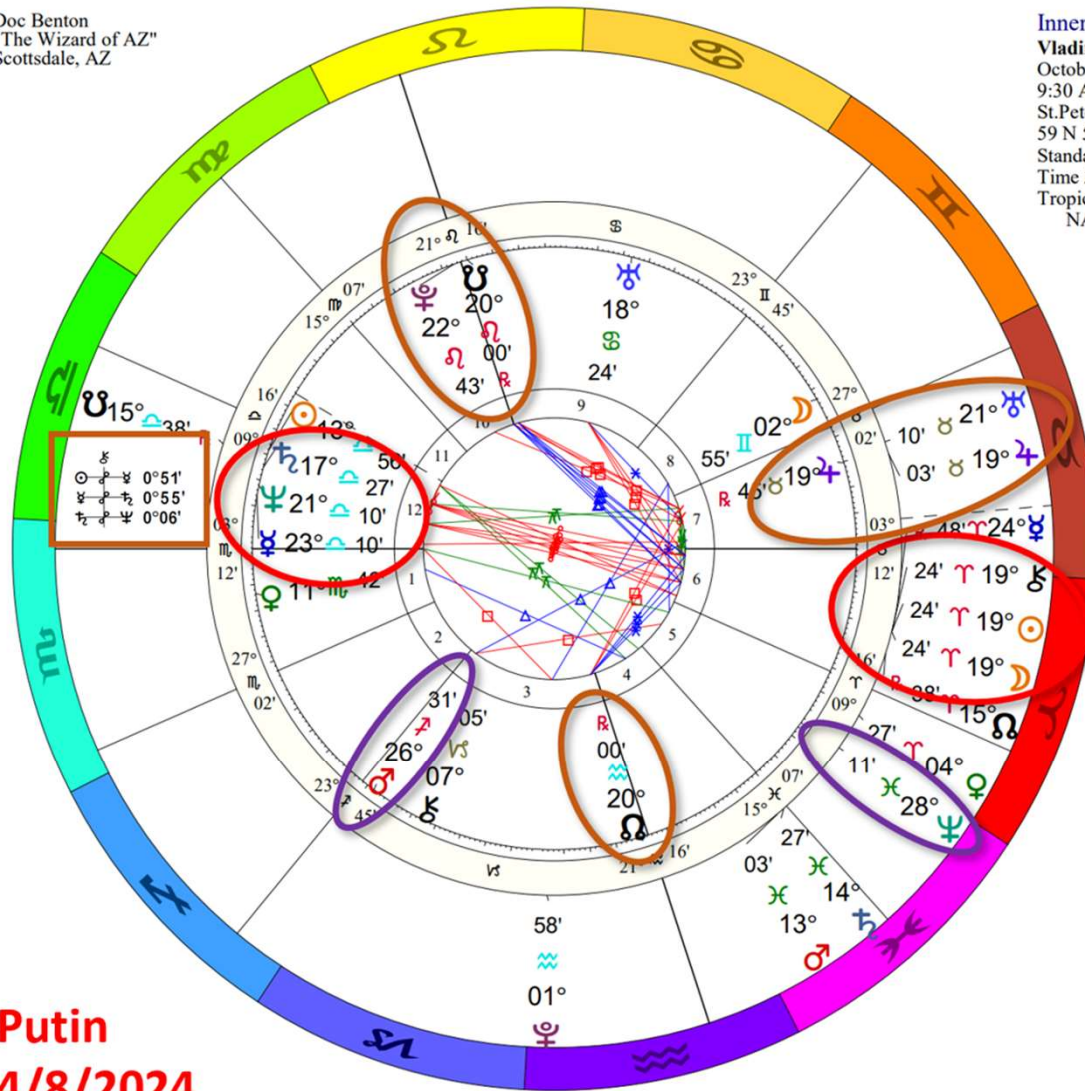
Vladimir Putin NATAL CHART

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Putin
4/8/2024



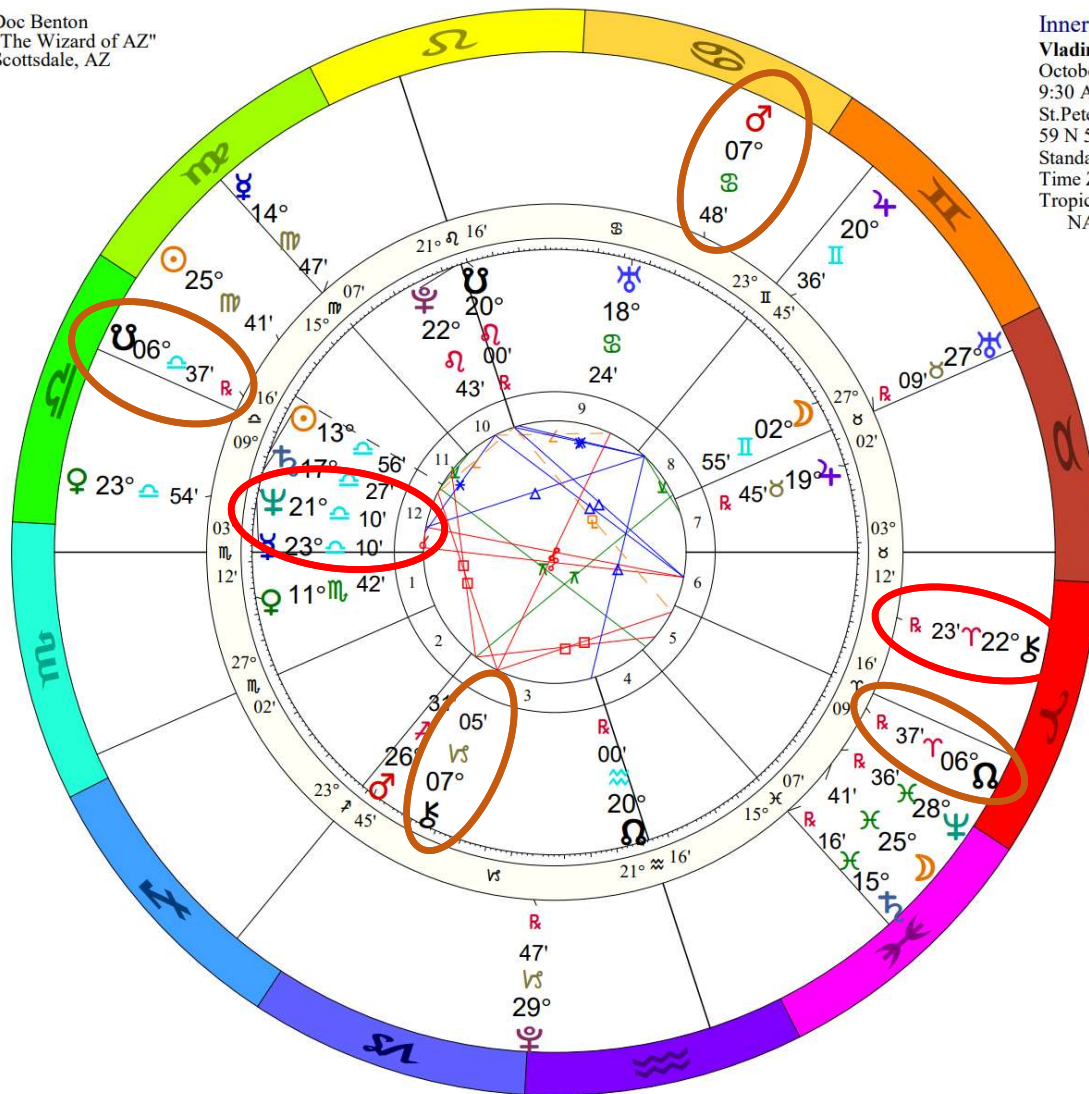
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Vladimir Putin
October 7, 1952
9:30 AM
St.Petersburg, Russian Federation
59 N 55 30 E 18
Standard Time
Time Zone: 3 hours East
Tropical Koch
NATAL CHART

Outer Ring:
Solar Eclipse Apr 8 2024
April 8, 2024
11:20:37 AM
Scottsdale, Arizona
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Standard Time
Time Zone: 7 hours West
Tropical 0-Aries
Total Solar Eclipse (astrological)
Saros Cycle 139 # 30

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19 additional	

As mentioned previously, Putin is one of those leaders who will likely be greatly affected by the **April 8, 2024, Solar Eclipse**. Aspects from Chiron make wounding more likely; aspects from Uranus make a change in his status more likely; and a square from transiting Neptune to natal Mars makes illness, assassination, or confused anger of some sort more likely. And there are also some midpoint activations.

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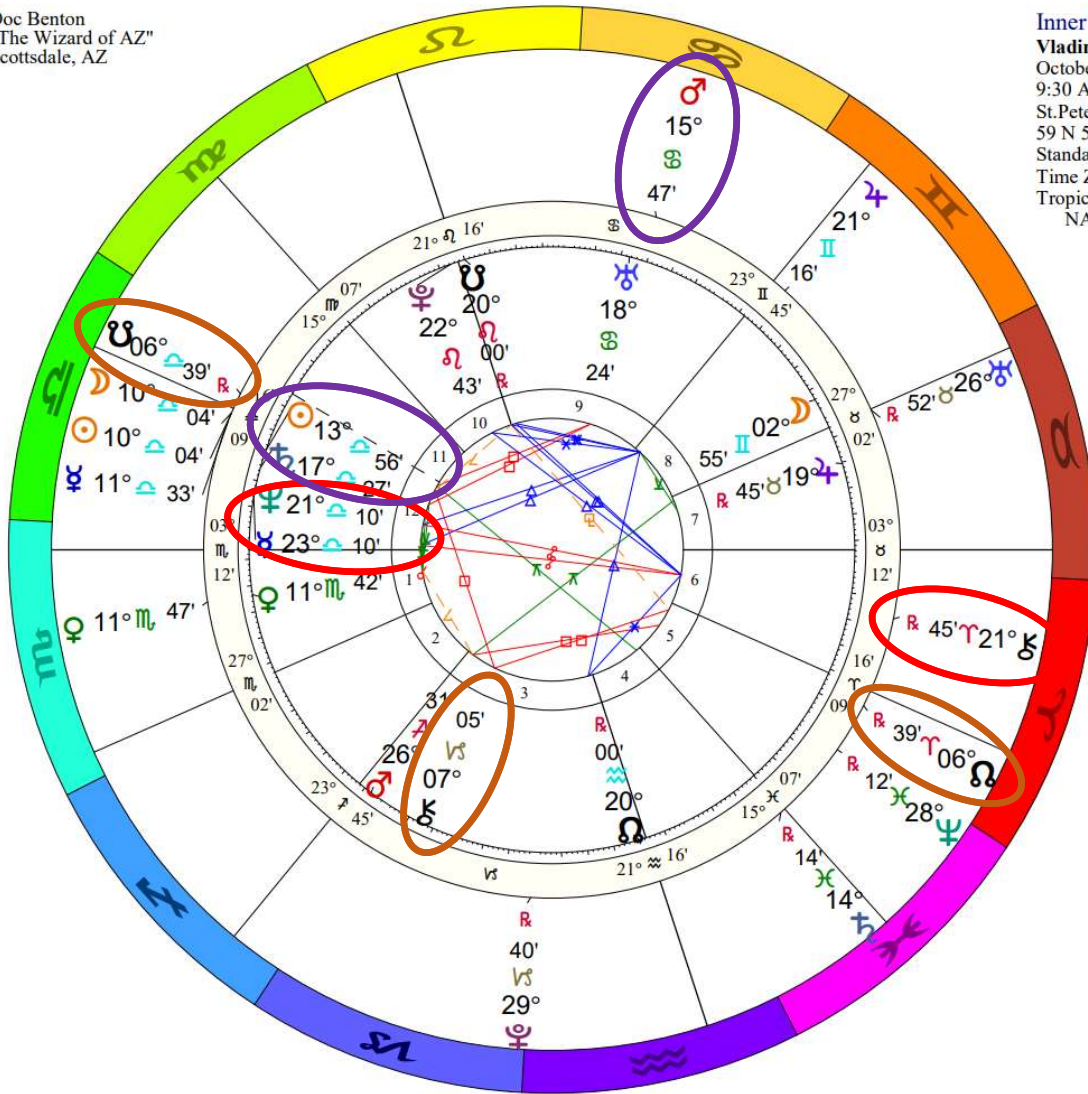
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Cycle 118 # 52

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Putin's troubles will likely continue into the fall season of eclipses. At the time of the **September 17 Lunar Eclipse**, he will have transiting Chiron opposite 12th House natal Neptune, transiting Mars opposite his natal Chiron, and the transiting Lunar Nodal Axis square natal Chiron. It is likely that either he will be wounded or he will wound others.

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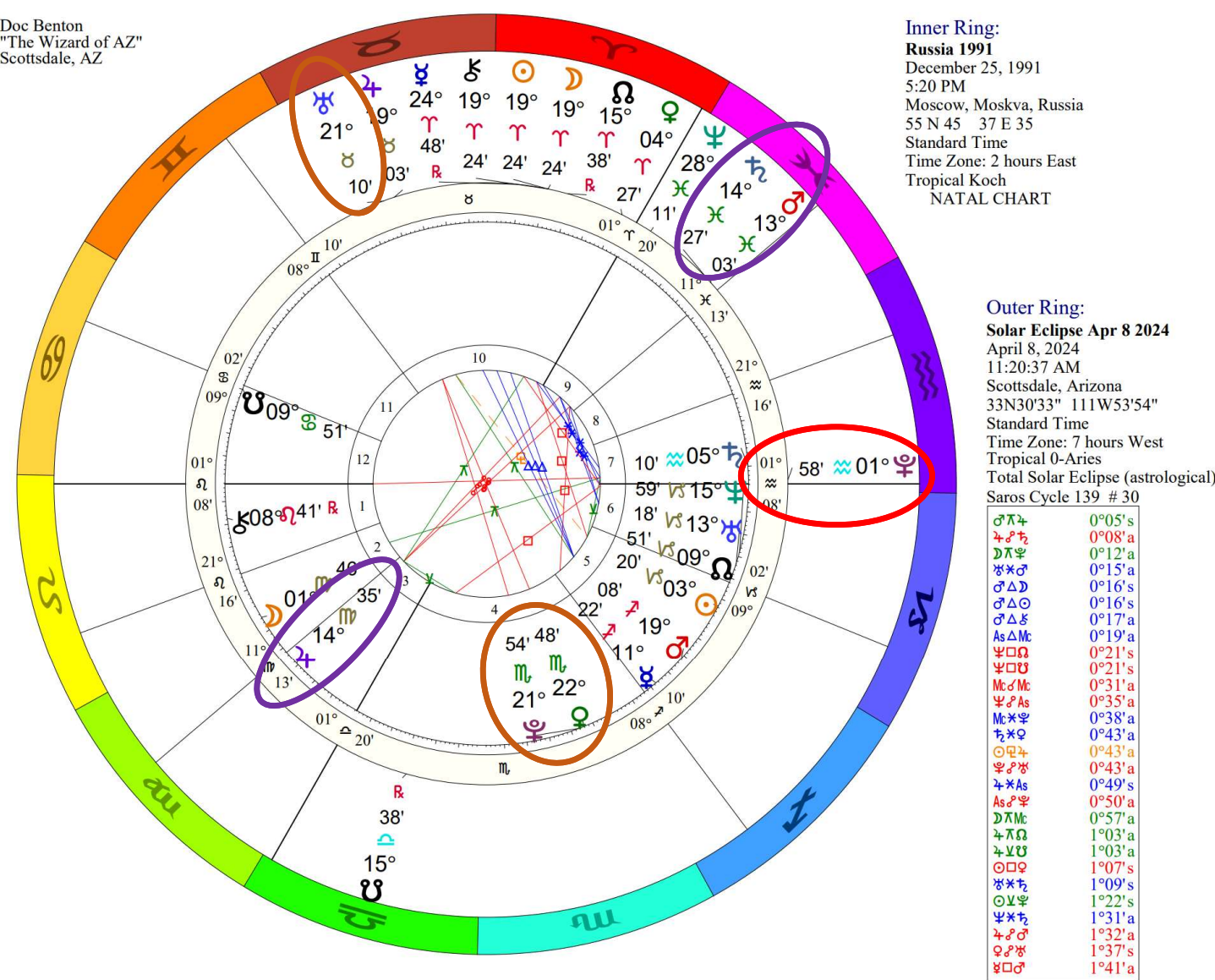
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4 additional	

At the time of the **October 2 Solar Eclipse**, the only significant change is that transiting Mars will now be squaring Putin's natal Sun and Saturn. This will likely affect his status in some way, and this may be the year in which Putin ceases to be the leader of Russia.

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Furthermore, Putin may be ousted even earlier in the year since at the time of the **April 8 Solar Eclipse**, transiting Pluto will be conjunct Russia's Descendant, transiting Saturn and Mars will be opposite Russia's natal Jupiter, and transiting Uranus will be opposite Russia's natal Pluto. However, what ultimately happens also depends upon how firm Putin's grip on power is the coming year, how well protected he is, and how robust his medical care is.

In summary:

- Pluto's ingress into Aquarius will usher in a shift of power to the people, humanitarianism, and technological advances.
- Jupiter's ingress into Gemini will begin a year of mental ingenuity.
- The spring eclipse season could result in a year of wounding and increased tensions in the Middle East and elsewhere, but if we make good choices, then wounding could be replaced by healing and transcendent joy.
- The fall eclipse season will be more beneficial.
- America will likely continue to see significant political turmoil, mass shootings, and climate change events in 2024 due to transiting Chiron conjunct natal Chiron.
- President Biden will be under intense pressure from Pluto square his natal Moon.
- Donald Trump will likely experience more wounding from Chiron and other planets.
- Vladimir Putin will also be under intense pressure and may even lose his position.
- And even if Putin is not gone by the time of the **February 20, 2026, Saturn/Neptune conjunction**, then he will probably become increasingly irrelevant from that time on.
- The **April 8 eclipse point** will be reactivated by transiting Chiron from **November 2024 through February 2025**.