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# Message from the **Editor**

September marks the end of the 3rd quarter. With September, the realisation dawns on us that three quarters of the year is over. We wonder where it has gone, together with our best intentions to work harder, eat better, exercise more or whatever New Year's Resolution we made that has fallen by the

wayside.

Although I've always felt that we can choose to start anew any time of the year, September, according to Gretchen Rubin, author of The Happiness Project, is the other January. It is the start of school in the U.S., and as such brings with it the feeling of a clean slate and new possibilities.

Whether you're living in the U.S. or not, and whether you're feeling that you've gone off course or not, why not use the month of September to reconnect with your aspirations and goals, and give yourselves the boost that comes from the feeling of a new beginning, and end the year on a high?

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# A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE ORIGIN OF CHINESE ASTROLOGY & METAPHYSICS

It is believed that Chinese astronomy was practiced as early as the time of the Yellow Emperor around 2700 BC to 2150 BC. Chinese Astrology is part of the Chinese astronomy practice where imperial astronomers advised the emperor by observing and charting the movements of the Heavens. The Heavens do not refer to God or religion. Instead, the movements of Heavens refer to the law of nature, which is the interaction of the Five Elements.

Throughout the history of China, the law of nature – the Five Elements, had been integrated into the practice of medicine, farming, martial arts, weather forecasting, natural occurrences, war strategy, astrology, divination and geomancy in Chinese society. These practices have been interdependent and practiced as one science called the Five Arts "五术" which consists of medicine, fengshui, destiny, divination, and physiognomy.

Before the invention and popularity of the Feng Shui and Chinese Bazi systems, Chinese Metaphysics was divided into Three Oracles in ancient China, namely;

- 1. Da Liu Ren 大六壬
- 2. Tai Yi Shen Shu 太乙神数
- 3. Qi Men Dun Jia 奇门遁甲

While these Three Oracles system can predict personal destiny and fate, the Da Liu Ren system is an older divination system that analyses one's destiny, similar to Bazi >>

字 and Purple Star Astrology 紫微斗數. Tai Yi Shen Shu was used to predict macroscopic events such as natural disasters, weather and war. While Qi Men Dun Jia was used to analyse land formation and weather changes for war.

#### **Chinese Astrology (Bazi)**

The origin of Bazi, the system that is popularly used to analyze one's destiny, is attributed to Scholar Li Xuzhong of the Tang Dynasty (A.D 618-907). Bazi analysis technique was further improved and practiced by Xu Ziping in the Song Dynasty (A.D 960-1279). Bazi is based on the same principles, using the 5 elements to read one's destiny and fortune.

Bazi along with Purple Star Astrology has been in use for thousands of years throughout the winding course of Chinese civilization. Bazi has somehow shaped the cultural practices and philosophy of the Chinese people as much as Confucianism has shaped the character and mind of the Chinese. In the olden days, the Chinese people seeking their fortunes, travelled far and wide to temples to have their destinies revealed to them by astrologers. Consulting an astrologer is a common practice and very much a part of Chinese culture.

There are many stories and fables explaining the beginning of the twelve zodiac signs in the Bazi Chart and the Chinese calendric



system due to influence of Chinese culture and religious beliefs. This is because, besides scholars of the Imperial Astronomers and Astrologers who study Chinese Metaphysics, and who only gave advice to the emperor and imperial families, most commoners were only able to access these practices through Taoist monks who study Chinese Metaphysics. Mostly their knowledge was limited and often muddled with religious beliefs and practices. Thus, becoming a Feng Shui master or Fortune-teller reader was actually looked upon as a vocation of ill repute in the old days if you were not an imperial officer. The career image of Chinese Metaphysicians only improved recently as people became more open-minded, and began to seek out alternative knowledge and information. The skillful blending of marketing and branding of modern practitioners also contributed to this change of image.

However, in actual fact, the 12 Earthly Branches have been used to record the time, day, month and year since the Han Dynasty. For the sake of entertainment and convenience, the 12 Earthly Branches have been replaced by the 12 animals. This was because most of the population in ancient China were farmers. They were not well educated. It was easier for them to make reference to each year, month, day and hour assigned with animal signs.

In the next articles we look into how Bazi reflects the destiny and fortune of famous historical figures.



### Famous folklore on the origin of Chinese Zodiac

he story began when the Jade Emperor called for a meeting of the animal kingdoms. To get to the meeting, the animal had to cross a river. The Jade Emperor had also proclaimed that the years on the calendar would be named after each animal in the order they arrived. Cat and Rat decided that the best and fastest way to cross the river was to hop on the back of Ox. Ox, being good-natured, agreed to carry them both across the river. Midway across the river, the cunning Rat pushed Cat into the water. When the Ox reached the other side of the river, Rat jumped ahead and reached the shore first. So he claimed first place in this competition.

Ox arrived just after Rat and was named the 2<sup>nd</sup> animal in the zodiac. Tiger tired and panting, explained to the Jade Emperor how difficult it was to cross the river with the heavy currents. But with its powerful strength, Tiger finally made it to the shore claiming the 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the cycle.

Rabbit crossed the river by jumping from one stone to another in a nimble fashion. However, halfway through the race, the Rabbit fell into the river but was lucky enough to grab hold of a floating log that washed him to shore. It came right after Tiger, thus, it became the 4<sup>th</sup> animal in the Zodiac cycle. In 5<sup>th</sup> place was the Flying Dragon. The Jade Emperor was curious as to why a swift flying Dragon failed to place first. The mighty Dragon explained that he had to stop and make rain to help all the people and creatures of the earth, and therefore he reached the meeting later. Then, on his way to the finish, he saw a little helpless Rabbit clinging onto a log so he did a good deed and gave a puff of breath so that the poor creature could land on the shore. The Jade Emperor was very pleased with the Dragon, and added the Dragon to the zodiac.

A galloping sound was heard, announcing the Horse's arrival. Hidden in the Horse's hoof was the Snake, whose sudden appearance gave the Horse a fright, thus making it fall back, giving the Snake the 6<sup>th</sup> spot, while the Horse placed 7<sup>th</sup>.

Following a short distance away, the Goat, Monkey, and Rooster came to the shore. The Rooster spotted a raft, and took the other two animals with it. Together, they tugged and pulled and finally got the raft to the shore. Because of their combined efforts, the Emperor was very

got the raft to the shore. Because of their combined efforts, the Emperor was very pleased and promptly named the Goat as the 8<sup>th</sup> creature, the Monkey as the 9<sup>th</sup>, and the Rooster the 10<sup>th</sup>.

The 11<sup>th</sup> animal was the Dog. Although he was supposed to be the best swimmer, being playful, he gave into the temptation to play a little longer in the river. He explained to the Jade Emperor that he was late because he needed a good bath. For that, he almost didn't make it to the finish line. Just as the Jade Emperor was about to close the competition, oink, oink, oink, there came the little Pig. The Pig got hungry during the race, stopped for a feast but fell asleep after. After the nap, the Pig continued the race and reached last. He was named the 12<sup>th</sup> animal of the zodiac cycle.

The cat drowned and did not make it into the zodiac. It is said that this is the reason that cats chase Rats; to get back at them for what they have done. This ancient folklore not only tells the origin of the twelve zodiacs but also why the Cat and Rat became arch enemies.







#### Taking A Step Back Into The Past With Bazi 八字

In this issue, we look into some of China's most famous historical figures in the light of Bazi. These include emperors, empresses, and concubines who brought about the rise and fall of dynasties, and by extension the prosperity or suffering of a nation.

#### A Beauty That Made Fish Forget How to Swim

The sun had set, and dusk settled, with the sky growing dark in the distance. Bonfires were springing up along the wall encircling the capital. Outside the gate of the capital, tribute troops were seen arriving, bringing along beautiful silks, jades, jewelry and gold. The tributes were sent by King Goujian of Yue to pacify King Fuchai of Wu.

During the night, laughter was heard from the palace. The wind stirred the water-lilies, filling the palace with their fragrance. There was celebration and merry making in King Fuchai's court. The banquet was lavish, and enthralling music and beautiful dancers entertained the courtiers. In the midst of the merry making, two lovely women slowly stepped in to perform for King Fuchai. One of extraordinary beauty, danced gracefully. Her alluring movements captivated King Fuchai, sealing her fate. She was no other than Xi Shi 西施, one of the legendary four beauties of ancient China. She, and the other woman were tribute women sent to King Fuchai to ensure the success of the peace treaty and the safety of King Goujian who had had to serve as a slave in Wu for three years after he was defeated.

Xi Shi was known as a heroine due to her contribution to the downfall of the State of Wu. She saved her country and King Goujian of Yue from the clutches of Wu. However, her love life was tragic. She was sent to the state of Wu by her lover, Fan Li who was an advisor in the state of Yue, to protect King Goujian.

Xi Shi was born on 26 June 719 between 1:00 p.m. to 2:59 p.m.

八字 Bazi Chart: Xi Shi 西施				
時 Hour	日 Day	月 Month	年 Year	
<sup>劫</sup> 財 RW Gui Yin Water	Ren Yang Water	章 神 BG Jia Yang Wood	財 RW Gui Yin Water	千 Heavenly 夭 Stems
Hai Pig Yin Water	Xu Dog Yang Earth	Shen Monkey Yang Metal	You Rooster Yin Metal	支 Earthly 地 Branches
壬 甲 Ren Jia F EG 比肩 食神	丁 戊 辛 Ding Wu Xin DW 7K DR 正財 七殺 正印	戊 庚 壬 Wu Geng Ren 7K IR F 七殺 偏印 比肩	子 Xin DR 正印	千 Hidden 藏 Stem

#### Xi Shi's Bazi at a Glance

#### On Her Beauty

Bazi Classic Quote about Appearance: 此造 日主甲木,三印齐透,天生丽质,婷婷玉立,贤慧善良,才貌出众。

Pinyin: Ci zào rì zhu jia mù, sān yìn qí tòu, tiānshēng lìzhì, tíng tíng yù lì, xiánhuì shànliáng, cái mào chūzhòng.

**Translation:** The Day Master produces the Yang Wood and with three prosperous flow of Resources Qi, brings out her natural beauty. She was bestowed with grace and kindness, her beauty and talent stand out for all to see.

Xi Shi ranked top among the four major beauties in ancient China, symbolizing the image of beauty in traditional Chinese culture. The prosperous Water and Metal elements in Xi Shi's Bazi chart indicate that she had smooth clear fair skin. A strong Water element in her Bazi chart, with little Earth element indicates that she can easily put on or lose weight. She has been described as equally charming in both heavy and light makeup, as appealing when she frowns as when she smiles. Of her figure it has been said that were she plump, you would admire her plumpness, were she thin you would admire her for being slender.

#### On Her Status

Bazi Classic Quote about Wisdom: 地支申酉



戌三会官局,为夫星強旺,但有三夫争妻之势,地支金局妙在亥字,化杀为印,贵在金水 流通,印旺生甲,故美貌聪慧。

Pinyin: Dìzhī shēnyouxū sān huì guān jú, wèi fū xīng qiáng wàng, dàn yousān fū zhēng qī zhī shì, dìzhī jīn jú miào zài hài zì, huà shā wèi yìn, guì zài jīnshui liútōng, yìn wàng shēng jia, gù měimào cōnghuì.

**Translation:** Earthly Branches of Shen You Xu (Monkey, Rooster, Dog) formed the Meeting Three Officers structure, thus strong prosperous Officer Star indicates a husband with power and authority. However, there were three potential husbands fighting for a wife. The Earthly Branches Metal structure meets Hai (Pig) dissolving Killings − this shows the smooth metal produces water cycle which results in the strong prosperous ♥ Jia (Yang Wood). This denotes a lovely and intelligent woman.

Xi Shi's Bazi chart indicated that there would be three men who played a permanent role in her life. During the Spring and Autumn Period in Zhuji, King Goujian commissioned men to search far and wide for a woman whom he could send as a tribute to Prince Fuchai of Wu to save himself and his country. Xi Shi was selected. He had her trained in royal court etiquette, dancing and playing musical instruments. The Resources star indicates that she had many talents.

King Goujian ordered his minister, Fan Li, to take Xi Shi to King Fuchai as a tribute gift from Yue. It was during this journey that they fell deeply in love with each other.

They arrived at the capital of Wu and King Fuchai welcomed Xi Shi with open arms. He was enchanted by her and doted on her. His infatuation with her resulted in him gradually neglecting his duties to spend time with her. He even killed his best advisor at her instigation.

King Goujian then attacked and successfully defeated the already weakened state of Wu. King Goujian was also secret enamoured with Xi Shi when he first saw her before ordering Fan Li to send her to King Fuchai. He had planned to keep Xi Shi for himself.

#### Her Fortune and Virtue

Bazi Classic Quote about Wisdom: 化杀为印,贵在金水流通。

Pinyin: Huà shā wèi yìn, guì zài jīnshui liútōng.

**Translation:** Resource star dissolving the Killing, there is grace and fortune with Metal and Water producing and flowing freely.

Among the four beauties, Xi Shi is remembered for good virtue, courage and patriotism. In the history of feudal China no one has ever found fault with Xi Shi, even though she had caused the downfall of the state of Wu.

She was also the only beauty who had a better ending. After the downfall of Wu, Xi Shi disappeared from the public eye of the court. She lived hidden in relative obscurity with Fan Li who became a successful trader.



n 755, rebel forces headed toward Chang'an, the capital city of the Tang Dynasty. As the capital descended into chaos, the imperial family, weakened by corruption and lacking the military power to contain the rebellion, fled.

At the Mawei Relay Station, the soldiers escorting the imperial family refused to continue. Angry, tired, thirsty and hungry, they blamed the current chaos on the imperial concubine and her cousin the Prime Minister, and demanded their deaths. The Prime Minister, fearing for his life, tried to flee with his son, only to be shot to death by archers.

Meanwhile, at a nearby Buddhist shrine, a forlorn man covered his face with both his hands barely able to watch what was taking place. Tears streamed down his face, escaping between his fingers as a beautiful figure struggled for breath against the white silk tightening around her neck. Her hair ornaments scattered across the floor as she struggled. The man, although heartbroken by her execution, was powerless to do anything.

And thus, the love story between Yang Guifei 杨玉环 and Emperor Xuanzong came to its tragic end. Yang Guifei died at the age of 38, at the prime of her life.

The, rebellion, to be known as the Anshi Rebellion, dragged on for several years before it was finally crushed during the reign of Emperor Daizong, but it marked the beginning of the end of the Tang Dynasty. Although it was the Emperor Xuanzong's infatuation with Yang Guifei that led the Tang Dynasty to its downfall, Yang Guifei bore the brunt of the blame for the ruin of the Tang Dynasty.

Yang Guifei was one of the four greatest beauties of ancient China. In a four verse poem written about the four beauties, the last verse stated that Yang Guifei had a face that put all flowers to shame.

What kind of Bazi chart did she have? Let's have a look.

Yang Guifei was born on 26 June 719 in the Rabbit Hour.

八字 Bazi Chart: Yang Guifei 杨玉环				
時 Hour	日 Day	月 Month	年 Year	
正 官 DO Yi Yin Wood	Wu Yang Earth	像 使 Geng Yang Metal	劫 財 RW Ji Yin Earth	千 Heavenly 夭 Stems
Mao Rabbit Yin Wood	Horse Yang Fire	Horse Yang Fire	Wei Goat Yin Earth	支 Earthly 地 Branches
乙 Yi DO 正官	丁 己 Ding Ji DR RW 正印 劫財	丁 己 Ding Ji DR RW 正印 劫財	乙 乙 丁 Yi Ji Ding DO RW DR 正官 劫財 正印	千 Hidden 藏 Stem

#### Yang Guifei's Bazi Chart at a Glance

#### On Her Beauty

There is a classical Bazi quote about Appearance: 木旺则毛发漂亮,火旺则精力充沛,金旺则皮肤白皙,水旺必然极具性魅力,而土旺则体态丰腴必主胖。

Pinyin: Mù wàng zé máofa piàoliang, huo wàng zé jīnglì chōngpèi, jīn wàng zé pífū báixī, shui wàng bìrán jí jù xìng mèilì, ér tuwàng zé titài fēngyú bì zhu pàng.

**Translation:** Wood prospers and brings out lustrous and beautiful hair, Fire brings out energetic personality, Metal brings out fair-skin, Water brings out one's natural charms, while Earth makes one's body look buxom and curvy.

During the Tang Dynasty, women with voluptuous bodies were considered attractive and beautiful. Yang Guifei's Bazi chart showed a prosperous Earth element, and she was known for having the full and fleshy figure much sought after at the time. With the strong Fire Element, she probably had a bubbly and energetic personality too.

#### **On Her Status**

Classical Bazi quote about Wisdom: 印星化 杀: 女人征服男人最高明的手法。

Pinyin: Yìn xīng huà shā: Nurén zhēngfú nánrén zuìgāo míng de shoufa

**Translation:** With the Resource Star dissolving the Killings, a woman tames her man with wisdom.

The Fire element represents Yang Guifei's Influence Star and also the Killings. Influence and Killing stars bring status to a person. In the old days, especially in ancient China, a woman can achieve good status and bring good name, status and power to her family by marrying well. Like the man taking the imperial exam to secure a high official

post, a woman enters the imperial palace hoping to rise to a high status by becoming the emperor's wife or consort.

The Earth element represents Yang Guifei's Resource Star. The Resource Star denotes a person's knowledge. Because the Resource Star also produces itself, it always refers to noblemen - people who come into our lives to take care of us. The star represents assets that come in the form of gifts and inheritances, things given by others. It was well-known that Emperor Xuanzong was deeply infatuated with Yang Guifei and would go to any extend to satisfy her desires.

One such story of his indulgence was that of the express lychee delivery. Lychee was a favorite fruit of Yang Guifei's, but it is a delicate fruit that goes bad very quickly. To satisfy her craving for lychees, the emperor had the fruit, which was only grown in southern China, delivered by the imperial courier's fast horses. Riders would take shifts day and night non-stop in a Pony



Express-like manner to deliver the fruits to the capital. This caused anger, demotivation and suffering to those soldiers who believe that their job was to protect the country, not delivering fruits for the pleasure of a concubine.

The presence of both prosperous Fire and Earth element creates the Resource Star dissolving the Killings structures in Yang Guifei's Bazi chart. Thanks to the influence of this structure, she had the opportunity to rise to a high status.

This structure also indicates that Yang Guifei captured the heart of the Emperor Xuanzong not only with beauty but with her intelligence and wisdom too. This is by far the more powerful way for women to conquer and tame men. When a woman captures the attention of a man only with her beauty, the influence arises only with Eating God and Hurting Officer dissolving Killings structures. This influence rarely lasts long.

#### On Her Downfall

The classical Bazi Quote about Wisdom goes like this: 七杀独特: 贵不可言与红颜薄命。

Pinyin: Qī shā dútè: Guì bùkě yán yu hóngyán bómìng

**Translation:** Seven Killings is unique, indicates a woman with weak fortune.

Officer denotes a husband whereas Seven Killings indicates mistresses. Seven Killings indicates sudden big changes in life and also unstable relationships. Yang Guifei's Bazi chart contains prosperous Officers turned into Killings. She was married to the son and became mistress to the father (as an imperial consort, she was not the Empress and therefore not a "wife").

In 733, fourteen-year-old Yang Yuhuan (Yang Guifei's original name) married the Emperor Xuanzong's son, Li Mao, the Prince of Shou and became the Princess of Shou. However, the Emperor Xuanzong became infatuated with her not long after the death of his then favourite consort, Consort Wu. He decided to take her as his consort. However, it was considered incestuous for a father-in-law to marry his daughter-in-law under Confucian teachings. To get around this, Emperor Xuanzong stealthily arranged for her to become a Taoist nun with the tonsured name Taizhen, thus nullifying her marriage. Yang then stayed, for a brief moment, as a Taoist nun in the palace itself, before Emperor Xuanzong made her an imperial consort after bestowing his son Li Mao a new wife. Yang hence became the favorite consort of the emperor. She was bestowed the title Yang Guifei - with the newly created rank of Guifei, the highest rank for the consorts and concubines of the Emperor.

Her adoption of the general An Lushan as a son resulted in his subsequent rise in power, and caused a conflict between An Lushan and her cousin the Prime Minister. This eventually caused An Lushan to launch the Anshi Rebellion, one of the deadliest wars in history. As a result, she was blamed for the rebellion and put to death by the emperor's guards during the An Lushan Rebellion at the age of 38.



i Shimin 李世民 epitomized success and versatility. He was a skilled politician, a master strategist and an excellent calligrapher. He was knowledgeable in both military and scholarly arts. He was ambitious, intelligent, competent and diligent. He would become Emperor Taizong 唐太宗, a founder of the Tang Dynasty, ruling from 629 to 649. He was in fact, considered one of the greatest emperors in Chinese history, whose reign was a model that emperors following him were measured against.

During Emperor Taizong's twenty-year reign, the country became prosperous. People lived in peace and harmony. This is why his reign is remembered as the Reign of Zhenguan, and considered one of the Golden Ages of China's history.

Emperor Taizong's Bazi chart shares many similarities with Emperor Qianlong 乾隆帝 (see page 22), who would become emperor more than 1,000 years later. Below is his Bazi Chart.

八字 Bazi Chart: Emperor Taizong 唐太宗				
時 Hour	티 Day	月 Month	年 Year	
正 財 DW Gui Yin Water	Wu Yang Earth	正 读 DO Yi Yin Wood	比 原 Wu Yang Earth	千 Heavenly 夭 Stems
Mao Rabbit Yin Wood	Horse Yang Fire	Chou Ox Yin Earth	Horse Yang Fire	支 Earthly 地 Branches
辛 己 癸 Xin Ji Gui HO RW DW 傷官 劫財 正財	丁 己 Ding Ji DR RW 正印 劫財	辛 乙 癸 Xin Ji Gui HO RW DW 傷官 劫財 正財	丁 己 Ding Ji DR RW 正印 劫財	千 Hidden 藏 Stem

#### In Bazi terms:

In Emperor Taizong's Bazi chart, the self is prosperous helped by the Rob Wealth (# Chou – Ox) star. This indicates that he had the capabilities and capacities to fight, manage, compete and conquer as well as command.

Emperor Taizong's Bazi chart also fit the Special Transform Structure. This Special Transform Structure can be interpreted as a drastic change in a person's life from one status to another status.

Emperor Taizong's personal name was Li Shimin. He was not born an emperor's son. He was only a nobleman connected to the imperial family because his father, Li Yuan, the Duke of Tang, was a general of the Sui Dynasty and a nephew, by marriage, to the founding emperor of Sui Dynasty, Emperor Wen. As seen in his Bazi chart, the Self combined with the Wealth Star, which also represents his father star, makes up the Special Transform Structure. Li Shimin changed his life from an ordinary general under the command of his father, to become emperor by encouraging his father to rise against the Sui dynasty at Jinyang in 617. They subsequently defeated several of his most important rivals, and established the Tang dynasty. He was ceremonially regarded as a co-founder of Tang dynasty along with his father Li Yuan, Emperor Gaozu. This can be seen in his Bazi chart in the two Wu Wu Pillars. The two Wu Wu Pillars also carries a deeper meaning for him and his Tang dynasty.

There is one Water and one Wood element in Emperor Taizong's Bazi chart similar to Emperor Qianlong, indicating clarity in making way for progress and growth.

Again there is only one Wealth element in Emperor Taizong's Bazi chart, residing on the Rob Wealth star. The emperor's major source of income comes from taxation, and not the income he produces. The emperor also receives many tributes from countries under his protection and control. Therefore, the emperor in actual fact benefits from other people's money. This is similar to Emperor Qianlong's Bazi chart, the Xin Mao Pillar whereby Rob Wealth resides on Wealth.

Interestingly, in Emperor Taizong's Bazi chart, the self, Wu Wu, sees a mirror image at the external Year Pillar. This indicates that under his dynasty, there would be another figure who can bring the Tang dynasty the same glory and prosperity. This person was no other than Wu Zetian 武则天, the only woman emperor in ancient China.

In contrast, there was no mirror image in Emperor Qianlong's Bazi chart. Although there was Rob Wealth penetrating to the Heavenly Stem in the Year Pillar, Xin Mao, his successors, the following emperors who carried similar power could not rival his achievement.

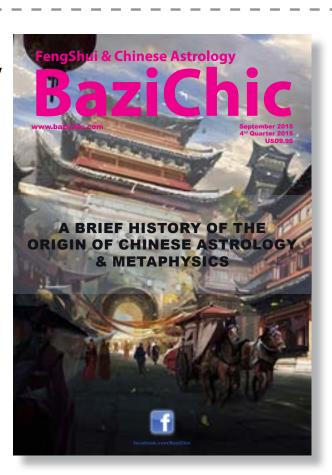
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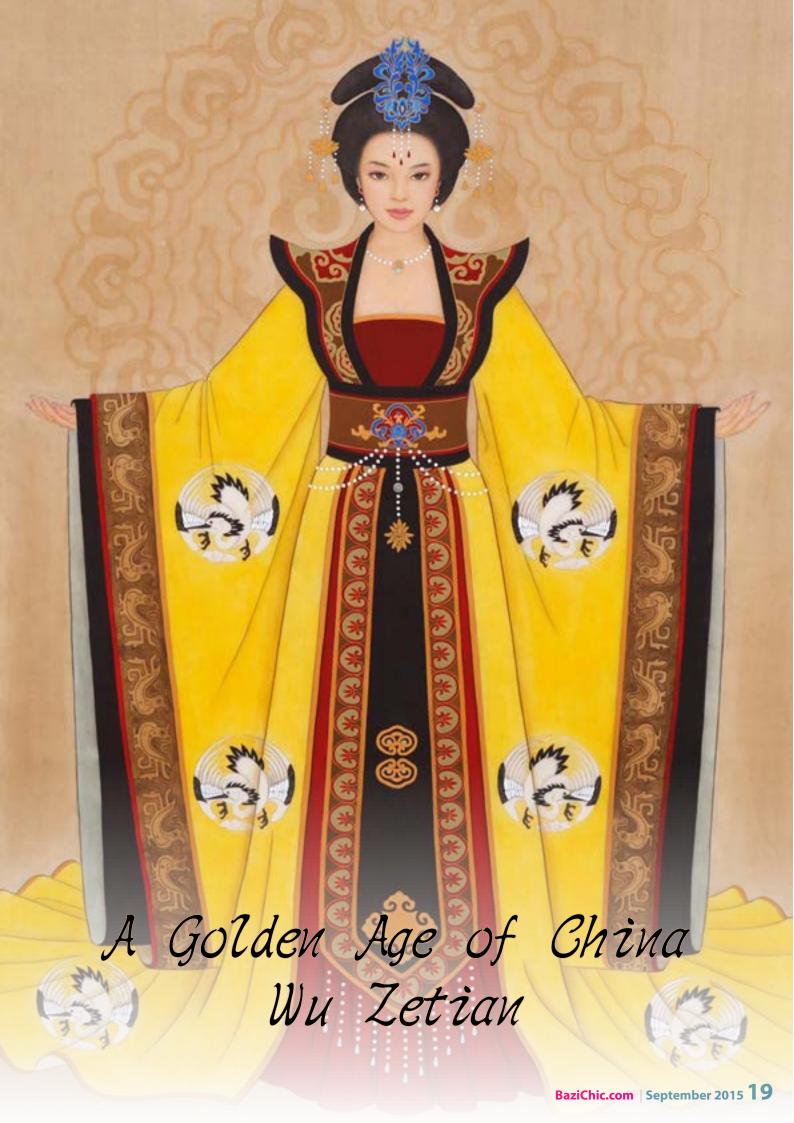
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u Zetian 武则天 officially ruled China as an emperor of the shortlived Zhou dynasty between 690 and 705. This interrupted the continuous reign of the Tang dynasty. Despite her establishing her reign as the Zhou dynasty, Chinese historians have always considered the Zhou dynasty part of the Tang dynasty.

Wu Zetian is notable as the only female emperor of China in more than four millennia.

#### The Famous Story of the Horse **Encounter with Emperor Taizong**

As entering the imperial palace was the path to achieving higher status for women of the time, Wu Zetian began her journey to power as an imperial concubine. Like Yang Guifei, she was concubine to both an emperor and his son.

It all started when Wu Zetian, then known as Wu Zhao, was chosen to be a concubine of Emperor Taizong of Tang at the age of thirteen. She was given the title Consort Wu. However, she did not appear to be favoured by Emperor Taizong although, she herself recounted an occasion when she impressed the emperor:

Emperor Taizong loved horses and had a wild horse called Lion Stallion. It was so wild, large and strong that no one could get on its back. Seeing this, Wu Zhao who was attending to Emperor Taizong, suggested to the emperor that she could tame the Lion Stallion.

"How?" The Emperor asked.

"I only need three things to subdue it: an iron whip, an iron hammer, and a sharp dagger. I will whip it with the iron whip. If it does not submit, I will hammer its head with the iron hammer. If it still does not submit, I will cut its throat with the dagger," said Consort Wu.

The Emperor was impressed with her bravery and her wit and seeing how pretty she was gave her the nickname "Mei". "Mei" in Chinese means pretty. Thus Consort Wu is also often referred to as Wu Mei or Wu Meiniang 武媚娘 when talking about her in her youth.

#### Wu Zetian's Bazi chart

In Emperor Wu Zetian's Bazi chart, you can see her Self Pillar is Wu Wu, which is the same Self Pillar as that of Emperor Taizong.

八字 Bazi Chart: Wu Zetian 武则天				
時 Hour	日 Day	月 Month	年 Year	
偏 即 R Bing Yang Fire	Wu Yang Earth	が 財 RW Ji Yin Earth	正 官 DO Yi Yin Wood	千 Heavenly 夭 Stems
Mao Rabbit Yin Wood	Horse Yang Fire	Mao Rabbit Yin Wood	You Rooster Yin Metal	支 Earthly 地 Branches
癸 戊 乙 Gui Ji Yi DW RW DO 正財 劫財 正官	T 己 Ding Ji DR RW 正印 劫財	乙 Yi DO 正官	<del>羊</del> Xin HO 傷官	千 Hidden 藏 Stem

While she was not born with a Rob Wealth Structure, the Rob Wealth element was strong in her Bazi chart, supporting her. There was also the presence of Resources Killings/Officers dissolving formation similar to Yang Guifei and Xi Shi's Bazi charts which indicates that she used her wits and intelligence to conquer her men. Wu Zetian was also a very attractive lady, with the presence of three out of the four Peach Blossom stars on her Bazi Chart. These three Peach Blossom stars reside in exactly the same position as that of the Emperor Qianlong's Bazi chart.

As mentioned in our article on Emperor Qianlong (see page 22), if a female was born with the same Bazi chart as Emperor Qianlong, the chart spells out the life of a woman of loose morals, a femme fatale who will live the life of a courtesan or at best a trained geisha to entertain men with conversation, dance, and song. However, who are we to say that such women cannot be successful? Wu Zetian had a Bazi chart only slightly different from this femme fatale Bazi chart, but she rose above it and walked down the road of status and power.

Nevertheless, Wu Zetian was not the epitome of pureness and good virtue during her time. With three Peach Blossoms in her Bazi chart, she had her fair share of scandals and affairs. Being so much younger than her husband, Emperor Taizong, it was not surprising that Consort Wu became attracted to his son Prince Li Zhi, who was only four years older than her. Consort Wu and Prince Li Zhi had an affair that was kept secret for years until the death of Emperor Taizong in 649 AD.

Consort Wu never gave birth to any children with Emperor Taizong and was sent to Ganye Temple to be a nun permanently after the emperor's death. Meanwhile, Prince Li Zhi ascended the throne as Emperor Gaozong. He had never forgotten Wu, and he intentionally chose Ganye Temple for his inauguration. Consort Wu and Emperor

Gaozong met again, and not long afterward, it was discovered that Wu was pregnant with his child. Consort Wu left the temple and was welcomed by Emperor Gaozong to the inner palace. She was promoted to Zhaoyi 昭儀, the second highest concubine title in the Tang royal court.

During her time acting as the Regent to the Emperor as Empress Dowager Wu, it was well-known that she kept a stable of male concubines, and also took up with a famed Buddhist monk named Huaiyi, upon whom she bestowed ever greater honors. During her reign as Emperor Wu, she bestowed her power and relied increasingly on two handsome brothers who were allegedly also her lovers, Zhang Yizhi and Zhang Changzong.

However, these affairs didn't overshadow her achievement of maintaining and expanding the dynasty, thus elevating the Golden Age of China further during the Tang dynasty. In fact, the development of Chinese literature and arts reached their peak during her reign.

Legendary historian Sima Guang of the Song Dynasty wrote the following about Wu Zetian:

"Even though the Empress Dowager excessively used official titles to cause people to submit to her, but if she saw that someone was incompetent, she would immediately depose or even execute him. She grasped the powers of punishment and award, controlled the state, and made her own judgments as to policy decisions. She was observant and had good judgment, so the talented people of the time also were willing to be used by her."

Her fame not only travelled far and wide during her time, but she also became a legendary figure in history, as dictated not only by the three Peach Blossoms on her chart but also the Bing Chen Pillar, the image of the rising sun.



ew men have the opportunity to live the life of an emperor. And no other emperor in the history of China lived as opulent a life as that of the Emperor Qianlong's.

Prince Hongli became Emperor Qianlong 乾隆帝 of the Qing Dynasty at the age of 25 in 1736. He was a tall, handsome, athletic, artistic and intellectual man and ruled with principled benevolence in the 60 years of his reign.

He was known as a military genius with his ability in selecting and rewarding men with true military talent. He financed a series of successful military campaigns which saw the Qing Empire expand in all directions conquering lands with wars against Burma, Annam (Vietnam), Taiwan, Turkestan, the Zungars, and the Ghurka. His victories in the north against Turkestan and the Zungars were the most significant, bringing vast areas under Qing control and destroying the power of the northern nomads, which was a constant threat to Chinese security.

During his reign, Emperor Qianlong enjoyed the best of everything his vast empire of 300 million people produced, such as handsome gems, beautifully woven garments, skillfully crafted furniture, ceramics, weaponry and the greatest works of art.

Emperor Qianlong was also known as a well studied scholar who knew every subject. He penned 46,000 poems, thousands of essays and had a great love for art.

With the Full Peach Blossom 满地桃花 frame in his Bazi chart, it is no wonder that he enjoyed more than 40 wives, chosen as the nation's most beautiful teenage girls were brought to his royal court for his perusal over the years of his reign. Of all his wives and concubines, it was believed that he loved his first wife, Empress Xiaoxianchun the most. Although, she died at the young age of 36, Emperor Qianlong never forgot her. It was said that the Emperor Qianlong often visited her grave and remained heartbroken to the end of his days.

The Bazi chart below belongs to Emperor Qianlong. However this doesn't mean that if you share the same birth chart with Emperor Qianlong, you can have the same good fortune as him.

八字 Bazi Chart: Emperor Qianlong 乾隆帝				
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<del>爻</del> Gui HO 傷官	T 己 Ding Ji DO DR 正官 正印	区 Xin RW 劫財	乙 Yi DW 正財	千 Hidden 藏 Stem

According to legend, Emperor Qianlong had a Bazi consultation with a blind fortune-teller. The blind fortune-teller told him this:

#### If he was born a woman...

If the Bazi chart is born into a female life, she will have a life of ill repute and loose character by Chinese Confucian standards. She will most likely become a famous prostitute who can topple men in cities and countries all over the world.

#### In Bazi terms:

The Bazi chart consists of the Four Peach Blossom Frame - 子午卯酉 (Rat, Horse, Rabbit and Rooster) which carries the influence of the Salty Pool star. Salty Pool is a Peach Blossom Sha which denotes a loose woman who has many extra-marital affairs. The Four Peach Blossoms of Rat, Horse, Rabbit and Rooster which symbolises North, South, East and West also can be interpreted as her reputation, that will travel to all four corners of the world.

#### If he was born a man...

If the Bazi chart is born into a male life, his life will be different depending on the following conditions:

#### His fortune as a Scholar...

If he is well-read and studies from a young age, he will most likely become an intelligent and famous scholar who is well-known in all the corners of the world. However, he will tend to indulge in women, sexual pleasure and fine wine, and thus, die a poor lonely man.

#### In Bazi terms:

The Bazi consists of 子 (Zi - Rat) indicating a master of wisdom. However, the presence of Rob Wealth clashing with the Wealth Star in the Earthly Branches while the Rob Wealth penetrates the Heavenly Stem indicates a spendthrift personality.

#### His fortune as a General...

If he is trained in wushu and military art from a young age, in the future he will become a mighty general feared by men all over the world and surrounded by beautiful women. He will leave a legacy on the history of war.

#### In Bazi terms:

A prosperous Geng Yang Metal Day Master with Ding Yin Fire reflects a sharp weapon ready to attack. The Earthly Branch, Zi, cools the Ding Yin Fire and covers the Bing Yang Fire. This denotes power and authority under his command. One Seven Killings star controlled by the Hurting Officer star is considered fortunate in Bazi study. It indicates military power in the hand. The Four Cardinal frame indicates that his military progress will spread far and wide.

#### His fortune as a Son born into an Imperial Family...

He will become an Emperor.

#### In Bazi terms:

One of the many criteria of an Emperor's Bazi chart is having a strong prosperous Day Master helped by the Rob Wealth. This indicates that the person has capabilities and capacities to fight, manage, compete and conquer as well as command.

Given that the external is Yin while the internal is Yang, a strong altruistic character that is just and firm, true to the core Geng nature is indicated.

With enough fire to forge the Metal and the cooling Zi Hour, it forms the Pure Gold and Clear Water structure. This indicates a person with clarity who can progress far in life.

#### Why a poor scholar but a rich emperor?

A scholar's income or wealth comes mainly from his work - what he can produce from his knowledge. Thus, it is unfavourable to have Rob Wealth residing side by side with the Wealth element. This indicates that the reward of his work is being robbed away.

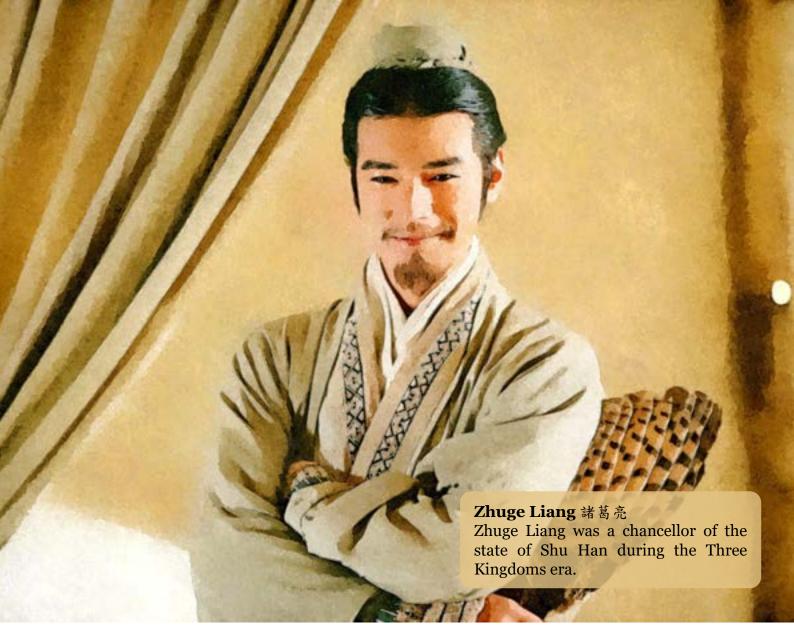
Whereas the emperor's wealth comes from "robbing" others, such as taxation and gifts as well as tributes from the countries he controls. Emperors do not need to produce to earn money. Instead, they use other people's wealth. Thus when his Rob Wealth star – such as his subjects as well as countries under his control, prosper, the emperor too will benefit from their good fortune.

#### In Today's World

A person with the same Bazi chart, whether a woman or a man, will have a life and destiny different to that based on the above reading because family and education have evolved tremendously over the century. There are more options and opportunities for a person to live a good life. Although the Chinese culture remains the same, mindsets and expectations have changed as a result of wider exposure to different cultures, experiences and studies around the world.



What is considered to be a good life for women in the old days? "A lady should follow and adhere to the parents namely the father when young, listen to the husband and teach the children when married, and follow the children when old." This translates to having the Direct Resource, Direct Wealth and Direct Officer as well as Eating God Stars at the Parent Palace, Spouse Palace and Children Palace respectively in Bazi terms.



# PROLONGING LIFE WITH THE NORTH DIPPER STARS

ate into the night a lone figure sighed to himself, "My life may end at any moment and yet I have so many things undone." With a very tired and haggard look, the man who was 54 years old, then told his subordinate and friend, "I saw in the Big Dipper constellation, that the guest is doubly bright, while the host star is dimmed. The surrounding supporting stars are obscure too. With such a heavenly aspect, I know my fate is going to end soon."

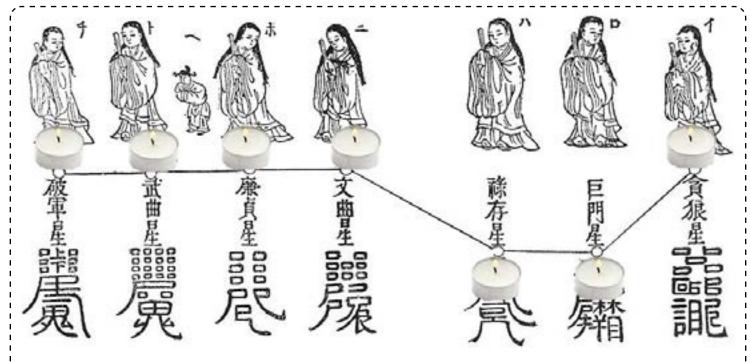
Startled, Jiang Wei said, "If the aspect looks so bad, sir, why not pray in order to avert it?"

"Ahh... Yes. Yes. I do know a way to pray for

it," he replied.

The man further says to Jiang Wei, "But what is the Heaven's will? Anyhow, help me prepare forty armored men to guard my tent. Let them be dressed in black and hold a black flag. Within my tent, I will pray to the North Dipper. If the seven lamps stay lit for seven days, then I know my life will be pro-longed by another 12 years. If the light goes out, I will certainly meet my end. Keep all idlers out of my tent for seven days, and only let two boys do my errands and bring me what is necessary."

Jiang Wei made preparations as directed. In the autumn of the month of August, when



#### **North Dippers Longevity Lamp**

The seven oil lamps are arranged according to the Deities position above, following the position of the North Dipper Stars. The lamps are lit for seven days as a prayer for longevity and good health. These prayers are performed by a Taoist priest. This practice is still popular with the Chinese people.

the stars were bright like jade and diamonds up in the Milky Way, forty strong men stood guard around the tent. Seven big lamps were arranged on the floor in the mirror image of the North Dipper. Forty nine smaller ones were placed outside the tent.

Thus, Zhuge Liang knelt and prayed, "I, Liang, born in this troubled age, whose emperor sought my services and advice to care for his son, I do not dare to fail in my effort to terminate those traitors to the empire. Contrary to my expectations, my star is declining and my end is near. Humbly I appeal and pray to Heaven, please listen graciously to my prayer and extend my lifespan so that I can repay my lord, bring peace to the people and restore the empire to the rule of Han."

One night before the seven days were over, Wei Yan rushed into the tent in his urgency to warn Zhuge Liang that the enemy's army is advancing. He accidently kicked one of the lamps spilling the oil as the light went out and the saucer flew into a corner. Seeing this, angry Jiang Wei pulled out his sword, intending to slay Wei Yan. Zhuge Liang stopped him saying, "This is my fate as decreed by the Heavens. It is not his fault."

In the year 234 AD, Zhuge Liang passed away on the Wu Zhang Plains because of illness and fatigue at the age of 54. On his death bed, he banned all forms of mourning to deceive the enemy. If the enemy were to invade, he ordered that a wooden statue dressed as him be put in a chariot within easy sight of the enemy. Sima Yi fled the war when he saw the wooden figure thinking that it was Zhuge Liang. The famous quote, "A dead Zhuge Liang can outwit a live Sima Yi," came about from this incident. When Sima Yi observed the Shu camp later, he remarked that Zhuge Liang was indeed the most intelligent man under heaven.

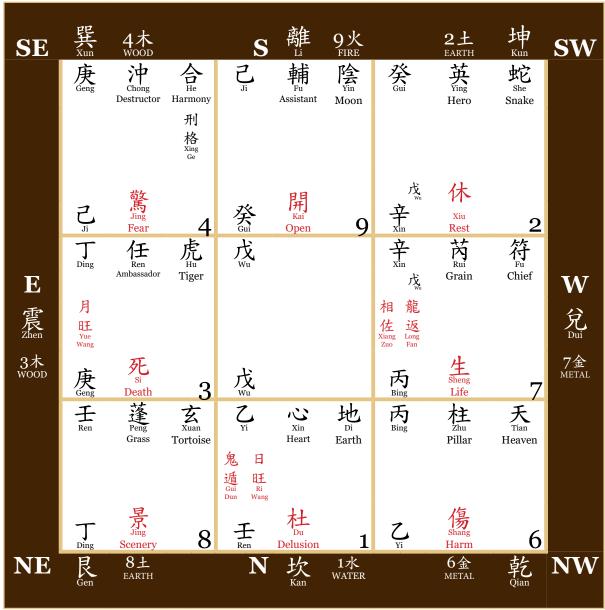
It is believed that Zhuge Liang used Taoist rituals together with Fa Qi Men, a branch from Qi Men Dun Jia, to prolong his lifespan. The Taoist seven oil lamps ritual to pray for good health and longevity is still famously practiced in Chinese temples today. There was no record of which Qi Men Chart Zhuge Liang had selected for his prayer. The combination that best matches

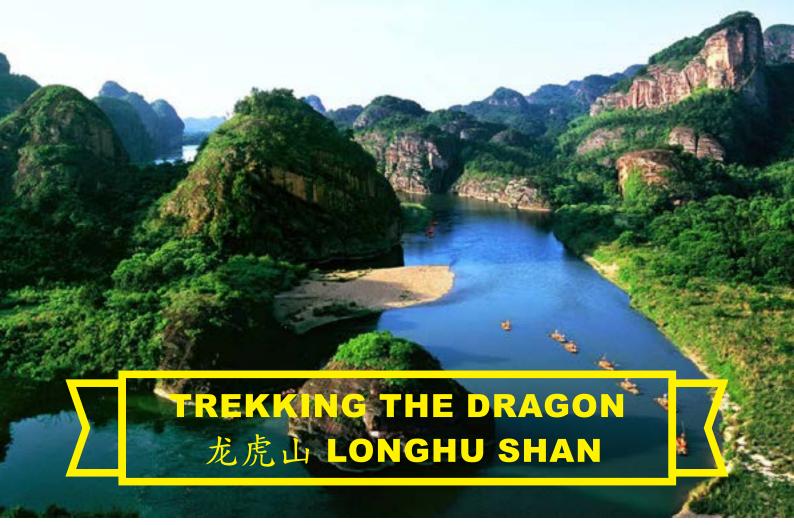
the following features should be selected in the Palace of the Qi Men Chart:

- 1. *Jia Day:* Select an auspicious 甲 Jia Day. Wood represents growth and continuity. Jia Pillar is also the beginning of all Pillars especially 甲子 Jia Zi.
- 2. Life Door: 子門 Life Door represents life itself.
- **3.** *Chief Deity:* 符 Chief Deity grants all wishes. Under the Qi Men practices, when in an emergency or in a life and death matter, always follow the Chief Deity
- **4. Good Stems:** The Stem in Qi Men Dun Jia represents the final outcome. Only positive Stems should be selected such as ♥ Jia, 乙 Yi, 丙 Bing and 丁 Ding.
- **5. Good Structures:** Good Structure such as Jade Maiden, Dragon Return and Bird Falling, is an added bonus. It ensures further good outcome.

When can you find such a date? I have specially selected 15 October 2015 as an auspicious day. Pray facing the West or make a wish with your back to the West direction.

Qi Men Dun Jia Chart: 15 October 2015 3:00 a.m - 4:59 a.m.





Gare you good at mountain hiking?" a friend asked me on the third day of our freaking non-stop journey of mountain hiking to see all the dragons in Jiangxi Province.

"Yes, I will be after this," I replied and both of us couldn't help laughing, as we stood at the foot of Mount Sanqing, 1817 meters above sea level. Despite my laughter, I was brooding to myself, "Funny how the weather can be. We had such nice weather yesterday!" Instead, today was a cold and windy day. I could barely see a few feet ahead due to thick fog. With a postcard in my hand, I can only imagine the beautiful yet mystical scenery as we trekked up to the top of the mountain where a spiritual Taoist temple is located.

As the sun rose today, I was looking forward towalking Longhu Shan, where the legendary Spiritual Master, Zhang DaoLing (Zhang Tian Shi), the founder of Zheng Yi Taoism attained immortality and enlightenment. As a result, the mountain became known as the birthplace of Taoism. I was looking

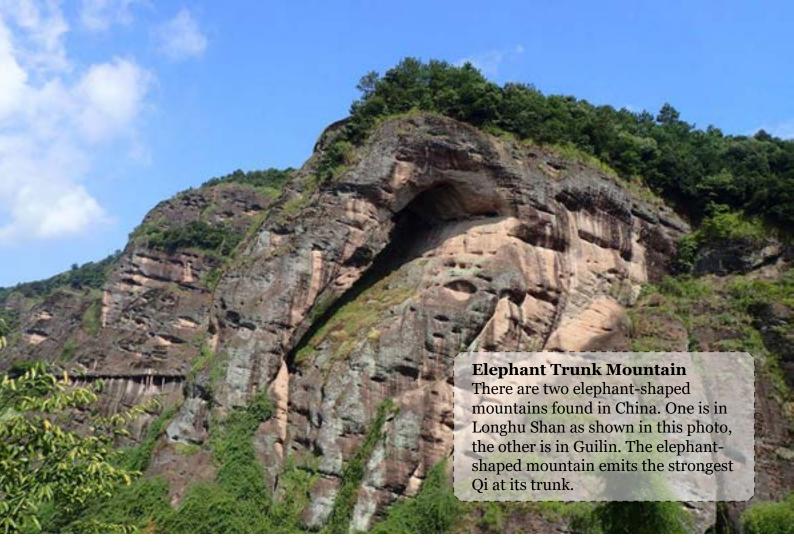
forward to a mystical adventure.

#### A brief history of Zheng Yi Temple and Master Zhang Tian Shi

Taoist Master Zhang DaoLing 张道陵, founded the Taoist Zheng Yi Sect during the Eastern Han Dynasty (25-220 AD). He was believed to have attained immortality and enlightenment in this area of Longhu Shan.

Zhenyi Temple was only built later during the Three Kingdom era by his 4th successor Master Zhang Shengzi . The temple was named Tianshi Temple and acted as the headquarters for Zhengyi Taoism. The temple went through many changes, and had been repaired and rebuilt throughout history. In 1553 during the Ming dynasty, the temple was refurbished by the 49th successor, Master Zhang Yongxu and had its name changed to Zhengyi Temple.

During World War II in 1947, the historical structure of the temple was completely destroyed in an accidental fire caused by the Kuomintang army stationed in the temple.



In 1996, as China re-opened its doors to the world, the China Tourism Authority began building the current Zhenyi Temple.

#### The Journey Begins **Elephant Trunk Mountain**

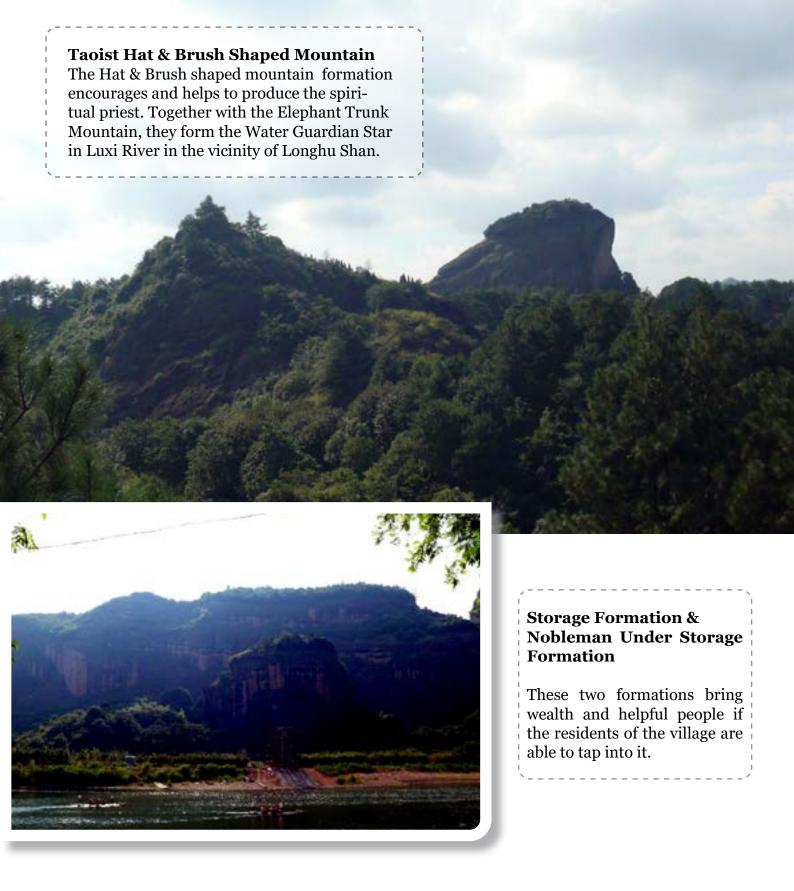
An hour-long bus ride took the entourage to the magnificent entrance of Longhu Shan. As a buggy ride took us further into Longhu Shan, we took in the sight of the spectacular rocky mountains with awe, especially that of the Elephant Trunk mountain form, which was clearly in view throughout our ride. As per its name, this is a mountain peak that clearly takes the shape of an elephant. The Elephant Trunk is one of the Guardians of the water way. All Guardians of the water mouth come in a pair. As such, there is another guardian opposite the Elephantshaped Mountain which takes the Hat formation.

In Feng Shui study, the clearer the formation of animal-shapes in the mountain, the more powerful the Qi that supports the study of alchemy, spirituality and immortality.

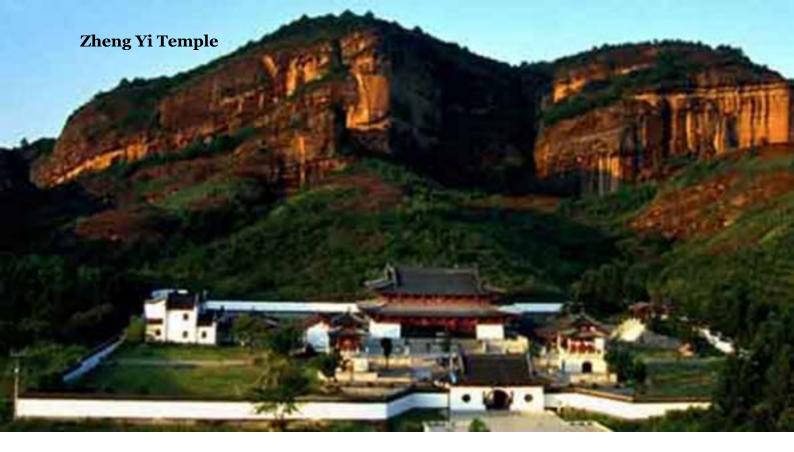
#### Wu Wen Village

Another buggy ride took us to Wu Wen Village. Wu Wen Cun is an ordinary village. It is famous for being devoid of mosquito throughout the year. However, I would like to debunk this legend as I suffered mosquito bites on the hands and legs as I was scouting out the scenery of the village. Like other typical villages in China, there is an archway which is considered the main entrance to the village. This type of traditional archway serves a purpose in Feng Shui. Correctly positioned, it helps the village to tap into the right flow of Qi from the external environment.

The most interesting mountain formations in this village are the Storage Formation 夭 倉星 Tiāncāng xīng and Nobleman under Storage Formation 倉下贵人 Cāng xià guì rén. These two formations together form the



Storage Seal Formation 箱印箱生 Xiāng yìn xiāng sheng. These two forms are part of the Metal and Earth element mountains. However, the energies from this formation can only be tapped from afar. The mountains, located just right across the river from the village, are unfortunately too close to the village archway for the village to tap into the Qi of this mountain.



#### **Zheng Yi Temple**

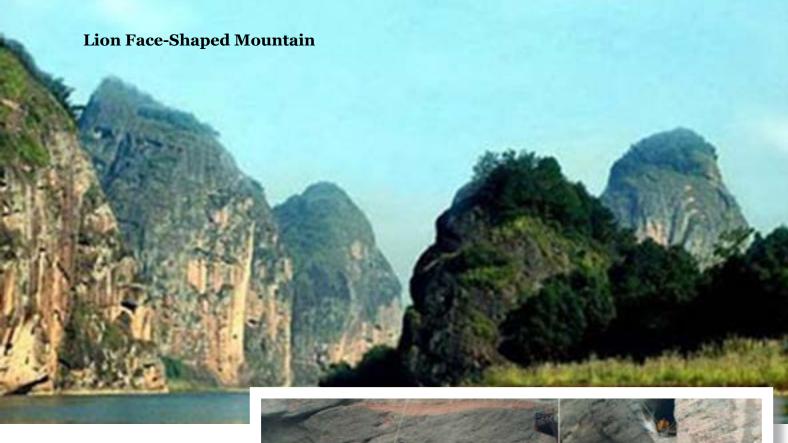
We then moved on to the highlight of the day's agenda, Zheng Yi Temple. Behind the temple there is a pillow shaped hill protruding out of the mountain. Standing on this hill, I can see 'Pen Holder' Wood Star mountain straight across from me, while behind me stood the Greedy Wolf with the North Dipper 7 Star formation. If you view the landscape from afar, there are 7 humps of dragons behind the temple all together. The embraces, now aided by 'shimmering stars', have 'risen up' compared to the temple located on the ground level. A 'Pen Holder' shaped mountain is always good for study, research and knowledge. "Well, when acquiring spirituality you need a lot of knowledge and wisdom," I thought to myself.

The meridian spot in the area is inside a cave situated on the pillow shaped hill protruding out from a higher mountain, which is flanked by magnificent Green Dragon and White Tiger embraces. Zhang Tian Shi developed and taught Taoism from inside this cave. This is the evidence that the legendary Spiritual Master Zhang Tian Shi had lived here and given the name, Longhu Shan, to this place.

So, my big discovery of the day was that Master Zhang Tian Shi did not achieve enlightenment at the temple. The temple only served as a place of communicating with the masses. The true meridian point lay within the cave, which was not as easily accessible because the entrance is hidden. That's why the area is not overflowing with immortal and enlightened beings.

#### The End of our Journey

Drifting along the meandering Luxi River on a raft, we headed to the exit gates of Longhu Shan. Along the Luxi River, many odd rocky Wood Star mountain formations greeted us. Naturally occuring forms in the shape of mushrooms, lion and monkey heads and palms pressed together in prayer had me in awe of the wonder of the universe for creating such picturesque land contours. All these formations add to the spiritual Qi of this place. The traditional hanging coffins on the mountain along the river added further to the mystique and magic of the area. The reason for burying the dead this way is to avoid the flood of the river during the rainy season and to enable the coffins to tap directly into the mountain Qi where there is no meridian spot.



# Hanging Coffin Burial in the Mountain

One of the traditional burial methods in Longhu Shan, the hanging coffins, directly tap into the Qi from the mountain.



When I stepped off the raft onto the jetty, it was already dusk. The sky quickly turned dark as we walked towards the gate of the national park, which marked the exit point of Longhu Shan. Sinister quaking sounds accompanied us as we picked our way down the dark narrow path.

Now, at my desk, I am happy that I'm back safely in one piece, and am now writing about my adventure at Longhu Shan in September 2014.

However, once encountered, one can never forget that at the places where the mountain and water meet, and as the winds disappear into the land cuddled by embraces, there is Feng Shui phenomena to be discovered. Heaven creates the land where heroes are born, and those born as heroes leave behind their legends.



# THE WAY OF WIND & WATER

# THE ORIGIN OF FENG SHUI

"氣乘風則散,界水則止,古人聚之使不散,行之使有止,故謂之風水" Book of Burial, a classic Feng Shui Text

#### Pinyin:

Qì chéng fēng zé sàn, jiè shui zé zhi, gurén jù zhī shi bu sàn, xíng zhī shi you zhi, gù wèi zhī fēngshui

hinese Geomancy can be traced back to some 3,000 years ago in Ancient China. It started off being known as Kanyu and was later popularized into what we now call Feng Shui.



#### **Eastern Jin Dynasty**

The first written record of Kanyu was a book called The Zangshu 葬書 or "Book of Burial", by a scholar Guo Pu 郭璞 in the Jin period between 265 and 420. It was a rough record on how Guo Pu analyzed the most ideal place to bury his mother. The quote above was written in the book, "Qi rides the wind and scatters, but stops and accumulates when encountering the boundary of water, thus nobility only gathers where Qi is not dispersed." This sums up what Kanyu or Feng Shui is all about. The text recorded concrete methods on how to select an ideal and auspicious burying place for the deceased. The book shows clearly that the importance of Kanyu is based on the physiognomy of the land that are the Oi, wind, water and mountain. Feng Shui was primarily used for the purpose of selecting an auspicious Yin House or burial ground.

#### **Tang and Song Dynasty**

Feng Shui gained popularity during the Tang and Song Dynasties, where its usage expanded from that of choosing a burial place to that of choosing Yang Houses or living places as well. Building and house structures were built in harmony with the land form to tap into the good Qi.

However, with the ad-hoc development of Feng Shui from the earlier days, there were no proper standards for Feng Shui audit or analysis. Different Feng Shui Masters had different methods of Feng Shui analysis and application. Their belief that their Feng Shui methods were far superior resulted in no agreed standards of application between different Liqi Pai and Compass Schools of Feng Shui as well as in the Xingshi Pai or the Form Schools. In the old days, many Feng Shui Masters also believed that their full knowledge can only be pass downed to one and only one disciple because of the principle of lineage. A lot of practices were muddled along the years due to cultural practices and religious beliefs. This creates

some problems when it comes to learning and practicing Feng Shui today, as many practitioners trying to practice the original and proper Feng Shui methods and application have difficulty filtering out the cultural and religious influences. Intense research have been done to find out more about the origin and practice of classical Feng Shui and Kanyu.

During the Tang dynasty between 618 and 907 AD, Master Yang Yun Sung 杨筠松 contributed tremendously to the knowledge and practice of Feng Shui. Master Yang placed great importance in selecting an auspicious site that has positive Qi from the mountain. Finding the vital energy, or Qi, contained in specific earth locations which is described as finding the dragon and its lair, and natural formations that are symbolic of animal shapes and energies such as green dragon, white tiger, red phoenix and black tortoise, were important elements of his practice. While selecting a site, careful examination of the shape of land formations such as mountains, hills, valleys and water formations is important.

Master Yang contributed greatly to the foundations of Feng Shui, particularly in the external landform Feng Shui. He has written three famous classical Feng Shui texts which are still being used by Feng Shui practitioners today. The classical Feng Shui texts are:

- 1. Han Lung Jing 撼龍經 (The Art of Rousing the Dragon)
- 2. Qing Nang Ao Yu 青囊奧語 (Methods of Locating the Dragon's Lair)
- 3. Yi Lung Jing 疑龍經 (Canons Approximating Dragons)

Throughout the history of Kanyu, there have been many interesting Feng Shui Masters, who have developed their own legends.

It is believed that Master Yang acquired his knowledge from a teacher called Yao Yan Han. Legend had it that while hunting, Master Yao encountered an old man in a cave who gave him a book that contains the secret formulas of Feng Shui. Thus, Master Yao became a famous practitioner, finding and selecting many auspicious graves for the nobility.

The legend continues that even the Tang Emperor felt threatened by Master Yao's practices. One day, the emperor saw a purple cloud constantly hovering in the same position of the sky while he was lying down and relaxing in the garden. He consequently sent his men to investigate the matter and found out that the purple cloud was positioned above a grave built by Master Yao. Purple was a colour reserved for royalty back in the Tang Dynasty. The emperor was alarmed, fearing that Master Yao's skill could create a man powerful enough to rise against him. He confiscated Master Yao's book 'The Secret Formula of Feng Shui'.

Feeling that his empire was threatened, the emperor further instructed a monk to write a false book of Feng Shui titled 'Killing the Barbarians'. Its primary purpose was to prevent potential invaders such as the Mongolians, Koreans and Japanese from obtaining this vital knowledge of Feng Shui. Unfortunately, the information in this book was also circulated among the common people, thus creating a lot of confusion and misunderstanding about the concept of Feng Shui. It is believed that the false information was called the 8 Mansions system which was touted by Master Sam Chuk Yin between 1848 and 1906 AD. The 8 Mansions Feng Shui system was the primary system of Feng Shui practiced until the end of the Qing Dynastv.

Some say that Master Yao was murdered by the emperor, while others believe that he was rescued by Master Yang Yun Sung who was originally an officer of the Tang dynasty. Another version of this legend tells that Master Yang took this opportunity to release Master Yao and at the same time remove the 'Secret Formula of Feng Shui' from the library during an uprising in the capital when the Emperor fled the palace.

There was no proof on whether the story above is true or false.



#### **Chinese Ancient Compass**

The first compass was invented as a device for divination purpose during Han Dynasty around 206 BC. The ladle of this ancient compass indicated the south, instead of north.

Moving into the Song Dynasty which came into power in 960 AD, Wang Chih further redefined and refined the practices of Master Yan Yun Sung. His Feng Shui principles and practices are the basis of the Compass School that Feng Shui practitioners study today.

#### Ming Dynasty and the Qing Dynasty

In the Ming Dynasty and the Qing Dynasty, many techniques of Feng Shui were further developed. The "Xuan Gong Fei Xing' or "Xuan Gong Flying Star Method' is the most popular method applied to the internal Feng Shui of a home that is still being used today. The Flying Star system involves time cycles that are mapped onto the bagua. By incorporating the elements of time, it is able to trace the pattern of change throughout the different 'ages'.

#### **Present**

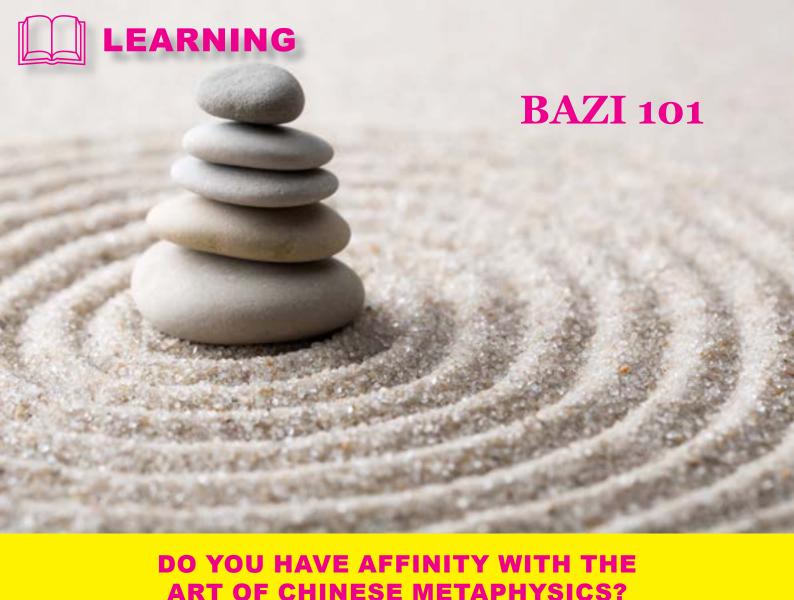
In the present day, symbolic Feng Shui has been introduced into the practice. This is called New Age Feng Shui. Symbolic Feng Shui has a rich, culturally specific history, incorporating superstitions and taboos. Most of us are familiar with Feng Shui symbols such as the Chinese coins tied with a red string, the three legged toad, the dragon, the gods of wealth, etc. The practices come from the viewpoint of creating a good feeling and a positive mindset at the subconscious level.

You may use the placement of symbolic Feng Shui as a complement to your current classical Feng Shui application. However, on its own, it may not work because Feng Shui is all about tapping into good Qi. It will work in your favour and turn positive for you if your home or office is able to tap into the right direction with positive Qi.



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et's deviate a little from our standard topics in Bazi 101, and find out whether you have an affinity with the Chinese Metaphysics field.

The discussion is not restricted to Chinese Metaphysics but to 'metaphysics' as a whole. It is not only constrained to Feng Shui, Bazi, western astrology, numerology and or astronomy. It covers more than that. Thus, spiritual practice, psychology, and energy healing falls into the metaphysics field as well.

Metaphysics is the fundamental nature of being and the world that encompasses it such as existence, objects and their properties, space and time, cause and effect, and possibility. The word "metaphysics" is derived from the Greek word metá meaning "beyond", "upon" or "after", and the word "physics". It is considered part science, part philosophy, part spirituality, cosmology, mind, matters and freewill as well as affinity.

In the study of Chinese Metaphysics there is a part that cannot be explained scientifically, that is 'affinity'. Affinity is a natural connection not only to people but also to subjects, industry, places and activities.

Those who are spiritual will believe that people who accumulate the knowledge of metaphysics will have a lump behind the head. If you have this feature, than you will find that you can learn and apply metaphysic knowledge and information easily. You are able to grab ideas that cannot be easily explained in terms of logic or science. You believe in the presence of certain things such as Qi or souls that cannot be seen with your naked eyes.

Alternatively, you can also check the following criteria in your Bazi chart to determine whether you have the affinity to study and practice this art.

#### 1. Bazi that have the following Heavenly Stems

癸	丙	丁
Gui	Bing	Ding
Yin Water	Yang Fire	Yin Fire
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Having these three Heavenly Stems is an indication that you have a natural interest and curiosity in the metaphysics field. However, it doesn't mean that you will become a metaphysics practitioner or become successful in this field. This is where you start, a curiosity to find out the unexplainable. But having one of these elements as your Day Master is a plus point.

### 2. Tai Chi Nobleman 太极贵人

	主 Master		太极 Tai Chi N	贵人 Jobleman	
甲	乙	子		W	F
Jia	Yi	Zi			7u
Yang Wood	Yin Wood	Rat			rse
丙	丁	酉		ழ்	
Bing	Ding	You		Mao	
Yang Fire	Yin Fire	Rooster		Rabbit	
戊	己	辰	∄	未	戌
Wu	Ji	Chen	Chou	Wei	Xu
Yang Earth	Yin Earth	Dragon	Ox	Goat	Dog
庚 Geng Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal	寅 Yin Tiger		Н	ai ig
壬 Ren Yang Water	癸 Gui Yin Water	じ Si Snake		Sh	en nkey

Having the Tai Chi Nobleman in your Bazi indicates that you naturally have a deeper interest in metaphysics field. You meet like-minded friends and teachers who share the same interest. Along the way they help you garner more knowledge and expand your mind in this field.

For example, if you are a  $\top$  Ding Fire Day Master, then your Tai Chi Nobleman are the

Rooster and Rabbit. Having either one of these two animal signs in your Bazi chart indicates that you have the affinity with the metaphysics field. Refering to the Bazi chart below the Rooster is found in the Month Branch. This shows that you have affinity to learning and applying metaphysics knowledge.

**Example 1: Ding Fire Day Master with Rooster sign in the Month Branch** 

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So if you meet all the criteria above, will you be a successful metaphysics practitioner? This depends 30% on the make-up of your whole Bazi chart and 30% on your action. Meeting the above criteria indicates that you have the affinity and ability to easily grasp any metaphysics subject. You are able to see and accept the picture behind what others deem as not logical or not scientific.

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# **FACE READING** THE SHAPE OF THE FACE

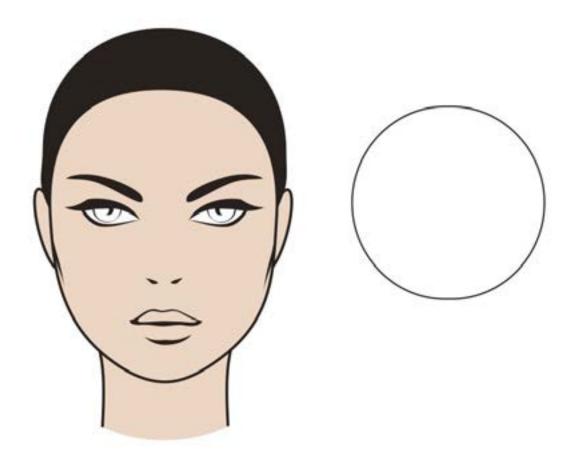


## THE WATER ELEMENT FACE

n this final issue on the basic shapes of the face based on the 5 elements, we will discuss the Water element face.

**Shape:** A Water element face is well rounded with chubby cheeks. Water-shaped faces tend to have smaller eyes, and the eyes seem to disappear into a smile. They usually hold a bubbly expression too.

**Positive Features:** A well rounded and fleshy chin on a Water-shaped face is preferred. The face should be accompanied by a tanned complexion or darker skin tone regardless of ethnicity. Water-shaped faces should go together with a round and fleshy upper body. Metal-shape faced people should carry a happy and bubbly expression. This is because the



Water element which has no shape represents carefreeness and freedom.

**Negative:** An angular or overly muscular body does not sit well with a Water-shaped face person. We do not want to see a thin bony body with a Water-shaped face person either.

The Water element represents the ocean that hides and provides a safe haven for many living creatures. Therefore, a Water-shaped face that is too pale in complexion does not augur well. This means that the person is not wise and will become easy prey to predators.

Big expressive eyes are a "no-no" as well. This is because the Water element already signifies emotions and thoughts. Overly big eyes with a Water-shaped face indicates an extremely moody and emotional person.

**Character:** People with Water element faces have the ability to adapt quickly to the latest circumstances and changes. They are sharp-witted with a strong survival instinct. While a tanned complexion is preferred in Water-shaped face people, a fair-skinned Water face with clear complexion indicates someone who is witty, intelligent and has clarity of thought. Such people have a positive nature and ability to look at the brighter side of things.

**Career:** People with Water-shaped faces are naturally suited to be in the stockbroking industry, running their own business, involved in gaming, retail, consumer goods, trading and commerce. A significant number of the wealthiest entrepreneurs have the Water-shaped face.



## EIGHT DOORS 八門

n this issue we will discuss the Realm of the Doors in more detail. There are all together Eight Doors in the theory of Qi Men Dun Jia.

The Moors refer to the presence of opportunities. In the Universe, when our mind is in equilibrium, the door will open to us. When a mind remains in the present, it is in equilibrium. This is when a person is able to see all the options and opportunities available, and thus, can make the best out of a situation or take advantage of the benefits available.

At this level, all forms of possibilities and creation can happen.

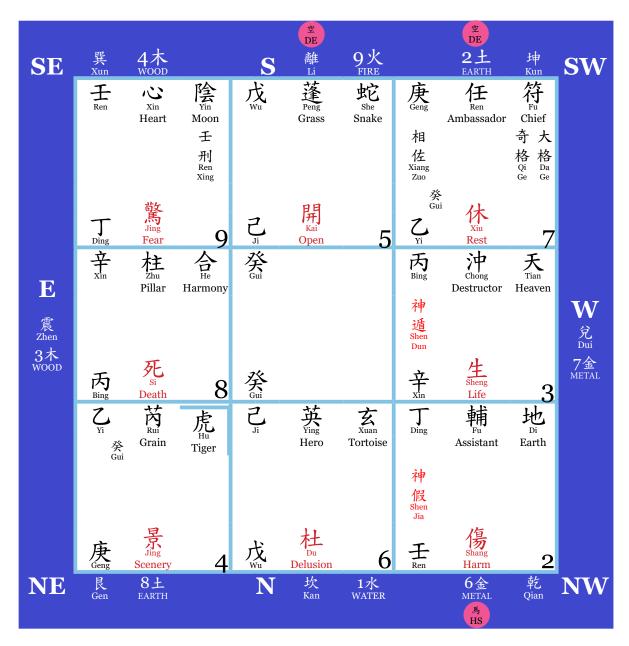
The Eight Doors in a nutshell:

**Table: Attributes of the Eight Doors** 

八星 Eight Doors	Attributes
生門 Door of Life	Keyword: Money, business deal, abundance and life
開門 Open Door	Keyword: Career, new opening or new market
休門 Door of Rest	Keyword: Rejuvenation, healing, calming, having peace, request for favours and networks
景門 Door of Scenery	Keyword: Inspiration, hope, charm and motivation
傷門 Door of Harm	Keyword: Winning, competing, hunting, fighting
杜門 Door of Delusion	Keyword: Hiding, preparation, planning, concealment
驚門 Door of Fear	Keyword: Motivation to break through fear, to be brave or courageous
死門 Door of Death	Keyword: Ending

The Door Stars add another layer of detail to help you more accurately manifest and attract your heart's desire from the Universe.

#### **QMDJ Month Chart: September 2015**



For example, if you want to manifest a new job, use the 開門 Open Door at South with 戊 Wu Stem, which indicates good income. With the presence of Surging Snake, there will be external forces guiding you to finding the job that you want.

Josephine Phang, Founder of BaziChic.com, is running a 1-day workshop called Attract What You Desire & Accelerate Your Life (Law of Attraction, Fa Qi Men). If you are interested to attend the workshop, you can contact BaziChic customer service at customer\_support@bazichic.com.



# Have a pressing matter? Join our 1-Q&A

#### Question

#### **Eng Lee Chia**

What should I do with my career so that I can earn more and perform better this year? Thanks a lot.

Date of Birth: 24 May 1985

Time of Birth: 10:30 Gender: Female

#### **Just Ask**

Lee Chia, you have a natural instinct for the management of wealth. You like variety.

Advice: The best way to perform better every year is to learn something new to help you advance your career. It can be a short workshop, taking up professional certification, getting an MBA, or pursuing a Masters or PhD. You can also learn by teaching someone what you already know. Teaching is also a learning experience.

#### **Question**

#### **Mun Ling**

When will my destined partner appear?

Date of Birth: 24 December 1989

Time of Birth: -Gender: Female

#### **Just Ask**

Mun Ling, the possibility of you meeting someone is in the Rooster year 2017 and in the Pig year 2019. However you may not like them in the romantic way. So whether you want to take it further will be up to you.

**Advice:** Be open minded! Learn to accept others as who they are and see the good side of everyone. Most important is to put yourself out there. While meeting people have fun too. Being too serious about finding Mr Right will scare off your potential partners.

#### Question

#### **Tassadaq Morad**

I want to ask, when my financial position will improve? I am passing through the hardest time of my life.

Date of Birth: 25 October 1948

Time of Birth: 04:00

Gender: Male

#### **Just Ask**

Tassadaq Morad, your situation will remain unchanged until February or March 2016.

**Advice:** Seek financial help from people who have the  $\P$  Jia Wood and  $\pm$  Ren Water Day Master or Year Stem. Go toward Northeast to seek help.

#### Question

#### **Yvonne Siew**

Will this person be able to generate and accumulate wealth in her life? Where does the main source of wealth come from? Will the missing fire and water element have a major adverse impact on this person?

Date of Birth: 24 March 2011 Time of Birth: Monkey Hour

Gender: Female

#### **Just Ask**

Yvonne Siew, this little girl will do well in management and operations where there is already a set of systems for her to follow. Hence she will do better working in a big corporation compared to a small medium-sized company. A missing wealth element doesn't mean that you can't earn money. She needs to learn to how to handle money wisely because she has a tendency to be a spendthrift.

Advice: The missing Fire and Water elements may have more impact on her health. She will be prone to optical, cardiovascular and kidney health problems and should take care in these areas.

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### **MONTHLY OUTLOOK**

# SEPTEMBER 2015 乙酉 WOOD ROOSTER

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#### **Inauspicious Stars**

- 地煞 Earth Sha
- 喪門 Funeral Door
- 災煞 Calamity Sha
- 披頭 Peeling Head
- 地喪 Earth Funeral
- 隔角 Separating Edge

he month of September is suitable for education, research and development as well as spiritual study. People who are involved in the field of writing such as authors, script writers and composers will benefit from the Qi of the Rooster month. It also favours those who are involved in a lot of research such as scientists, economists and research analysts. The Qi has great influence on the metaphysics field and spiritual people too. Hence, this month is good for those embarking on metaphysics or spiritual studies. The energy enhances your connection to the Universe. You may see a breakthrough in your spirituality and wisdom by offering prayers or going on a pilgrimage.

People will be more prone to head injuries or accidents due to the presence of Peeling Head together with many inauspicious stars. People are likely to fall into depression, become emotionally unstable and view the future or events that happen with a pessimistic outlook. The negative energy of this Rooster month brings positive outlook to those in the bereavement care industry.

If the month's Qi is unfavourable to you, especially those who have Rabbit, Rooster, and Rat in their Bazi chart, be extra careful. You will be prone to head injuries, internal

bleeding and accidents. Due to negative energy that brings along unstable emotions and the Peach Blossom influence, Rabbit, Rooster, and Rat signs will easily become entangled in relationship issues.

This month's energy favours those who have the following zodiacs: Dragon, Snake and Ox.

Wood Day Masters (♥ Jia Yang Wood and 乙 Yi Yin Wood) will likely feel stressed due to the competitive environment. While everyone is trying to compete for attention and recognition, focus your energy on creating more income.

Fire Day Masters (丙 Bing Yang Fire and 丁 Ding Yin Fire) have many creative and innovative ideas to share. You will see your ideas turning into reality, bringing with it monetary rewards.

Earth Day Masters (戊 Wu Yang Earth and 己 Ji Yin Earth), will most probably run into some kind of minor hiccup with the authorities. Be a good citizen, follow the law, and you will avoid loss of wealth arising from fines.

Metal Day Masters (庚 Geng Yang Metal and 辛 Xin Yin Metal), it is a good time to network. You will see wealth opportunities coming your way.

Water Day Masters (壬 Ren Yang Water and 癸 Gui Yin Water), focus on branding and marketing yourselves. Put yourself out there! While working and dealing with people, be diplomatic.



#### **Tiger**

You may experience a more stable month. You can look forward to some peace. For those who have been making plans for new ventures, now is the time to execute them. Peach Blossom luck is with you too. Single Tigers will find people paying more attention to them. Married couples will find that they are enjoying happy moments together.



#### **Rabbit**

Your hasty attitude will cause more mistakes in your work. Be cautious and pay more attention to your work especially to contracts and legal documentation. Avoid strenuous exercise, as you will be prone to head and neck injuries. Single Rabbits are going through strong romantic luck. Ensure that the other party is single and available before making any emotional commitment.



#### **Dragon**

Your luck takes an upward swing. All is well in terms of wealth, career and relationship. People are friendly, supportive and more helpful. You should take up the opportunities that come your way and do your best.



#### Snake

This is a smooth sailing month filled with supportive and helpful people. Spend some time on networking and building relationships. Working relationships with bosses, superiors, colleagues and customers are good, especially for those born on a Metal day. They are supportive and more helpful.



#### Horse

Career luck is strong. If you are planning to make a move to a new career or hop to another company, this is the month. Although there will be some worries, all will be well. While you will meet many interesting people this month, be careful of your conduct. People with a Horse sign will be easily entangled in an extramarital affair.



#### Goat

You will experience a busy month with a hectic schedule and heavy workload. There is no time for other things. Know that this will pass. Just make sure you have enough rest to clear your mind and help you feel more relaxed.



#### **Monkey**

Conflict may arise for those who have a Monkey sign. Take extra care when relaying your messages to minimise conflict and ensure a peaceful outcome. There are supportive and helpful people around. Ask for help when you need it.



#### Rooster

The auspicious stars are still shining on you. You will be recognised for the work you have done. It is also a good month to stand out if you have done all the right preparations. Don't be shy. This is a good month to look out for good investments. While this is an overall a good month, ensure that you do your part. Problems will arise due to your own carelessness.



#### Dog

Your career and wealth luck take a turn for the better. Anticipate a smooth sailing Rooster month. However, you need to be cautious about your personal safety. There might be an accident or road bullying incident, so be careful while driving. You need to close a chapter in your personal or romantic relationship. Let go of the past.



#### Pig

You may face some heart issues due to a stressful month. Make sure you are well rested and have some time to relax. Take extra precautions with regard to your health.



#### Rat

Expect a passionate romantic encounter. Enjoy this encounter, but do not make any serious commitments until you know the person better. Give the relationship a three month probation period. You may find that you do not want to commit to that person after all.



#### Ox

Generally this is a smooth sailing month for you. You are likely to get your wish fulfilled. Friends and family are very supportive of you too. You may find good inspiration whether for work or personal development while taking a break on some exotic island.

### **MONTHLY OUTLOOK**

## OCTOBER 2015 丙戌 FIRE DOG

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#### **Auspicious Stars**

太陰 Moon

地解 Earth Relief

#### **Inauspicious Stars**

黄幡 Yellow Flag

貫索 Piercing Rope

羊刃 Goat Blade

勾絞 Hook

歲煞 Disaster Sha

天煞 Sky Sha

卒暴 Great Assembly

he presence of many inauspicious stars indicates that the Dog month will be an accident-prone month. People will be careless and be prone to act rashly due to the influence of the negative energies of the Goat Blade and Hook Stars. However, the Earth Relief and Moon Stars mitigate the negative effects. They bring in noblemen and knowledge when one encounters difficult situations. This month is especially good for resolving problems.

October favours creating a good reputation and brand image for business people. It is good for relationship matters and networking.

If the month's Qi is unfavourable to you, you may need to be cautious about your finances and safety. Employees working in factories with heavy machinery should take precautions to avoid accidents. Employers should study their investment and business agreements carefully before making final decisions to avoid future disputes and losses.

This month's energy favours those who have the following zodiac: Rabbit, Tiger, Horse and Snake.

Wood Day Masters (♥ Jia Yang Wood and 乙 Yi Yin Wood), especially those born in spring and winter will be easily caught up in unwanted disputes and arguments due to anger. Take some time off to balance your emotions, relax and rejuvenate.

Fire Day Masters (丙 Bing Yang Fire and 丁 Ding Yin Fire), especially 丙 Bing, Yang Fire Day Master, can focus their energies on business relationship matters and networking. This can help you improve your future finances.

Earth Day Masters (戊 Wu Yang Earth and 己 Ji Yin Earth), should focus on enhancing their income generating skills. It is a good time to learn something new. Hidden wealth opportunities are present with your innovative ideas.

This month still favours Metal Day Masters (庚 Geng Yang Metal and 辛 Xin Yin Metal), looking for collaborative projects. Be a good law abiding citizen to avoid loss of wealth arising from fines and summons.

Water Day Masters (壬 Ren Yang Water and 癸 Gui Yin Water) may see their ideas put to good use. There are plenty of wealth opportunities created through your unique ideas.



#### **Tiger**

Career and wealth outlook is good. However relationships may sour. There are people who are envious of your success and they would not hesitate to sabotage and create trouble just out of spite. Be cautious in how you handle people and do not be too showy. Be humble!



#### **Rabbit**

You can experience a pleasant month with many happy events. Some may be planning for marriage. The Peach Blossom energy benefits those in the sales line. Female single Rabbits will get a lot of attention from the opposite sex. All those born under this zodiac sign should put ambitious projects to work as there is auspicious energy surrounding you. Many people are willing to give you a supportive hand.



#### Dragon

You will experience a volatile month. There will be both good and bad incidents in October. Being adventurous can get you into trouble but will also connect you to the right people who can improve your career and life. Some risks are worth taking while others are not. Be wise while you embark on a dangerous adrenaline-driven adventure.



#### Snake

Do not make any speculative investments in October. There is a chance that your investment will result in loss of capital. Take pro-active measures to deal with your finances. Use your income wisely.



#### Horse

You are going through another smooth sailing month. This month will help you build solid foundations for your new projects. October favours people with Horse signs in terms of relationship matters and networking luck. You may find yourself surrounded by helpful and informative people.



#### Goat

There is a heavy workload waiting for you in October. Your mood can be erratic due to stress and family matters. Minor obstacles will crop-up from time-totime, which can be irritating, but there is no permanent damage. Do one thing at a time and before you know it, everything will fall in place.



#### Monkey

Conflict and arguments abound, which can cause potential obstructions and failure. Besides careful planning, it is important that you present your views and opinions diplomatically. Your romantic luck is better in October. You will meet your Mr/ Miss Right while travelling.



#### **Rooster**

There is a sudden switch of luck this month away from your general good fortune. Do not let your guard down. This is due to misunderstanding and disagreement between friends, colleagues and family. You tend to anger easily and get yourself into unnecessary arguments and disputes. Stay calm and give yourself some time to think things over. Do what is constructive for everyone involved. Your view and opinion may not always be right and certain situations need a compromise to work better.



#### Dog

The Dog sign enjoys the vibrant energy of good fortune. However, you need to take precaution when it comes to personal safety and health. These are the main concerns for you this month. Avoid extreme sports and do not indulge in unhealthy food. If you are already in the midst of doing something meaningful continue with it. If not, seek out something you like to do and see where this positive energy can lead you.



#### **Pig**

The Pig can look forward to a stable month with some time of peace and rest. You may see improvement in your work too. Your popularity seems to soar. Do more good deeds to ensure that the right kind of limelight comes your way.



#### Rat

This is a month that brings growth and improvement. Do not be distracted or get involved in gossip, arguments and disputes of any kind. There may be some problems, but people are generally in a good mood and happy to lend you a helping hand. Do be grateful to those who help you. Your path will be smoother if you focus on self-cultivation and development.



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Do not let your good fortune last month go to your head and become boastful. You may be in for some disappointment. Receive any news or views openmindedly. A humble attitude is important. Be diplomatic in your communications with others so that no one gets offended or hurt. The end result may not be as bad as you think.

### **MONTHLY OUTLOOK**

## NOVEMBER 2015 丁亥 FIRE PIG

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#### **Auspicious Stars**

三台 Three Stages

國印 National Treasure

### **Inauspicious Stars**

孤辰 Solitary

天哭 Sky Cry

指背 Back Poking

官符 Litigation 五鬼 Five Ghost

飛符 Flying Charm

年符 Year Charm

The presence of Three Stages and National Treasure indicates a stable growth in terms of wealth luck and knowledge. It is good to take up new studies to advance your academic knowledge or embark on a new adventure to gain hands-on experiences if you have been at a loss as to how to elevate your career to a new high. The two auspicious stars favour employees with steady incomes.

Sales or business people will see steady income too but not on a large scale . You want to instil an image of excellent product and services in the eyes of your customers.

Petty gossip and envious people abound in November. However, it will not cause any permanent damage as long as you ignore them and focus on results.

November favours "me" time, so take time to be alone. It is also a good time to go on a pilgrimage. You need not spend a lot on taking time off for yourself. So spend wisely despite the upcoming festive month and school holidays.

If the month's Qi is unfavourable to you, you may need to be alert to disputes arising from exchanges of harsh words and squabbling. Be diplomatic, if not, you will only hurt yourself.

This month's energy does not favour those who have the following zodiacs: Snake and Monkey.

This month's energy favours those who have the following zodiacs: Goat, Tiger and Rabbit.

Wood Day Masters (♥ Jia Yang Wood and ∠ Yi Yin Wood), born in the spring season should look for ways to collaborate with others. Those born in the summer months need to be careful of their conduct and be diplomatic, especially when handling sensitive matters. Those born in the autumn and winter months should focus on spending some time on building good networks.

Fire Day Masters (丙 Bing Yang Fire and 丁 Ding Yin Fire), this is a good time to learn something new and meet new people.

Earth Day Masters (戊 Wu Yang Earth and 己 Ji Yin Earth) your stress levels are up. Take care of your health. Take some time off for rest and rejuvenation.

While wealth opportunities are present for the Metal Day Masters (庚 Geng Yang Metal and  $\doteqdot$  Xin Yin Metal) you are feeling lazy and experiencing a lack of energy. Do some exercise or go for an outdoor adventure to jump start your engine.

Water Day Masters (壬 Ren Yang Water and 癸 Gui Yin Water) should keep their sarcasm to themselves. Unfriendly remarks may cause a strain in your relationships. Be a law abiding citizen to avoid loss of wealth due to fines and summons.



#### **Tiger**

A busy month is in store for you. Nevertheless, it is a good time to build and expand on your network. An auspicious star is shining on you. You will have the support and help from friends and family to overcome obstacles and troubles. Find ways to work with others.



#### **Rabbit**

Favourable luck continues to stand at your side. Take this time to network and build rapport with important people who can help you in your career. Any trouble and obstacles will melt away so whatever you plan to do, go ahead. Noble people will be around to give a helping hand.



#### Dragon

You should lie low for this month and avoid any risky joint ventures. You are emotionally sensitive and may experience a bit of a stomach upset. Bank on your skills and talent. It will help you through this tough period.



#### Snake

There is some stress at work, nothing that you can't handle. However, your mood is rather grey and you don't see any way out of your problems. You easily lose your temper due to mood swings. Focus on the solution rather than the problem. You actually have the answer to your dilemma. Take some rest or extra leave for a vacation to relax your mind.



#### Horse

Good luck seems to follow you as the year comes to an end. You will find that in general, people, friends and family are supportive and helpful. Colleagues are willing to lend you a helping hand. Take this time to build your network. Single Horses are going through good romance luck. You need to take chances and put yourself out there to make full use of this month's auspicious influence. Horse people in sales, marketing, public relations and customer service can benefit from good connections.



#### Goat

Auspicious stars are keeping your pockets fat and full. Things turn positive this month in terms of relationship, wealth and career. It is a good time to network and socialize for business opportunities or just making friends. Put more effort on finding additional sources of income. Use the month to learn about investment strategy.



#### Monkey

You may be a little frustrated this month due to the restrictions you face. Things may not be as bad as you think. Do not fret as this will improve your life in the long run. Take note of your health. You will find yourself battling a weak immune system. See the doctor immediately even if you think it is a minor issue.



#### **Rooster**

Expect the unexpected. You will be much wiser and happier this way. While there may be many disruptions to your plans that hinder your progress, they are happening for a reason. It can help you to re-strategize for a better plan. You will have the support of noble people, friends and family. Focus on your work diligently.



#### Dog

The month can be a double-edged sword. For those who have always been hard working and diligent, this is indeed a fortunate time for you, with recognition and acknowledgement of your hard work. You will have the support of noble people, friends and family. Everything will work out smoothly for you. For those who always indulged themselves at the expense of others, your work will double, and you will face many obstacles as a result of your work attitude.



#### **Pig**

Take precaution on everything you do as there is unexpected trouble that can throw your plans off course. There are many noble helpers who will come to your assistance. Do not be afraid to ask for help when necessary. Just remember the people who give you a hand with gratitude. All in, this is an auspicious and smooth month with much progress in your career.



#### Rat

This is not a good month. There is likely to be miscommunication with people. Be concise with your words and do not be afraid to clarify twice and even three times to avoid misunderstanding. You feel that you have walked into a dead end while trying out new things. Perseverance on your part is needed to get through this period. Do not fret so much as you may find this month over soon. For safety, avoid playing any dangerous sports.



#### $\mathbf{O}\mathbf{x}$

Take care of your health. Take some time off for study or just to relax. This is not the month to fight or expand. Save and recharge your energy for a more auspicious month. You will find yourself running around on errands. At the end of the day you do not feel that you have achieved much. Take things one step at a time.

# **GOOD DATES PLANNER**

X	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
WOOD ROOSTE	 		1 庚 Metal 成 反 Dragon Success Auspicious day to activate for continuous wealth and nobleman luck at N2 at 09:30. Today is a good day for sales & marketing, collecting debt, marriage and starting a new job or business. ➤ Dog	2 辛 Metal 收 と Snake Receive
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ISEK 20	13	14 癸 Water 成 と Snake Success	15	16 <sup>乙 Wood</sup> 開 未Goat Open
SEFIEN	wealth and business expansion at N2 at 11:30. Today is a good day for travelling, sales & marketing, collecting debt and starting a project.	<b>21</b> 庚 Metal	<b>22</b>	23 <sup>£</sup> Water 執 實 Tiger Initiate General auspicious day. Good for resolving problems.
		28	29 戊 Earth 月 Close Excellent day to activate for nobleman luck at NE3 at 07:30. Today is a good day for seeking medical advice, treatment and medical check-ups. Today is also good for fulfilling wishes. Make your wish with your back to NW at 07:30. *Tiger	30 己 Earth 建 西 Rooster Establish

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	September 8 - October 7				U.	
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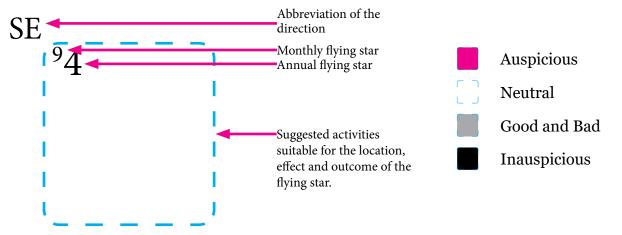
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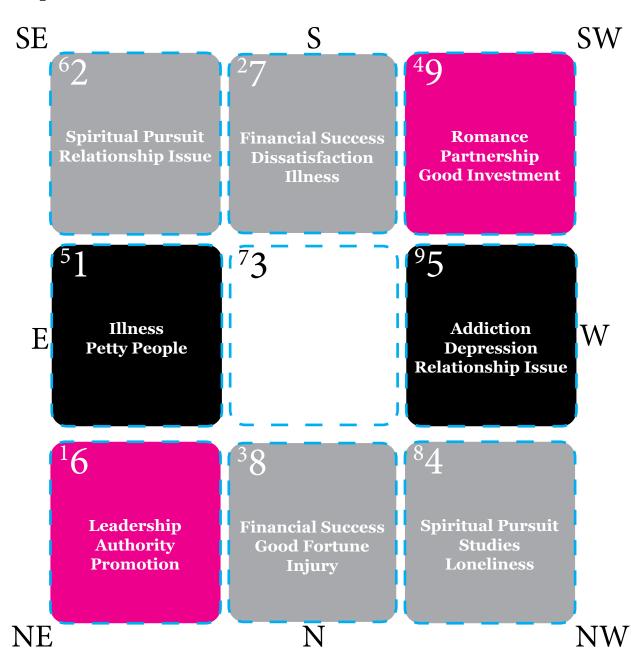
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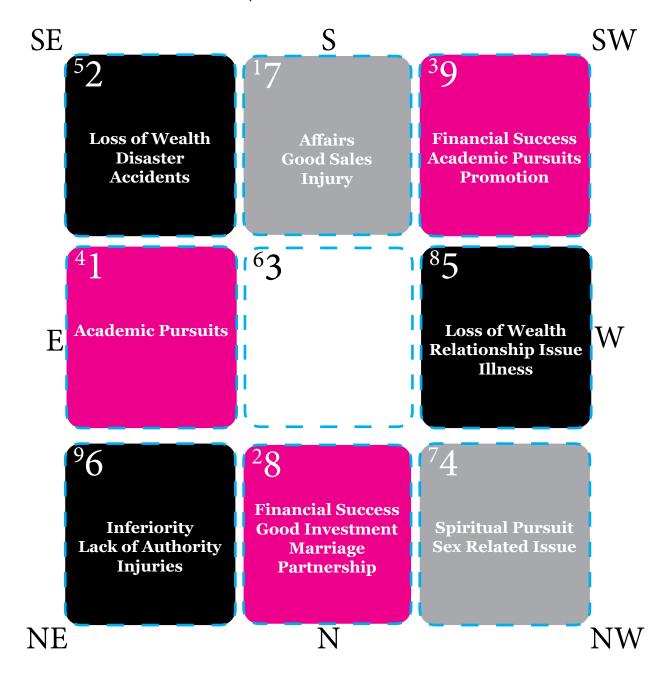


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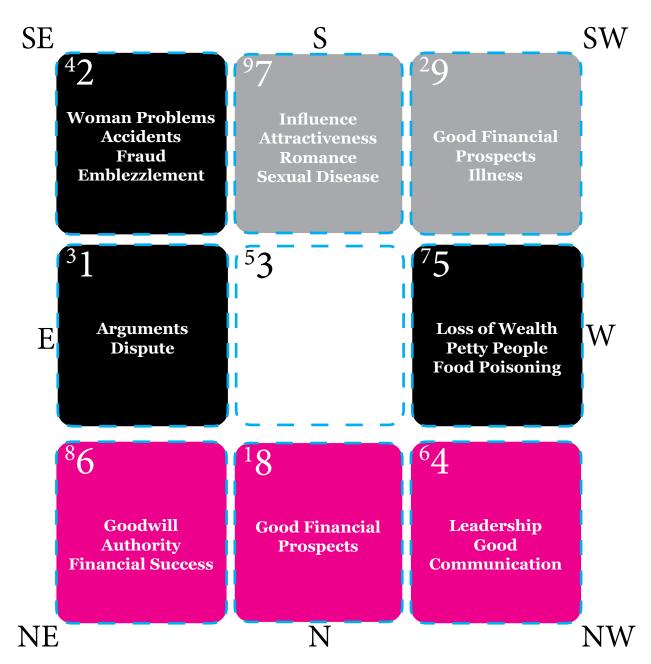
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### UNIVERSAL QI MAP Law of Attraction

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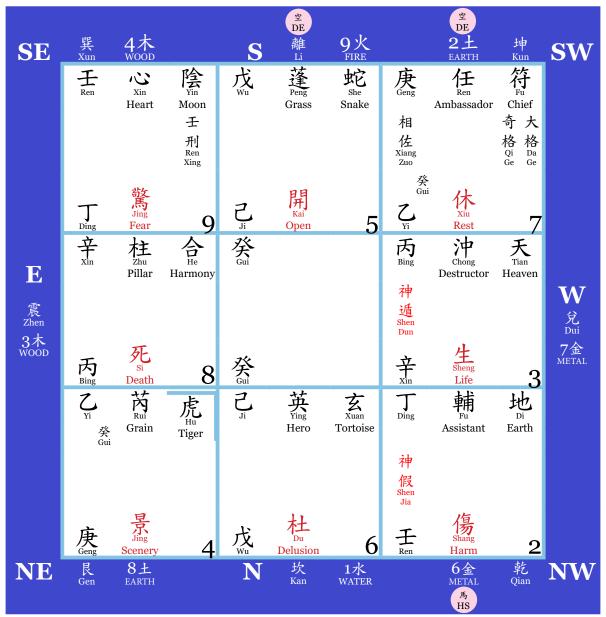


Table: Universal Qi Map

Direction	Universe	Subject Matter				
Southeast	太陰 Great Moon	Knowledge and Wisdom				
South	騰蛇 Surging Snake	Intuition				
Southwest	直符 Chief	Fulfilling Wishes				
West	九天 Nine Heaven	Vision				
Northwest	九地 Nine Earth	Wealth				
North	玄武 Black Tortoise	Reality Distortion				
Northeast	白虎 White Tiger	Mental and Physical Energy				
East	六合 Six Harmony	Relationship				

When you ask from the Universe, sit with your back to the direction that relates to the subject matter as stated in the Table: Universal Qi Map.

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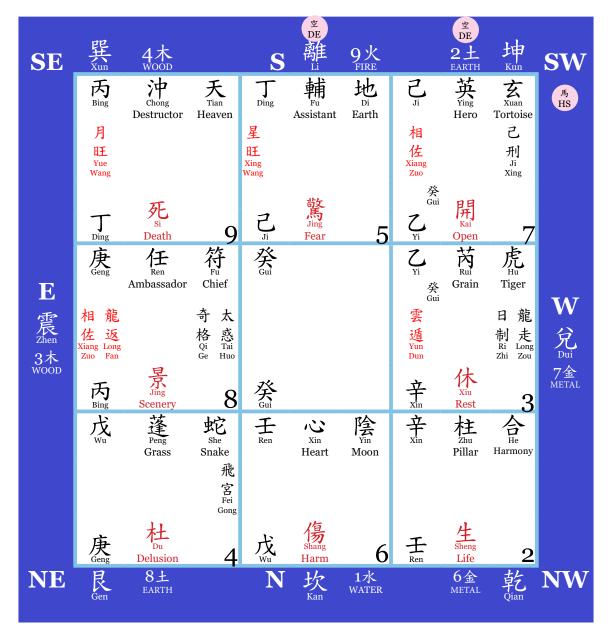


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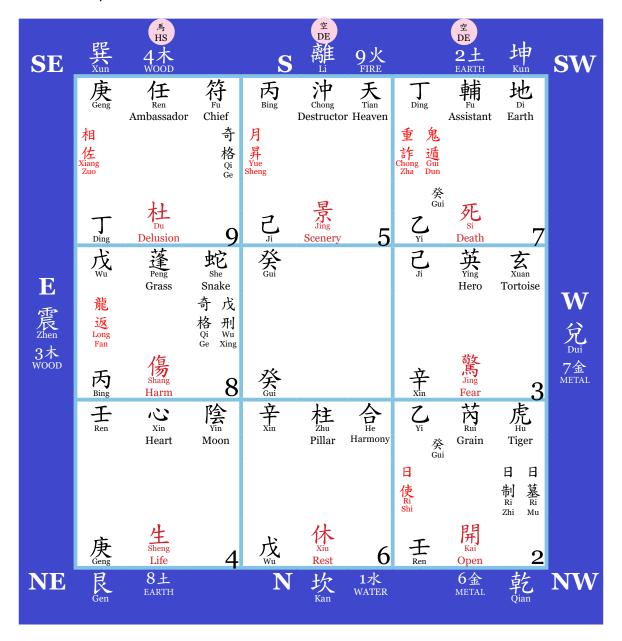


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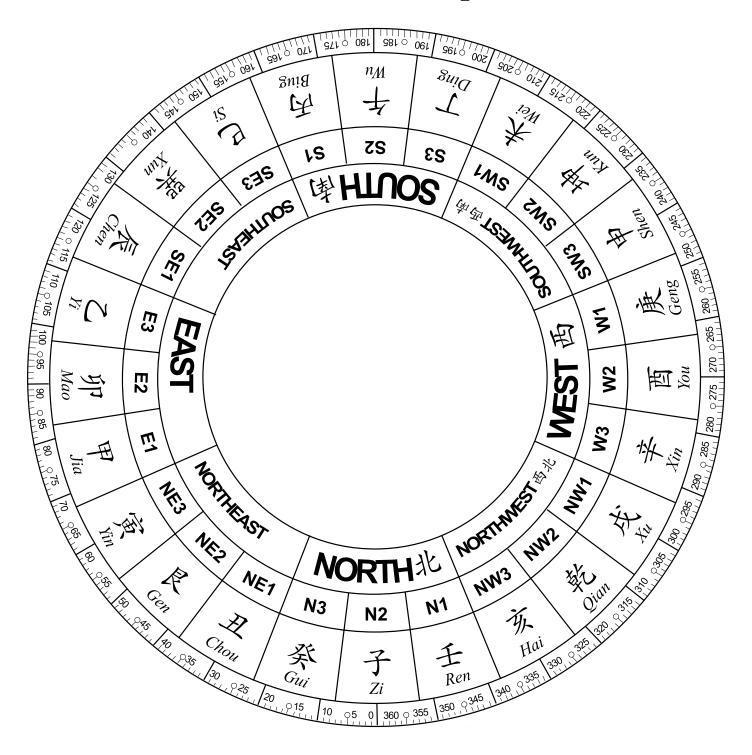
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## **24-Mountain Reference Chart**

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_		S1	Bing	丙	Yang Fire	157.6 - 172.5
<b>≡</b> Li	South	S2	Wu	午	Horse (Yang Fire)	172.6 - 187.5
LI		S3	Ding	丁	Yin Fire	187.6 - 202.5
		SW1	Wei	未	Goat (Yin Earth)	202.6 - 217.5
Kun	Southwest	SW2	Kun	坤	Southwest (Earth)	217.6 - 232.5
Kuii		SW3	Shen	申	Monkey (Yang Metal)	232.6 - 247.5
		W1	Geng	庚	Yang Metal	247.6 - 262.5
<b>≝</b> Dui	West	W2	You	酉	Rooster (Yin Metal)	262.6 - 277.5
Dui		W3	Xin	辛	Yin Metal	277.6 - 292.5
-		NW1	Xu	戌	Dog (Yang Earth)	292.6 - 307.5
<b>=</b> Qian	Northwest	NW2	Qian	乾	Northwest (Metal)	307.6 - 322.5
Qiaii		NW3	Hai	亥	Pig (Yin Water)	322.6 - 337.5
		N1	Ren	壬	Yang Water	337.6 - 352.5
<b>∷</b> Kan	North	N2	Zi	子	Rat (Yang Water)	352.6 - 7.5
Kan		N3	Gui	癸	Yin Water	7.6 - 22.5
_		NE1	Chou	丑	Ox (Yin Earth)	22.6 - 37.5
Gen	Northeast	NE2	Gen	艮	Northeast (Earth)	37.6 - 52.5
Gen		NE3	Yin	寅	Tiger (Yang Wood)	52.6 - 67.5
		E1	Jia	甲	Yang Wood	67.6 - 82.5
Zhen	East	E2	Mao	卯	Rabbit (Yin Wood)	82.6 - 97.5
		E3	Yi	乙	Yin Wood	97.6 - 112.5
_		SE1	Chen	辰	Dragon (Yang Earth)	112.6 - 127.5
Xun	Southeast	SE2	Xun	巽	Southeast (Wood)	127.6 - 142.5
Aun		SE3	Si	민	Snake (Yin Fire)	142.6 - 157.5

### **24-Mountain Compass**



## Feng Shui Eight Mansions: East & West Group Direction

### 1. East Group 東命

卦 Gua	生氣 Sheng Qi Life Generating	夭醫 Tian Yi Heavenly Doctor	延年 Yan Nian Longevity	伏位 Fu Wei Stability	禍害 Huo Hai Mishaps	五鬼 Wu Gui Five Ghosts	六煞 Liu Sha Six Killings	絕命 Jue Ming Life Threatening
坎 <i>Kan</i> 1 Water	東南 South East	東 East	南 South	北 North	西 West	東北 North East	西北 North West	西南 South West
震 Zhen 3 Wood	南 South	北 North	東南 South East	東 East	西南 South West	西北 North West	東北 North East	西 West
巽 Xun 4 Wood	北 North	南 South	東 East	東南 South East	西北 North West	西南 South West	西 West	東北 North East
离 <i>Li</i> 9 Fire	東 East	東南 South East	北 North	南 South	東北 North East	西 West	西南 South West	西北 North West

### 1. West Group 東命

卦 Gua	生氣 Sheng Qi Life Generating	天醫 Tian Yi Heavenly Doctor	延年 Yan Nian Longevity	伏位 Fu Wei Stability	禍害 Huo Hai Mishaps	五鬼 Wu Gui Five Ghosts	六煞 Liu Sha Six Killings	絕命 Jue Ming Life Threatening
坤 <i>Kun</i> 2 Earth	東北 North East	西 West	西北 North West	西南 South West	東 East	東南 South East	南 South	北 North
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兌 Dui 7 Metal	西北 North West	西南 South West	東北 North East	西 West	北 North	南 South	東南 South East	東 East
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# Year Pillar and Life Gua Reference Table for 1912 - 1979

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1913	癸 丑 Gui Chou	Water Ox	6	9
1914	甲寅 Jia Yin	Wood Tiger	5	1
1915	乙卯 Yi Mao	Wood Rabbit	4	2
1916	丙辰 Bing Chen	Fire Dragon	3	3
1917	丁巳 Ding Si	Fire Snake	2	4
1918	戍午 Wu Wu	Earth Horse	1	5
1919	己未 Ji Wei	Earth Goat	9	6
1920	庚申 Geng Shen	Metal Monkey	8	7
1921	辛酉 Xin You	Metal Rooster	7	8
1922	壬戌 Ren Xu	Water Dog	6	9
1923	癸亥 Gui Hai	Water Pig	5	1
1924	甲子 Jia Zi	Wood Rat	4	2
1925	乙丑 Yi Chou	Wood Ox	3	3
1926	丙寅 Bing Yin	Fire Tiger	2	4
1927	丁卯 Ding Mao	Fire Rabbit	1	5
1928	戊辰 Wu Chen	Earth Dragon	9	6
1929	己巳 Ji Si	Earth Snake	8	7
1930	庚午 Geng Wu	Metal Horse	7	8
1931	辛未 Xin Wei	Metal Goat	6	9
1932	壬申 Ren Shen	Water Monkey	5	1
1933	癸酉 Gui You	Water Rooster	4	2
1934	甲戌 Jia Xu	Wood Dog	3	3
1935	乙亥 Yi Hai	Wood Pig	2	4
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1941	辛巳 Xin Si	Metal Snake	5	1
1942	壬午 Ren Wu	Water Horse	4	2
1943	癸未 Gui Wei	Water Goat	3	3
1944	甲申 Jia Shen	Wood Monkey	2	4
1945	乙酉 Yi You	Wood Rooster	1	5

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1951	辛卯 Xin Mao	Metal Rabbit	4	2
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1957	丁酉 Ding You	Fire Rooster	7	8
1958	戊戌 Wu Xu	Earth Dog	6	9
1959	己亥 Ji Hai	Earth Pig	5	1
1960	庚子 Geng Zi	Metal Rat	4	2
1961	辛丑 Xin Chou	Metal Ox	3	3
1962	壬寅 Ren Yin	Water Tiger	2	4
1963	癸卯 Gui Mao	Water Rabbit	1	5
1964	甲辰 Jia Chen	Wood Dragon	9	6
1965	乙巳 Yi Si	Wood Snake	8	7
1966	丙午 Bing Wu	Fire Horse	7	8
1967	丁未 Ding Wei	Fire Goat	6	9
1968	戊申 Wu Shen	Earth Monkey	5	1
1969	己酉 Ji You	Earth Rooster	4	2
1970	庚戌 Geng Xu	Metal Dog	3	3
1971	辛亥 Xin Hai	Metal Pig	2	4
1972	壬子 Ren Zi	Water Rat	1	5
1973	癸丑 Gui Chou	Water Ox	9	6
1974	甲寅 Jia Yin	Wood Tiger	8	7
1975	乙卯 Yi Mao	Wood Rabbit	7	8
1976	丙辰 Bing Chen	Fire Dragon	6	9
1977	丁巳 Ding Si	Fire Snake	5	1
1978	戊午 Wu Wu	Earth Horse	4	2
1979	己未 Ji Wei	Earth Goat	3	3

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V	an of Dir	Life	Gua	
Y (	ear of Bir	TN	Male	Female
1980	庚申 Geng Shen	Metal Monkey	2	4
1981	辛酉 Xin You	Metal Rooster	1	5
1982	壬戌 Ren Xu	Water Dog	9	6
1983	癸亥 Gui Hai	Water Pig	8	7
1984	甲子 Jia Zi	Wood Rat	7	8
1985	乙丑 Yi Chou	Wood Ox	6	9
1986	丙寅 Bing Yin	Fire Tiger	5	1
1987	丁卯 Ding Mao	Fire Rabbit	4	2
1988	戍辰 Wu Chen	Earth Dragon	3	3
1989	己巳 Ji Si	Earth Snake	2	4
1990	庚午 Geng Wu	Metal Horse	1	5
1991	辛未 Xin Wei	Metal Goat	9	6
1992	壬申 Ren Shen	Water Monkey	8	7
1993	癸酉 Gui You	Water Rooster	7	8
1994	甲戌 Jia Xu	Wood Dog	6	9
1995	乙亥 Yi Hai	Wood Pig	5	1
1996	丙子 Bing Zi	Fire Rat	4	2
1997	丁丑 Ding Chou	Fire Ox	3	3
1998	戊寅 Wu Yin	Earth Tiger	2	4
1999	己卯 Ji Mao	Earth Rabbit	1	5
2000	庚辰 Geng Chen	Metal Dragon	9	6
2001	辛巳 Xin Si	Metal Snake	8	7
2002	壬午 Ren Wu	Water Horse	7	8
2003	癸未 Gui Wei	Water Goat	6	9
2004	甲申 Jia Shen	Wood Monkey	5	1
2005	乙酉 Yi You	Wood Rooster	4	2
2006	丙戌 Bing Xu	Fire Dog	3	3
2007	丁亥 Ding Hai	Fire Pig	2	4
2008	戊子 Wu Zi	Earth Rat	1	5
2009	己丑 Ji Chou	Earth Ox	9	6
2010	庚寅 Geng Yin	Metal Tiger	8	7
2011	辛卯 Xin Mao	Metal Rabbit	7	8
2012	壬辰 Ren Chen	Water Dragon	6	9
2013	麥已 Gui Si	Water Snake	5	1

V	ear of Bir	Life Gua			
	ear or bir	TUII	Male	Female	
2014	甲午 Jia Wu	Wood Horse	4	2	
2015	乙未 Yi Wei	Wood Goat	3	3	
2016	丙申 Bing Shen	Fire Monkey	2	4	
2017	丁酉 Ding You	Fire Rooster	1	5	
2018	戊戌 Wu Xu	Earth Dog	9	6	
2019	己亥 Ji Hai	Earth Pig	8	7	
2020	庚子 Geng Zi	Metal Rat	7	8	
2021	辛丑 Xin Chou	Metal Ox	6	9	
2022	壬寅 Ren Yin	Water Tiger	5	1	
2023	癸卯 Gui Mao	Water Rabbit	4	2	
2024	甲辰 Jia Chen	Wood Dragon	3	3	
2025	こと Yi Si	Wood Snake	2	4	
2026	丙午 Bing Wu	Fire Horse	1	5	
2027	丁未 Ding Wei	Fire Goat	9	6	
2028	戊申 Wu Shen	Earth Monkey	8	7	
2029	己酉 Ji You	Earth Rooster	7	8	
2030	庚戌 Geng Xu	Metal Dog	6	9	
2031	辛亥 Xin Hai	Metal Pig	5	1	
2032	壬子 Ren Zi	Water Rat	4	2	
2033	癸丑 Gui Chou	Water Ox	3	3	
2034	甲寅 Jia Yin	Wood Tiger	2	4	
2035	乙卯 Yi Mao	Wood Rabbit	1	5	
2036	丙辰 Bing Chen	Fire Dragon	9	6	
2037	丁巳 Ding Si	Fire Snake	8	7	
2038	戊午 Wu Wu	Earth Horse	7	8	
2039	己未 Ji Wei	Earth Goat	6	9	
2040	庚申 Geng Shen	Metal Monkey	5	1	
2041	辛酉 Xin You	Metal Rooster	4	2	
2042	壬戌 Ren Xu	Water Dog	3	3	
2043	癸亥 Gui Hai	Water Pig	2	4	
2044	甲子 Jia Zi	Wood Rat	1	5	
2045	乙丑 Yi Chou	Wood Ox	9	6	
2046	丙寅 Bing Yin	Fire Tiger	8	7	
2047	丁卯 Ding Mao	Fire Rabbit	7	8	

### Reference Table: Bazi Heavenly Stems Relationship

Heavenly Stems Combination, Countering and Clashes 天干合剋沖

	月 Jia Yang Wood	と Yi Yin Wood	天 <i>Bing</i> Yang Fire	Ding Yin Fire	戊 Wu Yang Earth	Ji Yin Earth	庚 <i>Geng</i> Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal	£ Ren Yang Water	<i>癸</i> <i>Gui</i> Yin Water
Combination 合	プ <i>Ji</i> Yin Earth	庚 <i>Geng</i> Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal	士 Ren Yang Water	癸 <i>Gui</i> Yin Water	可 <i>Jia</i> Yang Wood	Z. Yi Yin Wood	丙 <i>Bing</i> Yang Fire	フ <i>Ding</i> Yin Fire	戊 Wu Yang Earth
<b>Counter</b> ग्र	戊 Wu Yang Earth	プ <i>Ji</i> Yin Earth	庚 Geng Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal	£ Ren Yang Water	癸 <i>Gui</i> Yin Water	更 <i>Jia</i> Yang Wood	Z. Yi Yin Wood	丙 <i>Bing</i> Yang Fire	J Ding Yin Fire
Clash 沖	庚 Geng Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal	士 Ren Yang Water	癸 <i>Gui</i> Yin Water			更 <i>Jia</i> Yang Wood	Z. Yi Yin Wood	丙 Bing Yang Fire	Ding Yin Fire

### Reference Table: Bazi Earthly Branches Relationship

Earthly Branches Combination, Punishment, Destruction, Clash and Harm 天千合 刑 破害

	子 Zi Rat	<u>H</u> Chou Ox	寅 Yin Tiger	بال Mao Rabbit	辰 Chen Dragon	Si Snake	午 Wu Horse	未 Wei Goat	Shen Monkey	酉 You Rooster	戌 Xu Dog	亥 Hai Pig
Six Combination 六合	£L Chou Ox	子 Zi Rat	亥 Hai Pig	戌 Xu Dog	西 You Rooster	中 Shen Monkey	夫 Wei Goat	午 Wu Horse	Si Snake	辰 <i>Chen</i> Dragon	ழ் <b>ர</b> <i>Mao</i> Rabbit	寅 <i>Yin</i> Tiger
Three Harmony 三合	中 Shen Monkey 辰 Chen Dragon	と Si Snake 西 You Rooster	午 Wu Horse 戌 Xu Dog	亥 Hai Pig 未 Wei Goat	子 Zi Rat 申 Shen Monkey	西 You Rooster 丑 Chou Ox	寅 Yin Tiger 戌 Xu Dog	亥 Hai Pig Ý Mao Rabbit	子 Zi Rat 反 Chen Dragon	Si Snake H Chou Ox	寅 Yin Tiger 午 Wu Horse	卯 Rabbit 未 Wei Goat
Clash 沖	午 Wu Horse	未 Wei Goat	身 Shen Monkey	酉 You Rooster	戌 Xu Dog	亥 Hai Pig	子 Zi Rat	£L Chou Ox	寅 Yin Tiger	ப்பி <i>Mao</i> Rabbit	辰 Chen Dragon	Si Snake
Punishment 刑	ப்பி <i>Mao</i> Rabbit	戌 Xu Dog 未 Wei Goat	Si Snake F Shen Monkey	子 Zi Rat	辰 Chen Dragon	宇 Yin Tiger 中 Shen Monkey	午 Wu Horse	丑 Chou Ox 戌 Xu Dog	寅 Yin Tiger 巳 Si Snake	酉 You Rooster	丑 Chou Ox 未 Wei Goat	亥 Hai Pig
Destruction 破	西 You Rooster	辰 Chen Dragon	亥 Hai Pig	午 Wu Horse	£L Chou Ox	身 Shen Monkey	ழ் <b>ர</b> <i>Mao</i> Rabbit	戌 Xu Dog	Si Snake	子 Zi Rat	未 Wei Goat	寅 Yin Tiger
Harm 害	夫 Wei Goat	午 Wu Horse	E Si Snake	辰 Chen Dragon	УГ <i>Mao</i> Rabbit	寅 Yin Tiger	<u>H</u> Chou Ox	子 Zi Rat	亥 Hai Pig	戌 Xu Dog	酉 You Rooster	中 Shen Monkey

## Reference Table: Bazi Ten God 十神

日主	Companion Star		Outpu	ıt Star	Wealth Star		Influence Star		Resource Star	
Day Master	RW	F	НО	EG	DW	IW	DO	7K	DR	IR
Jia Yang Wood	ン Yi Yin Wood	Jia Yang Wood	丁 Ding Yin Fire	丙 Bing Yang Fire	己 Ji Yin Earth	戊 Wu Yang Earth	辛 Xin Yin Metal	庚 Geng Yang Metal	癸 Gui Yin Water	壬 Ren Yang Water
Yi Yin Wood	ず Jia Yang Wood	ン Yi Yin Wood	丙 Bing Yang Fire	丁 Ding Yin Fire	戊 Wu Yang Earth	己 Ji Yin Earth	庚 Geng Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal	士 Ren Yang Water	癸 Gui Yin Water
丙 Bing Yang Fire	丁 Ding Yin Fire	丙 Bing Yang Fire	己 Ji Yin Earth	戊 Wu Yang Earth	辛 Xin Yin Metal	庚 Geng Yang Metal	癸 Gui Yin Water	士 Ren Yang Water	Yi Yin Wood	月 Jia Yang Wood
T Ding Yin Fire	丙 Bing Yang Fire	丁 Ding Yin Fire	戊 Wu Yang Earth	己 Ji Yin Earth	庚 Geng Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal	士 Ren Yang Water	癸 Gui Yin Water	甲 Jia Yang Wood	Yi Yin Wood
戊 Wu Yang Earth	己 Ji Yin Earth	戊 Wu Yang Earth	辛 Xin Yin Metal	庚 Geng Yang Metal	癸 Gui Yin Water	士 Ren Yang Water	ン Yi Yin Wood	ず Jia Yang Wood	丁 Ding Yin Fire	丙 Bing Yang Fire
乙 Ji Yin Earth	戊 Wu Yang Earth	己 Ji Yin Earth	庚 Geng Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal	士 Ren Yang Water	癸 Gui Yin Water	ず Jia Yang Wood	ン Yi Yin Wood	丙 Bing Yang Fire	丁 Ding Yin Fire
庚 Geng Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal	庚 Geng Yang Metal	癸 Gui Yin Water	士 Ren Yang Water	Z Yi Yin Wood	ず Jia Yang Wood	丁 Ding Yin Fire	丙 Bing Yang Fire	己 Ji Yin Earth	戊 Wu Yang Earth
辛 Xin Yin Metal	庚 Geng Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal	士 Ren Yang Water	癸 Gui Yin Water	月 Jia Yang Wood	ン Yi Yin Wood	丙 Bing Yang Fire	丁 Ding Yin Fire	戊 Wu Yang Earth	己 Ji Yin Earth
壬 Ren Yang Water	癸 Gui Yin Water	士 Ren Yang Water	甲 Jia Yang Wood	Yi Yin Wood	丁 Ding Yin Fire	丙 Bing Yang Fire	己 Ji Yin Earth	戊 Wu Yang Earth	辛 Xin Yin Metal	庚 Geng Yang Metal
癸 Gui Yin Water	士 Ren Yang Water	癸 Gui Yin Water	ン Yi Yin Wood	ず Jia Yang Wood	丙 Bing Yang Fire	丁 Ding Yin Fire	戊 Wu Yang Earth	Ji Yin Earth	庚 Geng Yang Metal	辛 Xin Yin Metal

## Reference Table: Abbreviation For Ten Gods 十神

Abbreviation C	Ten Gods 十神			
Companion Star	RW	劫財 Rob Wealth		
Companion star	F	比肩 Friend		
Output Stor	НО	傷官 Hurting Officer		
Output Star	EG	食神 Eating God		
Wealth Star	DW	正財 Direct Wealth		
wearin Star	IW	偏財 Indirect Wealth		
Influence Cton	DO	正官 Direct Officer		
Influence Star	7K	七殺 Seven Killings		
Dogoumoo Ctom	DR	正印 Direct Resource		
Resource Star	IR	偏印 Indirect Resource		

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