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| **Card Name** | **The Hermit (9)** |
| **Yes/No** | No |
| **+/-** | Negative(Negative in all aspects) |
| **Soul** | Wisdom used wrongly, gives unwanted advice, should use knowledge for self-improvement, strength/courage to focus inward, true sanyasi (renunciate) discovers self in solitude but this one interferes with others |
| **Essence/Prediction** | Old wise man with white beard (experience/knowledge) with lantern not looking at his own light - head down in sadness, giving guidance to others instead of self-introspection, sad and alone, people avoid him unlike Hierophant whom people happily accept as guru |
| **Example** | Like person everyone avoids because gives constant unsolicited advice about right/wrong, generational problems, phone usage, standing alone on snow/ice with walking stick in old age, completely deserted despite having knowledge, people change paths seeing him coming to avoid half-hour lectures |
| **Past** | Had knowledge/wisdom but too involved telling others what to do constantly giving unasked suggestions, had depression/sadness from this approach |
| **Present** | Continues giving unwanted advice, people see as interference not guidance, lonely and depressed despite having wisdom, thinks he's showing the right path but others consider it interference |
| **Future** | Will remain alone unless changes approach - strong guidance given to change now before it's too late, loneliness is certain if behavior doesn't change |
| **Health** | Stress, anxiety, loneliness, depression, frustration, mental health issues from isolation, all mental issues present due to being completely avoided |
| **Profession** | Has knowledge but work not progressing, people avoid him, business suffering despite wisdom, everyone escapes to avoid him - what use is such knowledge when work isn't happening? |
| **Relationship** | Alone (even if not divorced), people don't listen, feels isolated despite relationships existing, knows in heart he's completely alone even if not physically separated |
| **Guidance** | Only give advice when asked then it will be valued, use wisdom for self-introspection and spiritual growth, don't give unsolicited advice, have strength and courage to use your wisdom for your own betterment |