≣比19

比吉原筮元永貞无咎不寧方來後夫兇 初六有復比之无咎有復盈缶冬來或池吉 六二□□□□貞吉 六三比之非人 六四外比之貞吉 九五顯比王用三驅失前禽邑人不戒吉 尚六比无首凶

≣比8

比吉原筮元永貞无咎不寧方來後夫凶 初六有孚比之无咎有孚盈缶終來有它吉 六二比之自內貞吉 六三比之匪人 六四外比之貞吉 九五顯比王用三驅失前禽邑人不誠吉 上六比之无首凶

19. BI, "ALLIANCE" 1

Alliance: Auspicious. The original milfoil divination: prime; permanent determination is no trouble. The untranquil land comes; for the latter fellow inauspicious.

Initial Six:

There is a return.2

Ally with him;

there is no trouble.

There is a return;

fill the earthenware;

when winter³ comes perhaps it will be harmful⁴; auspicious.

Six in the Second:

[Ally with him from within]; determination is auspicious.

Six in the Third:

Ally with him the non-human.

Six in the Fourth:

From outside ally with him; determination is auspicious.

Nine in the Fifth:

Lustrously ally.

The king herewith thrice drives (the hunt), losing the front catch; the city men are not warned⁵; auspicious.

Elevated Six:

The ally⁶ does not have a head: inauspicious.