



THE PART OF FORTUNE &

THE PART OF SPIRIT

MAJOR DIFFERENCES



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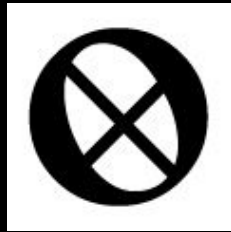
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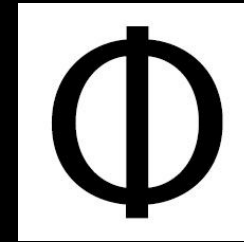
ARABIC PARTS

The most popular Arabic Parts in the modern astrology:

Part of Fortune – Lot of the Moon



Part of Spirit – Lot of the Sun



Both Parts or Lots are sensitive, calculated points that have closest network with the Ascendant, Sun and Moon.

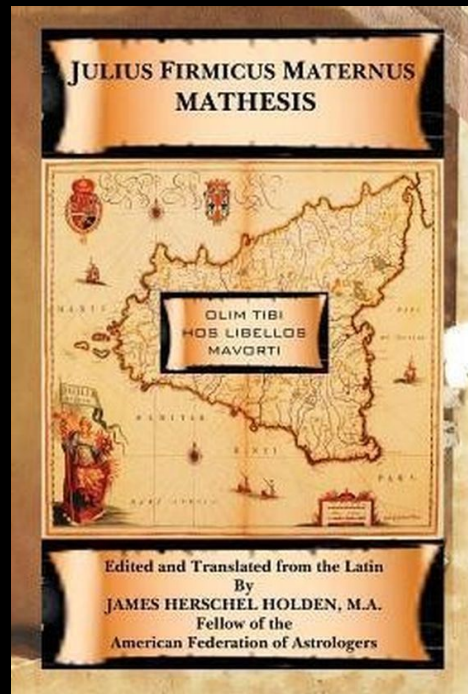
- Ascendant is the starting point of our physical reality.
- The Moon is an inconsistent light that represents our emotions and memories of the past.
- The Sun is a consistent light that defines our inner personality, our potential.

They reveal deepest meaning of the horoscope, which may go beyond the interpretations of the planets, signs and houses.

GRECO-ROMAN OR ARABIC PARTS



According to David Plant the medieval Arab astrologers did not originate, but refined and developed the so-called ‘Arabic Parts’:



*“References to the parts are found in all the major astrological texts that have survived from Greek and Roman times. One such account is given in the Mathesis of **Julius Firmicus Maternus**, written in the 4th century.”*



TYKHE (TYCHE) – GRECO-ROMAN GODDESS OF FORTUNE



- A daughter of Zeus (Jupiter).
- Tykhe was the goddess of fortune, chance, providence and fate. She guided and conducted the affairs of the world.
- A horn of Amalthea or Cornucopia is Tykhe's symbol of the plentiful gifts of fortune.





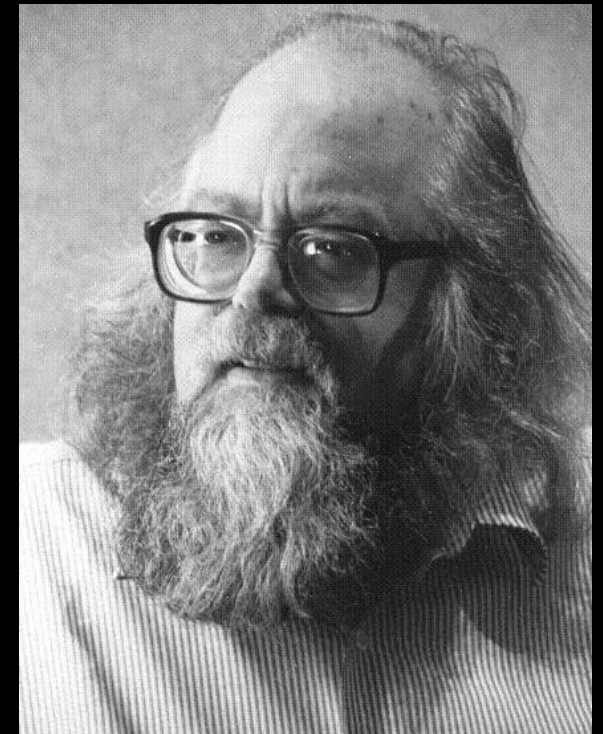
The Part of Fortune indicates:

- **the body and health**
- **prosperity and career**

“The Part of Fortune is used to describe the basic way in which the individual is physically connected with the surrounding world.”

Robert Hand

http://www.astro.com/astrology/in_fortune_e.htm





PART OF FORTUNE



"This part signifies the life, the body, and also its soul, its strength, fortune, substance and profit... it has signification over everything..."

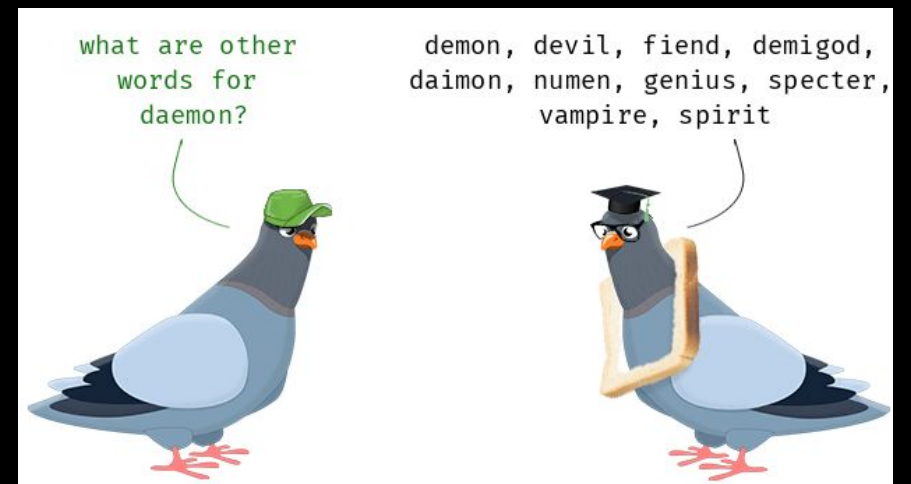
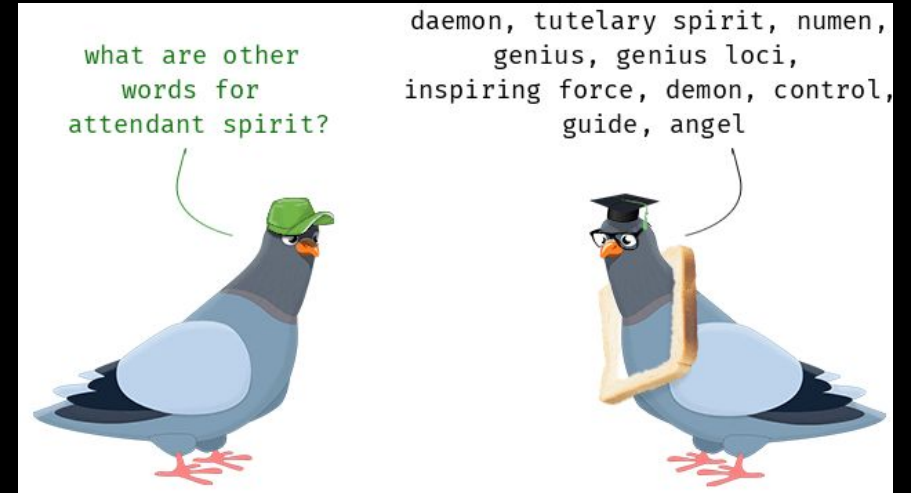
if this part and the luminaries are well-disposed in nativities or revolutions, it will be notably good."

Guido Bonatti



PART OF SPIRIT

- According to ancient Greek astrologers, the **Part of Spirit** (*Greek: daimon*) literally means ‘that which distributes’ or ‘that which distributed’.
- **Diamon or Daemon: An evil supernatural being. Attendant Spirit is a synonym of daemon.**





PART OF SPIRIT IN GRECO-ROMAN MYTHOLOGY

‘PHOS’ = ‘LIGHT’ = ‘PHOEBUS’

The Greek letter ‘**φ**’ /phi/ is the first letter of the Greek word *phos*, which means “light”.

Apollo, byname Phoebus, a god in Greco-Roman mythology. Phoebus means ‘bright’ and connected with the Sun.

Main functions:

- Makes men aware of their own guilt and purified them of it.
- Communicate with mortals through prophets and oracles his knowledge of the future and the will of his father, Zeus-Jupiter.



PART OF SPIRIT - DAIMON
BY DAVID PLANT



“The *daimones* were the ancestral spirits of the family who watched over their descendants,

later they became the *genii*, the **guardian spirits/angels** that guide individuals through life...

Just as it was possible to experience good or evil fortune, so one could be guided by a good or evil genius.”

ARABIC PARTS BY MARIANNE O'HAGAN



“After 2000 interviews, I have come to the conclusion that each and everyone of us is influenced by the Part of Fortune and the Part of Spirit.

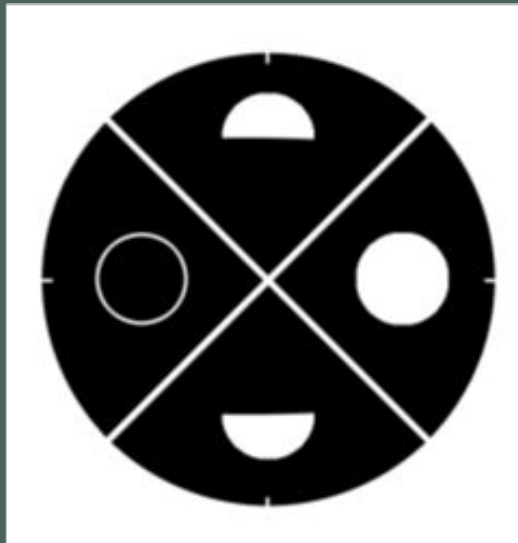
Both parts shape the phases of the moon...

I consider the Part of Fortune and the Part of Spirit have a strong influence over the natal chart by day and night, and they should be taken into consideration when reading the phases of the moon.”

THE PARTS OF FORTUNE & SPIRIT & NETWORK WITH THE MOON CYCLE

New Moon

The Parts of Fortune
& Spirit **conjunct**
the Ascendant



Full Moon

Both parts are in
opposition
to the Ascendant

With a waxing the half-Moon the Part of Fortune will be square the Ascendant below the horizon and the Part of Spirit in opposition above the horizon.

This is reversed with a waning half-Moon.

OPPOSITE CALCULATION FOR BOTH LOTS

DAY VS. NIGHT BIRTH

The Part of Fortune

Diurnal Births: Fortune = Ascendant + Moon – Sun

Nocturnal Births: Fortune = Ascendant + Sun - Moon



The Part of Spirit

Diurnal Births: Part of Spirit = Ascendant + Sun – Moon

Nocturnal Births: Part of Spirit = Ascendant + Moon - Sun

FORTUNE IN THE HOUSE SYSTEM

In Ancient world the houses were counted according to whole signs.

And if the Part of Fortune is in Aquarius, then the whole sign of Aquarius plays the “role” of fortune.

Same rule works for the Part of Spirit.



Hellenistic and Platonic Associations

Part of Fortune

- Concept of darkness;
- The Part of Fortune is Moon energy which is prime energy, the seed of life and childhood condition;
- Your Mother;
- The body & physical matter;
- Shows your wealth & career opportunities;
- Indicates your physiological state: health & illnesses;
- In Latin the 5th and 6th houses are called *Bona Fortuna* and *Mala Fortuna* (good and evil fortune).

Part of Spirit

- Concept of light;
- The Part of Spirit is Sun energy which is the preconscious mind, social awareness and childhood social interaction;
- Your Father;
- The mind and the spiritual matter;
- It is **WILL** directed into the world;
- It gives you signs related to career;
- Indicates psychological state of your mind;
- In Latin the 11th and 12th houses, are *Bonus Spiritus* and *Malus Spiritus* (good and evil genius).

FORTUNE & SPIRIT NETWORK

Fortune provides a 'body' where the Spirit impresses itself into a material form.

The Moon and the Sun energies determine how body/matter will be used for a purpose of the higher mind. The Spirit gives signs of what one does with what one has...

These two lots are very similar to the roles that parents play, since the Sun represents the father (Sun – spirit – action and reputation) and the Moon the mother (Moon – fortune – health and prosperity).



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