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*The Oracle of the Sage of the I
Ching and the Goddess Gaia*

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Your Guide to New and Unexpected Possibilities in 2022

Welcome.

The Almanac of Gaia provides you with a unique and incredible view of what the world might hold for you in 2022. This view comes from the Sage of the I Ching and the mind of the Goddess Gaia.

The I Ching is an ancient and revered guide that the Sage speaks through. Gaia, our Earth Mother, is a living entity that nurtures us all. Her wisdom is life itself. The possibilities that the Sage and Gaia offer may be difficult to discern, but we can use our best efforts to live in harmony with their wisdom and guidance. Consulting this wisdom can assist us in thriving and prospering throughout the year. The year ahead holds promise and the unexpected.

The Almanac of Gaia is not a divination tool that tries to forecast the future of life. It does not provide certainty. Instead, it provides a constant stream of timely, new, and unexpected possibilities.

The Almanac of Gaia uses 52 ancient I Ching hexagrams generated during the most recent Summer Solstice. Based on the I Ching and the wisdom of Gaia, the Almanac is created and released annually to help you explore the possibilities of the coming year uniquely and with a fascinating perspective.

On the Summer Solstice of 2021, an I Ching practitioner did 52 readings, one for each of the coming weeks of the year. While performing the readings, the practitioner focused on two simple

questions: *How will the Life Force currents flow in the coming year in a particular week? How will they offer an opportunity to the children of Gaia?*

The results of these readings are an almanac that gives us the possibilities for each week in 2022. It comes from our planet's consciousness about what the currents of energy and spirit will offer in the coming year. The Oracle then brings counsel and advice for how to deal with these prevailing energies. The readings bring us a set of two I Ching Hexagrams for that week: The Main Influence and the Counsel or Guidance.

With this outlook, all of us can be much more prepared to thrive and prosper using our crystals in ways that augment the positive energies of possibilities that we will experience. Our crystals are also effective for mitigating coming negative influences that could hinder our efforts. We will be prepared better for uncertainties.

Each week we will explore the influences of the currents of life and the changes that are upon us. The answers are not here, but the possibilities will be. Using the Almanac, we will see increases in opportunity, additional paths for parts of our lives, and more possibilities than we ever imagined.

The method is that of the I Ching. The timing is that of the Earth and the Sun. The results are from Gaia's guidance in that readings are taken from indicators directly connected to the Earth. This method allows the spirit of Gaia to dictate the results.

Each week in 2022, we will explore how best to use crystal energies to complement the positive energy and mitigate the negative influences

forecasted in the *Almanac of Gaia*. You will be able to follow along through the newsletter and blog posts from Crystal Vaults and the blogs in the Crystal Inner Circle.


Upcoming blog posts will explain the *Strong Influence* and *Guidance* hexagrams, their meanings, and the opportunities they may suggest for our lives and spirits. They will also focus on the crystal energies and methods that may be helpful.

Join us each week to find the new and unexpected opportunities in your life as the wisdom of Gaia found in the I Ching is explored. What opportunities might the next year hold? Explore the possibilities with us.

Interpreting the Almanac of Gaia


Week One: December 28th, 2020 - Jan 3rd, 2021

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Being Modest

2



Being Receptive

HEXAGRAM 15 TO
HEXAGRAM 2

Changing Lines This Week

FOUR

Changing Lines: Balance between confidence and modesty is key. Even modesty can be overdone. Stay humble while also moving forward towards new opportunities. Remain active and focused on your next goal. Don't use your modesty as an excuse to slack off.

The main hexagram for this week is 15, Being Modest. This is changing to hexagram 2, Being Receptive. This leaves us with the changing line of four this week.

This means that being modest is your focus this week. You may be relishing in your accomplishments or celebrating the achievement of an important goal; however, this hexagram reminds you that an empowered person remains modest- even when enjoying great power and success. It is important this week to stay grounded, despite this period of prosperity.

Although it is good to celebrate our accomplishments, if we do not exercise balance, it can turn into vanity or an inflated sense of self. At the same time hexagram 2 cautions you to not go against your superiors (a boss, manager, etc.) You may be feeling on top of the world, but you must respect those in leadership positions if you wish to get ahead. Be patient and thoughtful. Consider your next move whilst also respecting those around you.

The energy shifting in the Universe this week is focused around hexagram 2. This hexagram is centered around reflecting, obeying, and tireless patience. It also encourages responding wisely to your superiors and colleagues. With these two hexagrams together, it means this week you should remain humble in your accomplishments. Keep moving forward towards the next goal or opportunity. Respect the opinions and positions of those around you, instead of "rubbing it in."

This Week's Cosmic Influences

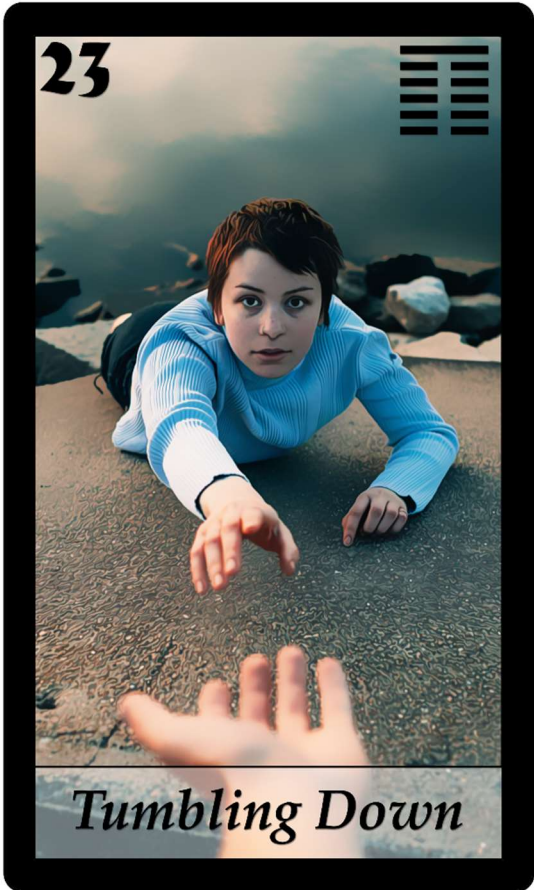
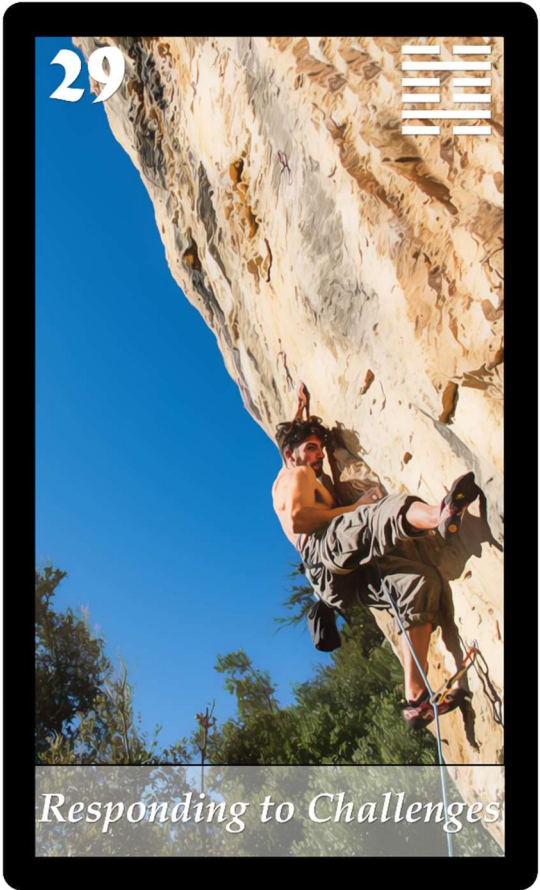
DATE	MANSION OF THE MOON	ZODIAC SIGN	MOON PHASE
December 28th	Mansion of the Free Spirits	Gemini	Waxing Gibbous
December 29th	Mansion of the Lake	Cancer	Full Moon
December 30th	Mansion of the Sea	Cancer	Waning Gibbous
December 31st	Mansion of the Storm	Leo	Waning Gibbous
January 1st	Mansion of the Alchemist	Leo	Waning Gibbous
January 2nd	Mansion of the Red Dragon	Leo → Virgo	Waning Gibbous
January 3rd	Mansion of the Valley	Virgo	Waning Gibbous

- 1. Strong Energy Hexagram.** This is the main hexagram for the week as created with the silver coins on the Summer Solstice. The number of the hexagram is in the upper left corner. The name of the hexagram is at the bottom. This is the hexagram of the prevailing energy and challenges of the week. Essentially it is the “cosmic energy weather” that can be expected.
- 2. Guidance Hexagram.** This is the hexagram that results from any changing lines that were generated when the primary hexagram was thrown. This hexagram is your guide to dealing with the challenges in your life this week. The Oracle is here to advise you on how to take advantage of the ebbs and flows of the Life Force. The advice in this hexagram is the guidance you should consider as you deal with life this week.
- 3. Changing Lines.** This is the explanation of the changing lines that create the Guidance Hexagram. Each changing line has its own

meaning that is important to understanding the advice of the Oracle.

Note: In creating the hexagram, three coins are tossed six times to create six lines. The result can be static yin or yang lines or changing yin or yang lines. See the appendix for further details. Basically, the second hexagram is created by taking the unchanged lines and changing the changing lines from yin to yang or yang to yin as indicated by the coin toss.

4. **The Explanation.** The interpretation and commentary on the week by the author.
5. **The Cosmic Influences.** The Mansions of the Moon for the week. See the Mansions of the Moon section for details.



HEXAGRAM 29 TO
HEXAGRAM 23

Changing Lines This Week

ONE, TWO, FIVE

Changing Line 1: While you should be flexible, don't overstretch yourself. Set healthy boundaries for yourself.

Changing Line 2: Be mindful. Weigh your options and don't be hasty in making a decision.

Changing Line 5: Go with the flow, instead of maximizing your efforts. Time will determine your success.

The main hexagram for this week is 29, Responding to Challenges. This is changing to hexagram 23, Tumbling Down. This leaves us with the changing lines of one, two, and five. This week, you should be focused on responding to challenges using Hexagram 23, Tumbling Down, to guide you on this journey. Hexagram 29, Responding to Challenges, focuses on resourcefulness, flexibility, and innovation. Now is the time to tackle problematic situations with thoughtful action.

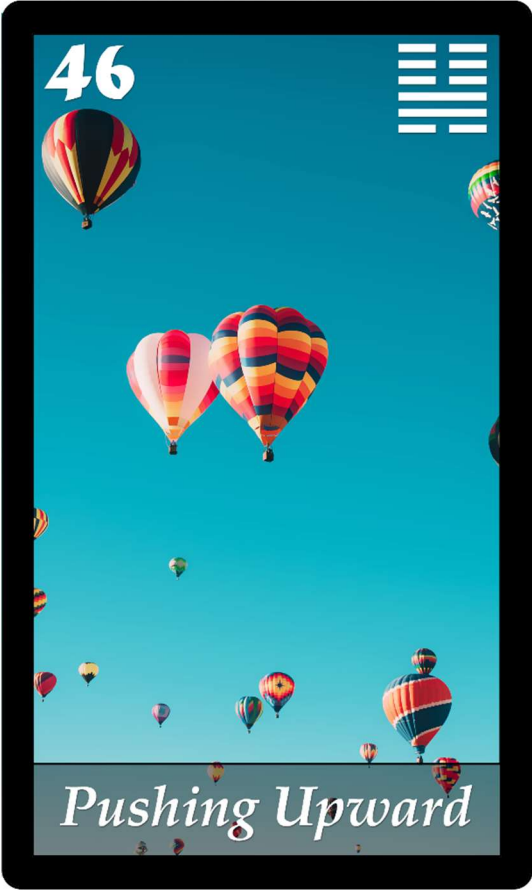
Although it can be difficult to stay calm in high-stress situations, it is necessary at this time to stay composed in order to achieve your goals. Like the ever-changing and evolving universe, we must learn to adapt to the unexpected challenges of life. In this current moment, it is important to be level-headed and mindful of your obstacles, swiftly calculating what your next move will be.

Hexagram 23, as our guidance card, tells us that, if a situation becomes too stressful, it is okay to refuse the challenge. If you are not in the right mindset or if you lack the motivation necessary to complete the task at hand, it may be better to take a break or just abandon the effort all together. Hexagram 23 tells us that a wise, empowered person knows when a situation is beyond their capabilities. They have the wisdom to “move out of an unrepairable, decrepit house before the walls cave in.”

This Week’s Cosmic Influences

DATE	MANSION OF THE MOON	ZODIAC SIGN	MOON PHASE
December 27th	Mansion of the Snows	Libra	Waning Crescent
December 28th	Mansion of the Stream	Scorpio	Waning Crescent
December 29th	Mansion of Steam	Scorpio	Waning Crescent
December 30th	Mansion of the Flame of Passion	Sagittarius	Waning Crescent
December 31st	Mansion of the Aurora	Sagittarius	Waning Crescent
January 1st	Mansion of the Desert	Capricorn	Waning Crescent
January 2nd	Mansion of Trees	Capricorn	New Moon

HEXAGRAM	CRYSTALS TO USE
29 Responding to Challenges	Prehnite, Peridot, Citrine, Pyrite, Amethyst, Cacoxenite, Super Seven
23 Tumbling Down	Malachite, Green Jasper, Prehnite, Peridot, Larimar, Amazonite



HEXAGRAM 18 TO
HEXAGRAM 46

Changing Lines This Week

ONE

Changing Line 1: Things may seem worse than they really are due to someone ignorantly repeating mistakes of the past. Instead of wasting time assigning blame, try to focus on breaking the cycle.

The main hexagram for this week is 18, Correcting Mistakes. The challenge presented by Hexagram 18 is being guided by our second card, Hexagram 46, Pushing Upward. We have a changing line of one this week.

This means that correcting mistakes is your focus this week. Hexagram 18 focuses on correction, rectification, revision, or a change of heart. Now is the time to put your pride and stubbornness aside and admit to your shortcomings. We can't correct something that we are unwilling to acknowledge, so we must make that first step in order to set things right. Commit yourself to improvement and change by rectifying your mistakes.

Hexagram 40, Pushing Upward is our guidance card this week. This means that you must put in the effort to correct your mistakes. Now is the time for struggle, work, and diligence, but also steady growth and progress. Diligently work towards your objective of correcting bad habits- taking it step-by-step, day-by-day. Set small attainable goals that bring you gradually closer to the changes that you seek.

With a changing line of one, you are also reminded to focus on breaking bad habits- mistakes that you seem to making over and over again. Instead of redirecting the blame, take responsibility and focus your energy on changing these negative patterns. Let go of the past and 'push upward' towards the future.

This Week’s Cosmic Influences

DATE	MANSION OF THE MOON	ZODIAC SIGN	MOON PHASE
January 3rd	Mansion of the Wind	Aquarius	Waxing Crescent
January 4th	Mansion of Breath	Aquarius	Waxing Crescent
January 5th	Mansion of the Waves	Pisces	Waxing Crescent
January 6th	Mansion of the Bridge	Pisces	Waxing Crescent
January 7th	Mansion of the River	Pisces	Waxing Crescent
January 8th	Mansion of the Sacred Flame	Aries	Waxing Crescent
January 9th	Mansion of the Hearth	Aries	First Quarter Moon

HEXAGRAM	CRYSTALS TO USE
18 Correcting Mistakes	Chrysocolla, Amazonite, Smoky Quartz, Aragonite, Prehnite, Peridot
46 Pushing Upward	Azurite, Lapis Lazuli, Garnet, Red Jasper, Fire Quartz, Ruby