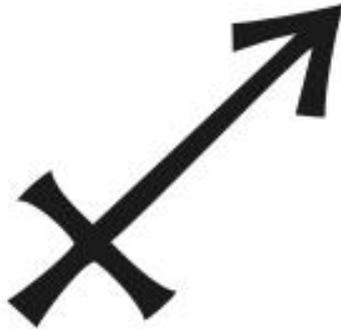

SAGITTARIUS

An Astrological Peek

Pyreus



Sagittarius



23rd November – 22nd December

Element **Fire** ~ Quality **Mutable**

Charge **Positive** ~ Ruling Planet **Jupiter** ~ Day **Thursday**

Sagittarius, the Archer in the *divine heavens*, is the *ninth sign* of the zodiac and is ruled by **Jupiter**, the fabulous planetary archetype of *fortune, good luck* and *generosity*. In mythology, Jupiter (**Jove**) is the king of the Gods and rules the *sky* and *thunder*. He is also **Zeus**, from the Greek pantheon.

Sagittarius is an *adventurous* and *masculine fire sign* that governs matters of the **higher Self** and *mind*, breathing fresh flow of *passion and optimism* for the Beholder of experience. Individuals born into the house of the Archer are *fun loving, generous* and *extremely friendly* who enjoy learning life's lessons through direct and personal experience, which *enriches* the path of the Spirit.

Persons of Sagittarius enjoy following *cultural pursuits* and are great communicators, with an *open heart* and a *terrific sense of humour*, who see the lighter side of life in all situations. They have a deep need to be **cuddled** and touched and value *emotional support*. Their energy bubbles with *enthusiasm*.

Sagittarians thoroughly enjoy life in all forms and value the trials and tribulations that are expressed through the *synthesis* of art and form. They have great **spiritual integrity**, enjoy *physically challenging endeavours* and love taking risks as these bring *fresh insight* to the journey of Life.

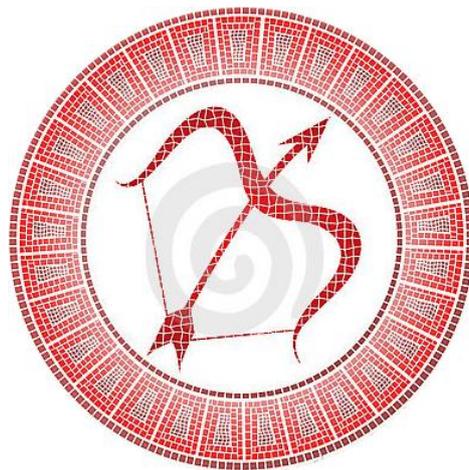
At times, persons of the fiery Bow are *restless*, dislike any *external authority*, have a tendency to *speak before thinking* and are *brazenly direct* in their communications approach. Because Sagittarius is a **dual sign**, then individuals experience the *ups and downs* of life more acutely.

Sagittarians love *creative expressions* with *music, art, dance* and *drama* being favourable on their list and they have *considerable talents* with these forms.

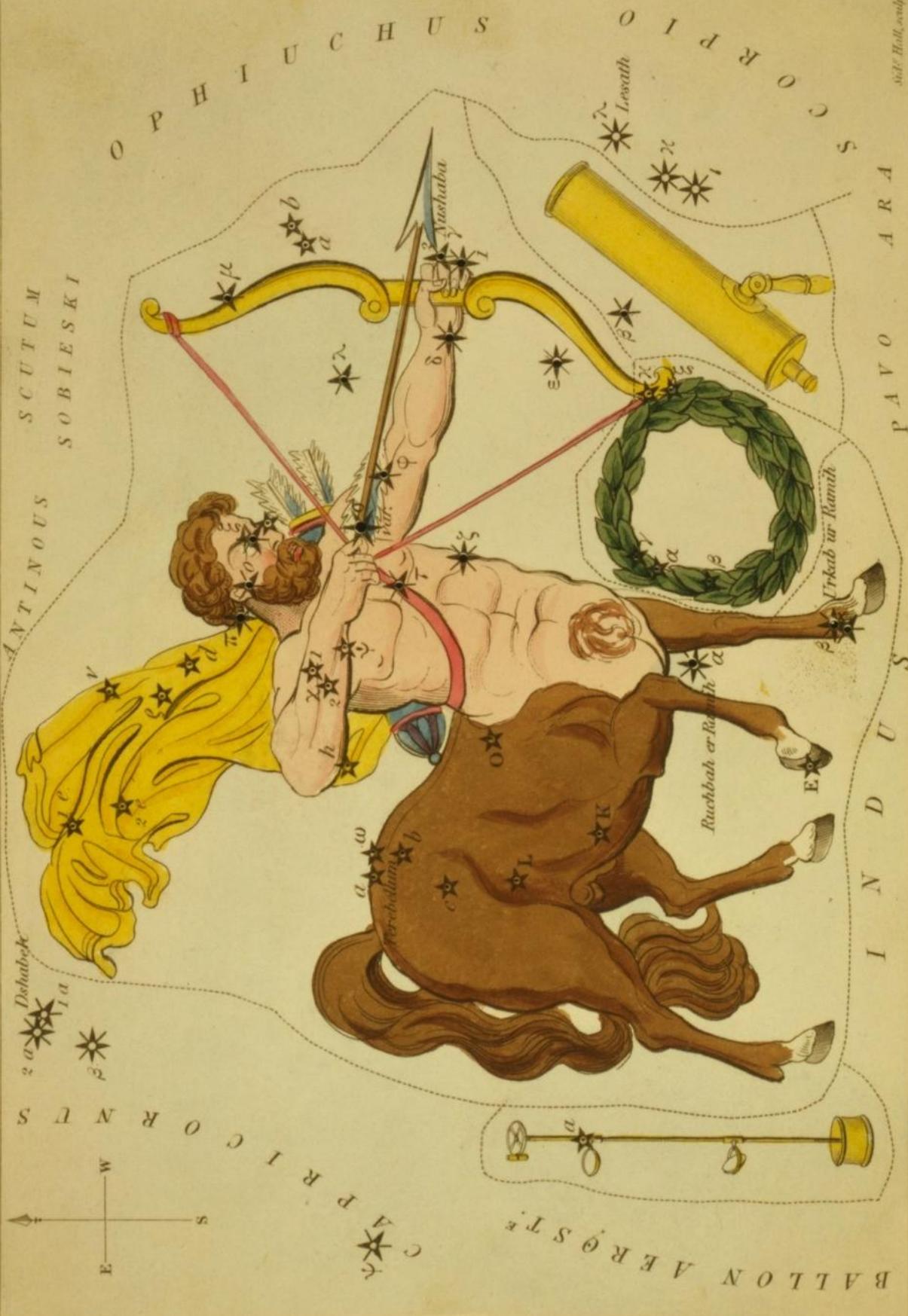
Sagittarius rules the *thighs, hips* and *feet* with colours being *maroon, tan, navy, orange* and *cobalt blue*. Gemstones associated with the Archer are *ruby* and *turquoise*. Flowers which personify Sagittarius are large blooms such as *huge mums, hydrangeas, dahlias* and *peonies*.

In Greek mythology, Sagittarius is the **Centaur**, who symbolizes the search for *truth and knowledge*. The Centaur **Chiron** was the son of *Philyra* and *Saturn*, who was said to have changed himself into a horse to escape his jealous wife, *Rhea*. Chiron was then immortalized as the constellation of **Centaurus**.

The Babylonians identified Sagittarius as the god **Pabilsag**. He is depicted with wings, two heads, one *panther* and one *human*, as well as a scorpion's stinger raised above a horse's tail. The name is composed of two elements; **Pabil**, meaning '*elder paternal kinsman*' and **Sag**, meaning '*chief head*.' The arrow of this constellation points towards the bright star **Antares** which is known as the "*heart of the scorpion*."



SAGITTARIUS AND CORONA AUSTRALIS.



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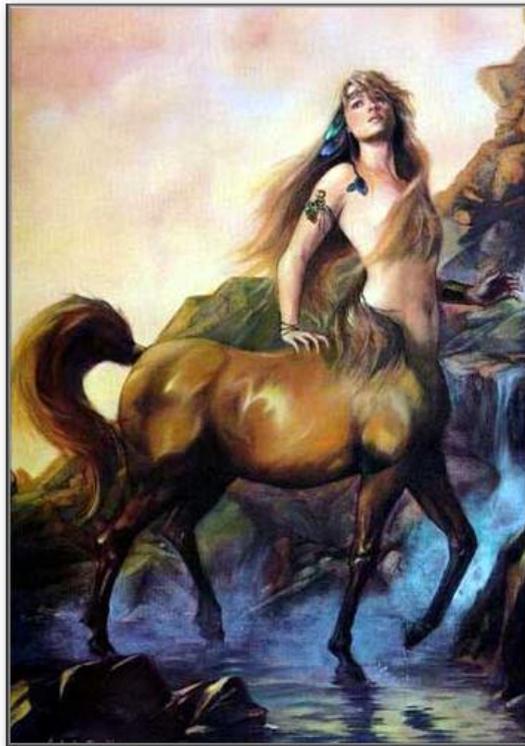
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