



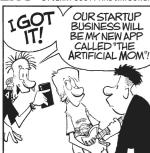
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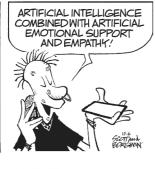






ZITS BY JERRY SCOTT AND JIM BORGMAN







YOUR DAILY HOROSCOPE FROM GEORGIA NICOLS

are no restrictions to shopping or import-

ant decisions. The Full Moon in ARIES

The day ahead: $\star\star\star\star\star$ = Dynamic; $\star\star\star\star$ = Positive; $\star\star\star$ = Average; $\star\star$ = So-so; \star = Difficult

Moon Alert: After 1 a.m. EDT today, there

peaks at 11:48 a.m. EDT today (8:48 p.m. PDT) ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★ Today the only Full Moon in your sign all year is taking place, which can create difficulties when dealing with those who are closest to you, especially spouses, partners and close friends. ARIES energy is feisty (you

know this), and the Full Moon can trigger

impatience in anyone. Stay frosty.

night: You win! TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★ Make an extra effort to be patient with work colleagues, as well as people in the medical or care profession who might be helping you. Be patient with issues related to your pet. These are all areas where today's Full Moon could trigger regrettable remarks. Tonight: Enjoy solitude.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★ Parents must be patient with their kids today, especially if dealing with hissy fits and meltdowns. Romantic relationships also might be rocky today due to the polarized energy of the Full Moon. Get busy at work or entertain at home -- both good options. Tonight: Be friendly.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★ Steer clear of arguments with parents and family members today. They will be dispiriting and pointless. You are a Moon Child because the Moon is your ruler. Today the Full Moon is at odds with your sign, challenging interactions with authority figures and family members. Know this. Tonight: You're noticed.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ Pay attention to everything you say and do today, because this is an accident-prone day for you. An accident doesn't have to happen; however, today's Full Moon could provoke thoughtless responses, impulsive actions and distractions that lead to regrets. Be mindful. Tonight: Explore!

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★ Don't get your belly in a rash about financial discussions or disputes today, which might arise due to the energy of the Full Moon. Problems tend to intensify before every Full Moon peaks, then afterward, these same problems diminish and sometimes disappear. Tonight: Check your finances.

.IBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★ Your closest relationships will be challenging today because the Full Moon is directly opposite your sign. (This is the only day all year this occurs.) Knowing this, be gentle in your judgment of others. Don't react if you feel offended. Be easygoing and understand-

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

For Monday, Oct. 6, 2025:

You are an optimist with a great zest for life. You're also intellectually curious. Take time to renew your spiritual or religious beliefs. This is a time of learning. Explore philosophies that give you a better self-awareness and get you closer to the true meaning of your life.

BORN TODAY

Olivia Thirlby (1986), actor loan Gruffudd (1973)

Actress Elizabeth Shue (1963), actress

ing, for your own peace of mind. Tonight:

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★ Both Mercury and fiery Mars are in your sign pushing you to speak up and be aggressive. However, today's Full Moon might create conflict at work or with something going on behind the scenes. Whatever the case, zip thy lip. Demonstrate grace under pressure. Tonight: Work.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★ If involved in social situations, sports events, competitions or dealing with friends and groups, remind yourself to be patient when dealing with others, because the Full Moon today can trigger conflict or sharp words. Today is the day to go along to get along. Tonight: Socialize!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★ Steer clear of arguments with authority figures today (parents, bosses, teachers and the police). People will be quick to anger. Today's Full Moon will tend to heighten everyone's emotions and blow things out of proportion. You don't need this. Walk in the other direction. Tonight: Relax at

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★ Be aware a mildly accident-prone day for you because of the Full Moon energy. Think before you speak or act. Don't do anything you will later regret. Keep your cool, especially when talking to authority figures. Tonight: Interesting conversations. **PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★ You might

experience some financial challenges or disputes today because of the Full Moon. These could relate to shared property. taxes, debt, inheritances or anything that is jointly held. Establish boundaries and be clear about expectations. Be smart. Tonight: Check your belongings.

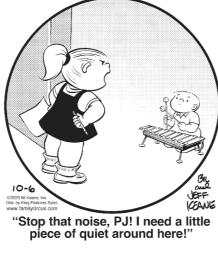
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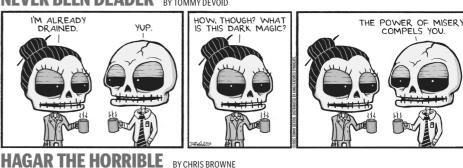


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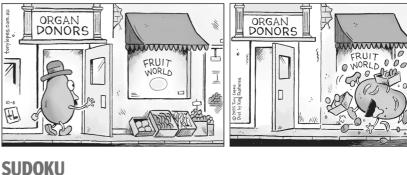


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Difficulty: ★

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33 Italian cheese

34 Tournament

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39 Chinese dynasty

40 Jail for a sailor

43 Common verb

44 Fit fiddle

45 Stitch **46** — Diego

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