



How to use Mystic Dials™

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For the Mystical Game Equipment



About Mystic Dials™

Since the days of the cave man, men have been curious about the future, and what it held for them. Early man developed several systems by which he believed he could predict the future, and every tribe or community had its oracle, or prophet, who advised the tribe's leaders. Often, these oracles were gifted women, who were astonishingly accurate in their predictions.

Later, the Chaldeans, a nomadic race which inhabited what is now known as Arabia, noticed that the stars and planets moved along fixed lines, and they also noticed that the stars moved together in patterns, or constellations. The Chaldeans drew maps of the stars' paths; they observed that the constellations made a complete circle as they traveled, and that the circle was completed in three hundred and sixty-five days.

The map of constellations extending around the celestial sphere is called the Zodiac, and this is the basis of Astrology, which is the oldest known science. Astrology divides the Zodiac into twelve parts, each with a separate name and sign. Through Astrology, advice and guidance can be obtained by observing the positions of the stars and planets at any given time.

Playing cards are closely linked with Astrology. In the early days, cards were used entirely for fortune-telling, as there was no such thing as a game to be played with the cards. Just as there are twelve signs of the Zodiac, and twelve months in a year, there are fifty-two cards in the deck, representing fifty-two weeks, and four suits of cards, just as there are four seasons in a year.

The origin of the Dials

Both Astrology and playing cards are important in the working of Mystic Dials™. The secret of the Dials has been in one family for many generations. Originally, the system consisted of carved letters and figures on long, straight pieces of wood, similar to a slide rule. Later, the figures were carved on circular blocks of graduated sizes, pegged together on a large base called the Celestial Sphere. The present version has been carefully adapted from the earlier versions.

While questions answered and fortunes forecast by the use of these Dials have proved correct in many instances, the Mystic Dials™ are not infallible. No system or formula in this field is infallible, but surprise and many hours of pleasure are in store for those who use Mystic Dials™.

How to operate the Dials

The largest of the Mystic Dials™, or Dial No. 1, contains the twelve signs of the Zodiac, with the twelve months of the year beneath the signs. The dates of the twelve different months are next, arranged in fifty-two sections. On Dial 2 appear the four suits of thirteen cards, with one card to each of the fifty-two weeks of the year. On the outer edge of the third Dial appear red and black checks; a red check means yes, while a black check signifies no. Dial number 4 is the cover dial.

The North Star

The North Star always remains in the same position, and around this star the whole vault of the heavens seems to be pivoted. The North Star provides a fixed reference point in setting the Dials.



Type cards

Queen of

Diamonds.....Lady, light complexion
Queen of Spades.....Lady, dark complexion
Queen of Hearts.....Girl, light complexion
Queen of Clubs.....Girl, dark complexion
King of

Diamonds.....Man, light complexion
King of Spades.....Man, dark complexion
King of Hearts.....Boy, light complexion
King of Clubs.....Boy, dark complexion

Answering questions

First, have the question correctly worded in your mind. Set Dial No. 1, the largest, with the date of your birth directly under the North Star. Then, turn and set Dial No. 2 with your type card directly under today's date on the No. 1 Dial. Now find your Birth Number by adding the date of the month and the number of the month of your birth. For example, if you were born on the 26th day of the first month, your Birth Number would be 27. From a well-shuffled deck of cards, deal off this number of cards, turning the last one face up. The symbol of this card will be on Dial No. 2.

Now, holding the first two dials in place, so that they do not rotate, turn Dial No. 3 to a position where your birth date on the No. 3 Dial is directly under the playing card symbol which represents the card you turned up. If the card you had turned up had been the three of clubs, and your birth date is June 10th, you would turn Dial No. 3 to a position where June 10th would be opposite the three of clubs on Dial No. 2. Now look under the North Star; if a red check on Dial No. 3 is under the North Star, then the answer to your



question is yes. If a black check appears, it is no.

Thought for the day

Set Dial No. 1 with today's date number under the North Star. Set Dial No. 2 with your type card directly under the star and today's date. Find today's Date Number by adding the date of the month to the number of the month; then, deal off this many cards from a well-shuffled deck, turning the last card face up. Turn Dial No. 3 to a position where your birth date on this dial is under the symbol of the playing card you turned up, as it appears on Dial No. 2. Holding all dials in place, turn the Cover Dial, with its window, to a position where the window points directly to the North Star. Through the window you can read your thought for today's consideration and guidance.

Fortune telling

Set Dial No. 1 with the date of your birth directly under the North Star. Find today's Date Number by adding the date of the month and the number of the month, and deal off this number of cards from a well-shuffled deck, turning the last card up. Set Dial No. 2 so that the symbol of the card you turned up is under the North Star. Hold these two dials in place, and set Dial No. 3 so that today's date on this dial is opposite or under today's date on Dial No. 1. You will see that the dates on Dial No. 1 and Dial No. 3 are now matched up all around. On a slip of paper, write down the card which is now in line between today's date on Dial No. 1 and today's date on Dial No. 3. Also, write down the cards which appear between the corresponding dates of today's date in the next five months. That is, if today is the



eighth, write down the cards which appear between the eighth day on both dials for the next five months.

You will have six cards in all, giving you a six-month forecast of your future. The meanings of the cards can be found in the following table.

Explanation of cards

♥ Hearts

Ace—A strange but delightful romance, new clothes and a short period of traveling.

King—A dark person's affections, which if returned, will bring you future happiness.

Queen—The present love is true and constant, forsake it not.

Jack—Beware of a certain gay person who thinks only of pleasure.

Ten—You love someone who is not sincere. Trouble caused by carelessness.

Nine—A marriage late in life. New friends and a change of residence.

Eight—Watch with whom you associate. Someone you love is judging you by your company.

Seven—A fair person's affections, but indifference on your part.

Six—The renewal of an old love. Also unexpected good fortune.

Five—A person you never met, but have seen, is greatly interested in you.

Four—A startling but happy romance and adventure, that may also lead to fame and wealth.

Three—You will be more than once married.

Two—Take the trip you have in mind. It will have a very happy ending.

♦ Diamonds

Ace—Your first judgment is usually your best. Get more facts before deciding present problem.

King—This is not your year for new enterprise. Avoid additional debt.

Queen—This will be your year for joyful tidings. Good news from where you least expect it.

Jack—Trouble ahead. Lawsuits and disagree-



ments, unless you take the advice of your true friends.

Ten—Take little heed of a rumor soon to reach you. Be your own judge in this matter.

Nine—You will obtain the opportunity you wish for through the help of a relative.

Eight—For success in your present plans think for yourself.

Seven—What you desire will come true if you keep thinking of it, work for it and have faith.

Six—You will soon be required to make an important decision. Consult the "Dials" for answer.

Five—You will mortgage or pledge some property soon. Consult "Dials" by asking proper question.

Four—Wealth and tranquility of mind. Large success in your present undertaking.

Three—Have faith and you will soon recover what you thought lost.

Two—Something you thought lost or stolen will be found in a surprising place.

♠ Spades

Ace—You have much to live for. A certain happy work will soon be offered you.

King—The misfortune suffered recently, will fast fade into a long period of health and happiness.

Queen—You have an enemy, who will endeavor to make you unhappy.

Jack—Guard against scandal, or you will suffer by your inattention.

Ten—Be watchful; there are associates who would hurt you.

Nine—A selfish woman abandoned by her friends, seeks to mislead you.

Eight—An occupation in which you will wear a uniform with much pride.

Seven—A quarrel with a friend. The ill one will soon recover.

Six—In answer to your desire for a certain opportunity, you will soon receive news by letter.

Five—The adventure you have in mind holds rich promise, but act alone.

Four—You will soon be asked for assistance. Give it. It will bring good luck.

Three—An old friend will soon visit you. Beware of a false promise.



Two—Be prepared for a journey that will take you away for many days.

♣ Clubs

Ace—Upright and faithful, with great power for doing good if you use it correctly.

King—There is still time to make up for what you think was a slight or neglect of loved one.

Queen—A generous, mild and rather amorous disposition with a gift for making others happy.

Jack—Too steady an adherence to your own way of thinking. Be more considerate of others.

Ten—Remain among friends for your happiness. No gain to be made by leaving.

Nine—You need a change. Adopt a hobby that will give you other interests.

Eight—You have certain talents you should develop. Success when you do.

Seven—A warning against speculation and gambling. Be on guard for a covetous person.

Six—Be more considerate of those who depend upon you.

Five—You are not one that can be intemperate. Guard against over indulgence in all things.

Four—You have other obligations that should come before present desires.

Three—Regret unless you mend your ways. Trouble caused by envy and jealousy.

Two—A bad temper needs correcting.

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