

What's On

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By Jacqueline Bigar

Happy birthday for Tuesday, November 3, 2015: This year you tend to be quite dramatic, and as a result, you attract the attention of others. Your presentation exudes sensuality and mystery, which might explain people's interest. Your creativity soars as it rarely has before. If you are single, others find you to be original. Understand what you want from a bond, and then you will know which person to choose. If you are attached, your sweetie is just as desirable as you are. This person often serves as a muse for you. You love LEO and his or her strength.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.

Capricorn - (Dec 22 - Jan 19)

***** One-on-one relating might not evoke the immediate results you desire. You could

decide to approach a situation differently, as what you have been doing isn't working. Being innovative will keep others on edge, and it also will provide different answers. Tonight: Just be yourself.

Aquarius - (Jan 20 - Feb 18)

*** Others will make it close to impossible to complete an important project. You simply might need to ignore the phone or cut a conversation short. However, if a distraction comes along, you could feel as if you have little choice but to say "yes." Tonight: At a favorite place.

Pisces - (Feb 19 - Mar 20)

**** You have a dreamy, emotional tone to your interactions right now. You might be having a difficult time staying present in the moment or believing that anything is really important. Let go of whatever is occupying your mind for now. Tonight: Try for an early

bedtime.

Aries - (Mar 21 - Apr 19)

**** Your instincts might conflict with a creative project. You'll want to slow down until you figure out which voice to listen to. You could get feedback from someone you would prefer not to hear from. Listen before you respond. Tonight: Handle what you must, then let the fun begin.

Taurus - (Apr 20 - May 20)

*** You could feel as if someone's demands are out of whack. Rather than react, try to detach and work on seeing the big picture. You might not be hopeful about achieving a heartfelt desire, but you'll try anyway. Tonight: Reveal more of what you feel without getting angry.

Gemini - (May 21 - June 20)

**** Your hectic pace might not please someone who doesn't see you clearly. Emotional extremes could come out when dealing with this person. Take your time with a project, as you'll want it to be as good as you can make it. Tonight: Speak your mind.

Cancer - (June 21 - July 22)

*** Be aware of the costs of continuing as you have been. Fatigue could make you more reactive than normal. Verbalize what is going on with you, and accept your limits. Someone at a distance will do whatever he or she can to inspire you. Tonight: Pay bills first.

Leo - (July 23 - Aug 22)

**** You might be greeting the day with a big smile. A family member might try a power play to get what he or she wants. An associate could decide to do something the way he or she wants it to be done. Be ready to take evasive

action. Tonight: Surprising news makes its way to you.

Virgo - (Aug 23 - Sept 22):

*** You have a lot going for you. You have been feeling more fortunate in the past few days. The smart move at this point is to allow others to take the lead. You need to be more observant. A friend's feelings seem intense and nearly overwhelming. Tonight: Make it personal.

Libra - (Sept 23 - Oct 22)

**** You know exactly what to do, even if a haze of confusion seems to sift through the air. Reconsider a decision. You might pull a dear friend a lot closer to you. This person has an unpredictable quality to his or her behavior; make it OK to enjoy this. Tonight: Out late.

Scorpio - (Oct 23 - Nov 21)

*** You'll need to test out an assumption before you work with it. Reach out to an associate with whom you can brainstorm. This person could be particularly challenging when you share what is on your mind. You might be more emotional than you realize. Tonight: Take a walk.

Sagittarius - (Nov 22 - Dec 21)

*** Take a risk that you have been considering. You won't know the results of this choice until you throw yourself into it. Make sure you can handle the outcome if your plan falls apart. A friend will be emotional yet supportive. Tonight: Be aware of an authority figure's observations.

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Born today: Singer/actress Lulu (1948), actress Roseanne Barr (1952), comedian Dennis Miller (1953)

home decor



string texture art

Supplies: Canvas; string; glue; acrylic paint.
Instructions:

Drip the string in the glue and using one hand to squeeze out the excess, stick the string to the canvas. Spread the string throughout the canvas. Allow it to dry completely. Now paint the canvas, give it 2 to 3 coats. The strings give the canvas a beautiful texture.

indoor gardening



cymbidium aloifolium

Cymbidium aloifolium blooms on a pendant inflorescence with up to 75 flowers. Flowers are 4.25 cm wide with red stripes on petals and sepal. The plant produces four to five leaves per growth. The leaves are tough and belt-shaped and reach lengths of 16 in / 40 cm.

Site: Plant should be grown in intermediate to warm areas with medium to bright light.

Temperature: Need a temperature as low as 50-54°F or 10-12°C in winter.

Water: Plant prefers dry periods between watering. Reduce watering during the winter.

beauty tips



homemade lip stain

Cut up a beet root into pieces out on a paper towel and set them aside for one to two days until they are completely dry to the touch. Place 1 to 2 tbsp. of the dried beet pieces onto a plate or cutting board and use the back of a spoon to crush them into a fine powder. Set the powder aside. Hold a kitchen grater over a pan and grate a piece of beeswax until you have 1 tbsp. in the pan. Add 1/8 to 1 tsp. of the beet powder to the pan and add 2 tbsp. of either sunflower, almond or walnut oil. Stir the mixture well with a spoon and place the pan on a stove burner turned to low. Stir the mixture constantly until it melts. Remove it from the burner. Allow the mixture to cool to room temperature. Pour it into a small container with a lid. Insert a lip brush into the lip stain and apply it to your lips just as you do lip gloss.

taste buds



tex-mex chili

Ingredients:

1 pound ground beef, browned
1 15-oz can hot chili beans
1 15-1/2 oz. can kidney beans
1 12-oz jar salsa
1 1-1/4 oz pkg chili seasoning mix

Method:

Combine all the ingredients together in a large stockpot; add 1/2 to one cup water. Bring to a boil over medium heat; reduce heat and simmer for 10 to 15 minutes.

Dear Abby

Open-minded person 'edits' some old friends

By Abigail Van Buren

Dear Abby: My friendships have always included people of different races, religions, nationalities, sexual orientations, professions, etc. A few years ago, I had an experience that was both devastating and humbling on several different levels. It caused me to do a lot of introspection and self-improvement, which led to my becoming a more empathetic person.



Abigail Van Buren

Over the last few years, I have distanced myself from old friends and acquaintances who were racist, sexist, homophobic, etc. I have replaced them with new relationships with people who embrace diversity. Some of the people I no longer see ask me why we don't talk or get together anymore. I don't want to give them excuses like, "I've been too busy." How do I explain to them that I don't enjoy associating with people who hold bigoted views?

— Open-minded in The Midwest

Dear open-minded: Because you no longer wish to associate with them, why not just respond with the truth? Say: "As you may know, I had an experience a few years ago that was life-changing. It made me re-evaluate my life and my relationships, so I decided to 'edit' them down and spend more time with people who think the way I do about life."

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Dear Abby: I am a middle-aged man who lost my wife to cancer 2-1/2 years ago. We had no children.

I'm now feeling very alone. I don't seem to fit in anywhere. My old "guy" friends avoid me, and our married "couple" friends leave me out because I am not a couple anymore. I understand that, because they all do "couple" things. But even my family seems to have set me aside. When my wife was alive, we would be invited to my siblings' homes for dinners during the holidays and other times. Now I often don't even get a phone call.

There are times I feel like I have been cast off by everyone. Please help, Abby.

— Lonely Kansan

Dear lonely Kansan: I'll try. With most married couples, the wives are the ones who make the social plans. This may be why you aren't hearing from your "couple" friends. Why your family would choose to exclude you at a time when you need them is something I can't explain. But they may tell you if you pick up the phone and talk to them about it.

Because you find you have time on your hands and no prospects, it's time to establish yourself as an eligible single male. Reach out to singles groups in your area. Go online and put your profile on some of the singles sites. Get involved in volunteer activities. Join a dance class, a yoga class, a gym. There are plenty of women out there waiting to be found, but you won't find any of them sitting home waiting for the phone to ring.

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what's on today

Site for checking travel ban www.kuwaitcourts.gov.kw/mojweb/NGeneral/Main.jsp

emergency number 112

Civil ID info: 1889988

■ **TIES Center events:** TIES Center announces following events – Tajweed and Recitation: Learn and practice the art of reciting the Holy Quran (tajweed). The instructor will also answer questions related to the meaning of the Arabic words and verses.

Every Sunday & Tuesday @ 10 – 11:30am; every Monday @ 5 – 6:30pm.

The TIES Center is the social and educational hub for English Speaking expats in Kuwait. For more information, please call 25231015 or e-mail info@tiescenter.net or visit www.tiescenter.net.

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■ **IPC Islamic Courses registration:** "Say: O my Lord, let me grow in knowledge". IPC is offering Islamic courses in English (for ladies only). Muslims and non-Muslims are welcome.

1. Tilawa Surah Ar-Rad and Surah Ibrahim — Sundays at 5:30-7:00 pm; 2. Principles of Tafsir (part 2) - Sundays at 7:00-8:30 pm; 3. Tajweed 3 - Tuesday, at 5:30-7:00 pm; 4. Jesus in Surah Mariam (part 2) - Tuesdays at 7:00-8:30 pm.

Instructor: Sr Zeinab Hassan Ashry
Place: IPC - Women Section Al-Rawdah, Area 3, Street 30, House 12, opp 4th Ring Road.

Email: ipc_sch@yahoo.com, Telephone: 22512257.

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■ **Redeemed Christian Church:** The Redeemed Christian Church of God (HOD Parish) worship in English.

Celebration Service: Friday 9 am – 11 am; Divine encounter: Sunday, 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm; Digging Deep (Bible studies): Tuesday, 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm; Night vigil every last Friday of the month from 10 pm.

Venue: New Mishref. For more information and direction please call 9927-6603, 6557-7482. Email: rocghouseof-davidq8@gmail.com

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■ **KTCC activities:** Worship service –

DAI Minis at Amricani
3 November at 10 AM

Louise Loves Art. Does your Mini?
(age 18 months – 3, with a family member)

If yes, see you at the Amricani Cultural Centre
Tuesday, 3 November at 10 AM

Participation is open and there is no fee. However, we ask that you register on email info@darmuseum.org.kw <mail to: info@darmuseum.org.kw>

A flyer of the event

every Wednesday 7:00-9:00 pm at North Tent, NECK.

Children's Bible School – every

Wednesday 7 to 9 pm at Activity Building, NECK.

Overnight prayer – every 1st Thursday

titions for Indian school children, to discover the true talents. The competitions are classified into four categories, as follows, with several prizes. Kindergarten (LKG & UKG), Sub-Junior: (Class I-IV), Junior (Class V-VIII) & Senior (Class IX-XII).

The competitions will start at 1:30 pm on Nov 13, 2015 at Indian Carmel School, Khaitan and results will be announced on Nov 20, 2015. The school with highest aggregate points will be awarded with the 'Mazhavillu-2015 Trophy'. The prize distribution schedule and venue shall be announced later.

Online registrations are open at our web sites www.kalakuwait.com participants may please carry the filled form to be handed over in the venue while collecting chest numbers. For any further details, the following numbers shall be contacted. 97262978, 97817100, 66013891.

Dec 15

IKFS announces competitions: Indo-Kuwait Friendship Society, (IKFS) a non-profit socio cultural NRI association whose chief patron is Rajindar Sachar, the former Chief Justice of Delhi High Court and Head of Sachar Committee. Padmashri Dr Kiran Bedi, Dr M.K. Munir, Minister of Kerala, Father Davis Chiramal, Chairman, Kidney Foundation of India are some of the patrons of IKFS.

In a press release, AKS Abdul Nazar, IKFS General Secretary announced conducting of competitions in public speech. Both Arabic and or English can be chosen by the participant. Also calligraphy competitions in Hindi and Arabic languages. Students of 10th, 11th and 12th class of any nationality can participate in these contests. The last date of registration is set on Dec 15, 2015.

The competition will be held on Jan 8, 2016 at 3:00 pm.

Program venue: Paragon Hotel Auditorium, Mirgah, Kuwait city. Darshana TV Malayalam Channel has consented as being the co-sponsor of the program, and their TV crew will be present on the day. In addition to several distinguished Kuwaitis and Indian community leaders will attend during the award ceremony and the time is expected at 8:00 pm on the same day, in order to hand over the cash prizes as well as engraved memento to the winners. Students are requested to register thru email with the consent of their parents. Attention: Program convenor, ikfsociety@gmail.com (www.indo-kwtfriendshipsociety.com)

Jan 4, 2016

NRI Divas in Agra: The Government of Uttar Pradesh is organizing the first ever NRI Divas focused on the State's diaspora on Jan 4 and Jan 5, 2016, in Agra. During the flagship event, in the presence of Hon'ble Chief

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from 10 pm – 4:00 am at Diwaniya, NECK. Communion Service – every 3rd Wednesday.

The Following meeting are held at our KTCC Prayer House:

1) Children Bible School Teacher's Prayer – 1st Saturday 7 to 9 pm.

2) Children's Prayer – 2nd Friday 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm.

3) Bible Study – every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm.

4) ISOM – Batch 1 Class Tuesdays – 7 to 9 pm and Batch 2 Class Fridays – 4 to 6 pm.

5) Choir Practice – Mondays – 6 to 8 pm.

6) Men's Fellowship – 4th Friday – 10:00 am to 12:00 pm.

7) Women's Prayer – (Abbasiya) – 3rd Sunday – 6:30 to 8:30 pm and (Salmiya) 4th Tuesday – 6:30 to 8:30 pm.

8) Fasting Prayer – every 3rd Friday from 12:00 Noon – 3:30 pm.

9) Cottage Prayers – every 2nd and 4th Week.

10) Baptism Service – every 4th Friday.

Welcome to all Tamil known people to participate in our regular activities to worship the Lord in our own mother tongue and be blessed!

For details or for any prayer needs contact Tel No: 66920350 / 99432849.

Minister of Uttar Pradesh, Shri Akhilesh Yadav, major policy decisions and initiatives planned for the State's diaspora will be unveiled. The NRIs from UP are welcome to join & celebrate the vibrancy created by them for Uttar Pradesh around the world during the event.

The State Government has recently established a full-fledged Department of NRI Affairs which aims at creating an effective relationship with the diaspora for any issues/facilitation that their kin or families of NRIs face at home in the State. The Government plans to roll out cards certifying NRIs/PIOs from UP which would entitle the bearer to prompt response whenever he/she meets a Government functionary in addition to multiple third party benefits. Felicitations of the NRIs/PIOs for their contribution to the State is also on the anvil.

In addition to the above initiatives, the officers of the State Government shall give a high priority to matters that are reported or referred by the NRIs. A website of the NRI Department is to be launched soon which will have the contact details of the District Magistrates and Superintendents of the Police, Commissioners, DIGs and other senior officers at the State Government level so that they can be reached directly in case of any need. Suggestions/feedback can also be given at nricellup@gmail.com