

# Witchcraft

## Beyond the Basics



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### Planetary Hours

Planetary hours are based on a very old tradition of magic. Using the planetary days and hours links you immediately to this powerful ancient tradition. The more effort that can be put into using the proper timing will pay dividends in magical effectiveness.

The magical day begins at sunrise, not midnight. For instance, Sunday begins at the moment of sunrise on Sunday and continues until the moment of sunrise on Monday. This is important to remember if you work magic during night hours after midnight.

This system given below is the simplest of all the planetary hour systems, and is the one I personally use. There are more complex systems of planetary hours. I have found all systems to be equally effective, magically speaking, even though each gives different results as to the planetary hours. If you decide to experiment with another system of figuring planetary hours other than what is given here, do so for a period of time until you decide what feels best for you. However, once you have decided on a system, stick to it and avoid swapping and changing systems on a whim. The planetary currents will start to work for you according to your habits, and changing systems frequently will disrupt these currents for you.

If you want the most potent planetary energy you will work on the day and in the hour of the planet in question. However it is possible for you to work with planetary energies on days other than what are ruled by the planet in question. This may be done by working in the hour of the planet on a different day. There are certain days which some planets do NOT work well. So please follow the following guidelines for best results:

Sun: Work on Sunday or during Sun hours on any day BUT Saturday.

Moon: Work on Monday, or during Moon hours on any day BUT Tuesday and Saturday.

Mars: Work on Tuesday, or during Mars hours on any days BUT Monday and Saturday.

Mercury: Work on Wednesday, or during Mercury hours on ANY other day.

Jupiter: Work on Thursday, or during Jupiter hours on any day BUT Saturday.

Venus: Work on Fridays, or during Venus hours on any day BUT Saturday.

Saturn: Work on Saturdays or during Saturn hours on Wednesday.

### Table of Planetary Hours

After Sunrise	Sun Sunday	Moon Monday	Mars Tuesday	Mercury Wednesday	Jupiter Thursday	Venus Friday	Saturn Saturday
1st	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn
2nd	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter
3rd	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars
4th	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun
5th	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus
6th	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury
7th	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon
8th	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn
9th	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter
10th	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars
11th	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun
12th	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus
13th	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury
14th	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon
15th	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn
16th	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter
17th	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars
18th	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun
19th	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus
20th	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury
21st	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon
22nd	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn
23rd	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars	Mercury	Jupiter
24th	Mercury	Jupiter	Venus	Saturn	Sun	Moon	Mars

