

SEASONS OF URANUS SEASONS OF OUR LIVES

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The Mayan Calendar, commonly known as the Tzolkin, is a very ancient, very mysterious spiritual artifact whose origins are inconclusive. Although used by generations of Mayan daykeepers as a repeating count of 260 days, the Tzolkin is not limited to this scale of application. For example, in 1986 I began using it as a count of lunation cycles, rather than days and this use has led to a number of novel discoveries, one of which is an inherent mathematical correlation between this count of lunations and the orbit of Uranus. The correlation is based on the fact that 260 synodic cycles of the Moon is equivalent to exactly one quarter (21 years) of the time it takes for Uranus to orbit the Sun (84 years), an orbital cycle held by many astrologers to represent the closest astrological match to a generic human life span.

This natural correspondence between Uranus and the synodic cycle of the Moon, allows us to investigate the progressive unfoldment of our life in synchronous metaphorical alignment to the orbit of Uranus. In doing so, we relate the transformative symbolism of the Tzolkin directly to our life on a Moon-cycle-by-Moon-cycle basis, paying particular attention to four basic turning points in the 84 year cycle.

Astrologer Ray Grasse eloquently evokes the nature of this type of astro-mythological analysis of one's life:

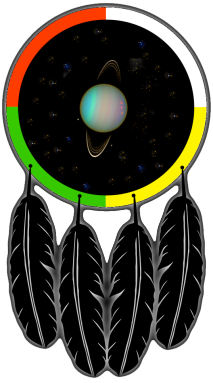
In recognizing the metaphoric dimension of experiences, one steps from a framework of purely personal concepts and associations into one of objective or universal meanings. Like a Copernican revolution of the psyche, one's understanding shifts from the localized viewpoint of the ego to a more galactic, transpersonal point of reference.

The Tzolkin

When speaking of the Mayan sacred calendar, I refer specifically to the 260 unit [Tzolkin](#) calendar, widely considered to be the most sacred of the many calendars (approximately 20) employed by the Maya and other [Mesoamerican civilizations](#). As a fundamentally mathematical construct, it is [fractal](#) in nature, meaning that its basic structure remains intact no matter what scale it is applied at and it is this fractal quality that makes it applicable in the novel way I am outlining here.

The Tzolkin is comprised of 13 numbers and 20 glyphs and a total of 260 combinations are thus possible. These 260 combinations of number and glyph as a whole, comprise an integrated sequence of mythological directives. By allowing these directives to inspire us and to animate our behaviour, we are brought into resonance with the Tzolkin grid and its inherent operative wholeness.

The first step to aligning with the Tzolkin in the way I am describing here is to calculate the number of lunations that have elapsed since the lunation you were born into. This involves determination of the consecutive sequence of New Moons that began at the New Moon prior to your birth. Directions for doing this follow.



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BIRTHRIGHT CALCULATION SUMMARY

KIN Number Determination for _____



1) Go to <http://www.timeanddate.com/calendar/moonphases.html>

2) Enter current year and your current location.

Phases of the moon for another year or location

Year:

Location: or choose:

3) From the data returned, locate the current lunation. Note the Lunation number at left and enter it in 4), below.

Moon phases for Calgary, Canada - Alberta

◀ 2003 year 2004 2005 ▶

Lunation	New Moon		First Quarter		Full Moon		Third Quarter		Duration
1002					Jan 7	8:41 AM	Jan 14	9:46 PM	29d 11h 22m
1003	Jan 21	2:05 PM	Jan 28	11:04 PM	Feb 6	1:47 AM	Feb 13	6:40 AM	29d 12h 13m
1004	Feb 20	2:18 AM	Feb 27	8:24 PM	Mar 6	4:14 PM	Mar 13	2:01 PM	29d 13h 23m
1005	Mar 20	3:41 PM	Mar 28	4:48 PM	Apr 5	5:03 AM	Apr 11	9:46 PM	29d 14h 40m
1006	Apr 19	7:21 AM	Apr 27	11:33 AM	May 4	2:33 PM	May 11	5:04 AM	29d 15h 31m
1007	May 18	10:52 PM	May 27	1:57 AM	Jun 2	10:20 PM	Jun 9	2:02 PM	29d 15h 35m
1008	Jun 17	2:27 PM	Jun 25	1:08 PM	Jul 2	5:09 AM	Jul 9	1:34 AM	29d 14h 57m
1009	Jul 17	5:24 AM	Jul 24	9:37 PM	Jul 31	12:05 PM	Aug 7	4:01 PM	29d 14h 00m
1010	Aug 15	7:24 PM	Aug 23	4:12 AM	Aug 29	8:23 PM	Sep 6	9:11 AM	29d 13h 05m
1011	Sep 14	8:29 AM	Sep 21	9:54 AM	Sep 28	7:10 AM	Oct 6	4:12 AM	29d 12h 19m
1012	Oct 13	8:48 PM	Oct 20	3:59 PM	Oct 27	9:08 PM	Nov 4	10:54 PM	29d 11h 39m
1013	Nov 12	7:27 AM	Nov 18	10:51 PM	Nov 26	1:07 PM	Dec 4	5:53 PM	29d 11h 02m
1014	Dec 11	6:29 PM	Dec 18	9:40 AM	Dec 26	8:07 AM			29d 10h 34m

4) Brown Lunation Number for **Current Lunation (CL)**: _____

5) Repeat step 2) to determine the Brown Lunation Number for the **Birth Lunation (BL)**: _____

6) To calculate how many Moons have elapsed since birth to the New Moon of the current lunation, deduct the Birth Lunation number from the Current Lunation (CL) number. Then, add one to account for the full duration of the current Moon. This final number is called the **KIN Locator (KL)**. It locates a person's current position within the Tzolkin matrix.

CL _____ minus BL _____ = _____ plus 1 = _____ **KIN Locator (KL)**

7) Applying the **KIN Locator (KL)** determined in step 6 is a two step process. First, according to *The Lightning Path* there are, potentially at least, four distinct seasons to a human life. Therefore, to locate a person's current **KIN** number within the Tzolkin matrix, first determine what Uranian season that person is currently in; then perform the indicated calculation:

KIN Locator Calculation Summary

Spring: Birth to age 21 yr.) **KIN = KL = _____.**

Summer: Age 21 yr. to age 42 yr. **KIN = KL _____ minus 260 = _____.**

Fall: Age 42 yr. to 63 yr. **KIN = KL _____ minus 520 = _____.**

Winter: Age 63 yr. to 84 yr. **KIN = KL _____ minus 780 _____.**

KIN =

The second and final step is to determine from within the Tzolkin, what number and glyph combination the above KIN number refers to. Do this by first finding that number among the **bracketed (KIN) numbers** in the Tzolkin chart below. Then note what number is to the left of the bracketed (KIN) number. All that remains to do is to combine this number with the name of the glyph found at the left column of the row within which you have located the KIN number. Enter that combination of number and glyph in the box below:

Tzolkin number & glyph associated with KIN number:

Exploring and Sustaining the Tzolkin Birthright Activation Process

As derived above, a person's KIN number refers to mythological information specifically relevant to the duration of the lunation cycle current to the calculation. At that lunation's end-point, coincident with the arrival of a New Moon, the next Tzolkin number/glyph combination in the series becomes activated.

Each combination of number and glyph represents a transitory phase in an unfolding process mapped by the Tzolkin. **Once that number is determined, all one need do to stay attuned to its sequential unfolding is to add 1 for each subsequent lunation until number 260 is reached and a new seasonal round of 260 lunations begins.**

One way to easily begin exploration of the qualities associated with any combination of glyph and number is to simply enter the associated KIN number into an Internet search bar. One of those resources utilizes a Tzolkin chart similar to the one above. [Click here](#) to access it. Other resources are accessible via the menu for [this website](#).

TZOLKIN

IMIX	1 (1)	8 (21)	2 (41)	9 (61)	3 (81)	10 (101)	4 (121)	11 (141)	5 (161)	12 (181)	6 (201)	13 (221)	7 (241)
IK	2 (2)	9 (22)	3 (42)	10 (62)	4 (82)	11 (102)	5 (122)	12 (142)	6 (162)	13 (182)	7 (202)	1 (222)	8 (242)
AKBAL	3 (3)	10 (23)	4 (43)	11 (63)	5 (83)	12 (103)	6 (123)	13 (143)	7 (163)	1 (183)	8 (203)	2 (223)	9 (243)
KAN	4 (4)	11 (24)	5 (44)	12 (64)	6 (84)	13 (104)	7 (124)	1 (144)	8 (164)	2 (184)	9 (204)	3 (224)	10 (244)
CHICCHAN	5 (5)	12 (25)	6 (45)	13 (65)	7 (85)	1 (105)	8 (125)	2 (145)	9 (165)	3 (185)	10 (205)	4 (225)	11 (245)
CIMI	6 (6)	13 (26)	7 (46)	1 (66)	8 (86)	2 (106)	9 (126)	3 (146)	10 (166)	4 (186)	11 (206)	5 (226)	12 (246)
MANIK	7 (7)	1 (27)	8 (47)	2 (67)	9 (87)	3 (107)	10 (127)	4 (147)	11 (167)	5 (187)	12 (207)	6 (227)	13 (247)
LAMAT	8 (8)	2 (28)	9 (48)	3 (68)	10 (88)	4 (108)	11 (128)	5 (148)	12 (168)	6 (188)	13 (208)	7 (228)	1 (248)
MULUC	9 (9)	3 (29)	10 (49)	4 (69)	11 (89)	5 (109)	12 (129)	6 (149)	13 (169)	7 (189)	1 (209)	8 (229)	2 (249)
OC	10 (10)	4 (30)	11 (50)	5 (70)	12 (90)	6 (110)	13 (130)	7 (150)	1 (170)	8 (190)	2 (210)	9 (230)	3 (250)
CHUEN	11 (11)	5 (31)	12 (51)	6 (71)	13 (91)	7 (111)	1 (131)	8 (151)	2 (171)	9 (191)	3 (211)	10 (231)	4 (251)
EB	12 (12)	6 (32)	13 (52)	7 (72)	1 (92)	8 (112)	2 (132)	9 (152)	3 (172)	10 (192)	4 (212)	11 (232)	5 (252)
BEN	13 (13)	7 (33)	1 (53)	8 (73)	2 (93)	9 (113)	3 (133)	10 (153)	4 (173)	11 (193)	5 (213)	12 (233)	6 (253)
IX	1 (14)	8 (34)	2 (54)	9 (74)	3 (94)	10 (114)	4 (134)	11 (154)	5 (174)	12 (194)	6 (214)	13 (234)	7 (254)
MEN	2 (15)	9 (35)	3 (55)	10 (75)	4 (95)	11 (115)	5 (135)	12 (155)	6 (175)	13 (195)	7 (215)	1 (235)	8 (255)
CIB	3 (16)	10 (36)	4 (56)	11 (76)	5 (96)	12 (116)	6 (136)	13 (156)	7 (176)	1 (196)	8 (216)	2 (236)	9 (256)
CABAN	4 (17)	11 (37)	5 (57)	12 (77)	6 (97)	13 (117)	7 (137)	1 (157)	8 (177)	2 (197)	9 (217)	3 (237)	10 (257)
ETZNAB	5 (18)	12 (38)	6 (58)	13 (78)	7 (98)	1 (118)	8 (138)	2 (158)	9 (178)	3 (198)	10 (218)	4 (238)	11 (258)
CAUAC	6 (19)	13 (39)	7 (59)	1 (79)	8 (99)	2 (119)	9 (139)	3 (159)	10 (179)	4 (199)	11 (219)	5 (239)	12 (259)
AHAU	7 (20)	1 (40)	8 (60)	2 (80)	9 (100)	3 (120)	10 (140)	4 (160)	11 (180)	5 (200)	12 (220)	6 (240)	13 (260)