The Good Vibrations Oracle

Thank you for purchasing the Good Vibrations Oracle. The following guide is to help you make the most of the deck.



Inspired by the original Nile Fortune Telling deck, whose visual style was based on traditional playing cards, the Good Vibrations Oracle takes this same basic idea, but has modernized the text for the present day along with fully illustrated cards. While each card has text on its four sides, the image on each card represent the top text.

HOW TO USE THE CARDS

Take the Life Card from the pack and lay it to one side. The person whose fortune is being told then shuffles the pack and cuts it into three piles, face up, at the same time making any reasonable wish. Focus on your wish, and then proceed.

The fortunate wish cards are the Ace, Three, Five, Seven, Nine, Jack, Queen, and King.



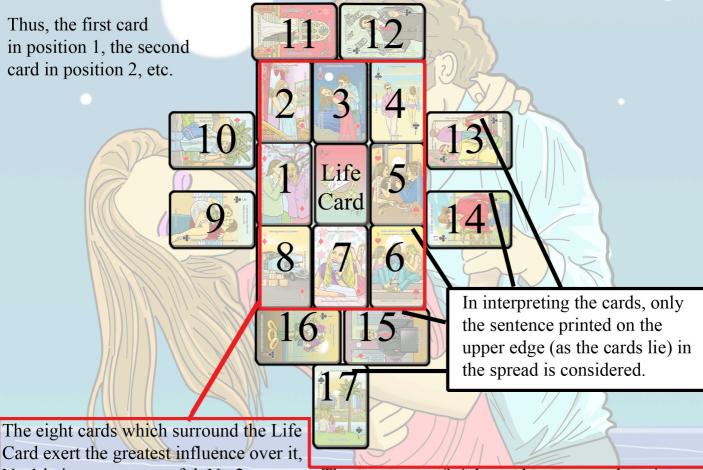
If a majority of fortunate cards are cut, the wish will be granted. The larger the number of fortunate cards cut, the more likely the wish will come true. The color of the cards cut also has much influence on the wish; red being the lucky color.

If the Wish Card (nine of hearts) be cut, the wish will be granted, no matter what cards accompany it.

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How to lay out the cards in this spread

The Life Card, indicating the person whose fortune is being told, is laid, face up, in the center of the table. Shuffle the deck, and pick 17 cards, placed up as dealt, and laid in the positions indicated by the diagram shown below.



No 1 being most powerful, No 2 next, etc. The outer row of eight cards represent the minor or secondary influences, acting on the inner row of cards. This is a lucky secondary card is next to a lucky inner card, it denotes that good luck will be augmented, and greater happiness will ensue. The influence of each secondary card is divided between the two inner cards adjoining it; thus No 10 exerts half its influence on #1 and the other half on #2, and so forth.

In reading the cards, the relations of #1 and #2 should first be noted, then the relation of #10 to them; then the relation of #2 and #3, and of #11 to them, etc until the complete circuit of the Life Card has been made, and all the cards read.

The Courts represent associates, friends, or companions of the person whose fortune is being told. In the layout, their closeness to the Life Card denotes the warmth of the friendship. Alongside the Life Card denotes love; above or below, close friendship; at corners of the inner row, ordinary friendship; in the secondary row, mere acquaintances.

Interpret Court Cards in connection with the cards adjoining them.