



COSMIC DESIGN



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MODULE 2 Part 4 - Notes & Summary

Core Concept

The Rising Sign represents **the energetic map of your incarnation**—the path your soul follows throughout this lifetime. It is one of the three “keys” in the chart (along with the Midheaven and the North Node), each holding a unique function in your cosmic design.

- **Midheaven (MC):** The *destination* — your life’s purpose and highest expression.
- **North Node:** The *compass* — the alignment point that continually reorients you to purpose.
- **Rising Sign:** The *map* — the energetic path that guides you step by step through this incarnation.

Meaning of the Rising Sign

- The Rising Sign is determined by the **constellation on the horizon** at the exact moment of your first breath.
- It symbolizes the energy that was **cresting into the sky** when you were born—your guiding current for this lifetime.
- It is your **lifelong energetic guide**, showing you when to turn, pause, or move forward.
- This energy stays with you **from first breath to last breath**, helping you stay on the soul’s chosen path.

Interpretive Framework

Tori’s reading of the Rising Sign is a synthesis of:

1. **Traditional astrology training** (foundational understanding).
2. **Golden Age Leadership astrology** (expanded energetic awareness).
3. **Channeled information** received through personal intuitive guidance.

→ This integration offers an **elevated, illuminated** way to engage with the Rising energy—distinct from conventional astrology.



Working with Birth Time

- Exact birth time determines the Rising Sign, but **approximate time is sufficient** if the exact moment is unknown.
- If the time of birth is uncertain:
 - Ask family or records for an approximate window (morning, afternoon, evening).
 - Use **intuition** to sense the energy that feels most consistent throughout your life.
 - Ask:
 - What energy do I continually follow?
 - What energy feels like it guides my path?
 - What has been my lifelong “directional current”?

Trust your intuitive knowing. The constellation that feels *true* to your soul’s journey is often the correct one.

Intuitive Approach

- Start with **feeling**, not intellect.
- Let intuition guide your understanding before analyzing constellations and placements.
- Cosmic Design reading begins with **energetic attunement**, then moves to **intellectual synthesis**.
- This approach reverses traditional methods but aligns more closely with **soul-based astrology** and **embodied wisdom**.

Reflection Practice

For this module’s reflection:

- Contemplate your **Rising Sign energy** as your lifelong guide.
- Journal intuitively on how this energy has shown up in your life.
- Explore how your Rising, North Node, and Midheaven interweave—map, compass, and destination.



Homework

- **Intuitive Writing Practice:**
Tune into your Rising Sign energy through meditation or journaling.
Write intuitively about what this energy feels like and how it moves through your life.
Notice guidance, sensations, or imagery that arises.

Summary Insight

The Rising Sign is your **map of incarnation**—a living, breathing guide that continually orients you to your soul's path.

Together, the **Midheaven (destination)**, **North Node (compass)**, and **Rising (map)** form a trinity of purpose that illuminates your journey through this lifetime.