UNDERSTANDING AND INTERPRETING THE CARDS

There is one thing I will keep repeating over and over again.

Don’t panic! You do not even need to bring a towel. Just relax and take it easy, practise every day for a couple of minutes and take small, manageable steps. And before you know it, you will have come a long way!

There is no need to put yourself under any stress or pressure at all!

Keep calm so you can walk down this long and winding road step by step.

At the end of this course you will be astonished at how quickly and effortlessly you will have achieved the basic knowledge needed for your new skill.

I have tried to keep my instructions as precise and easy to follow as possible.

There might of course come a time when you seem to see less and sometimes even nothing at all in your cards.

In the beginning this is normal and happens to even the most experienced cartomancers from time to time.

Just keep on trying and remember:

Never ever give up!
Our 4 most important steps are

1) The meaning
   Look up the meaning of each individual card in the list and let it sink into your mind for a little while before going on. Never rush this point or misinterpretations are bound to be made.

2) Learning to „see“! – Reading the cards like a book!
   We will do things step by step. Easy does it!
   There is no reason to rush things – you will see at the end of this basic course how easily you have the basis

3) Use your intuition
   This may seem a little difficult but it is in fact a skill we have all been give by nature. In our modern and busy world we are used to overemphasizing the importance of the ratio, but if you trust your inner voice, it will guide you well.

4) Interpreting
   Try to find a place for yourself and your cards where you can have a little peace and quiet. Somewhere you will not be disturbed.
   It is helpful to establish a little routine of about 15 minutes’ practice every day. This will help you to get to know your cards and create a strong bond between you and your intuition.

But first of all and most importantly;

Have fun with your cards!
1. Rider
news, message, conversation (love, secret, clever…)

2. Clover leaf
small happiness, luck, lucky or happy ending

3. Ship or boat
small or short journey within your local area or country

4. House
domestic area, in and around the house, „safe and sound“

5. Tree
Tree of life, life, origin, stability, something bound to take place
6. Clouds
unclarity, obscured or blocked view, confusion

Personality Card

7. Snake
mother, grandmother, aunt etc
female aged 35+, female friend or colleague, ex-wife or lover

negative card

8. Coffin
health, death (something or somebody who might as well be dead)

9. Flowers
great happiness, gift, honour, invitation, celebration

10. Scyhte
sudden end
sudden start of something new, next to a Personality Card: dominant personality
11. Whip
big trouble,
quarrel, unhappiness

12. Birds
small troubles,
small sadness, problems,
reflecting a situation

13. Children
infant, young woman,
female colleague
or friend, lover

14. Fox
connection with
positive card: cleverness,
brightness, intelligence,
in connection with negative
card: falseness, theft

15. Bear
father, grandfather,
man aged 35 +,
uncle, ex-husband etc.
colleague, friend, lover
16. Stars
intuition, soul, longing

17. Stork
change, renewal, flexibility, technology

18. Dog
child, son, daughter, (male attitude) brother, friend, young man, lover

19. Tower
school, education, place of work

20. Garden
publicity, crowd of people
21. Mountain
strength, power, size,
powerful, mighty, massive,
solid, obstacle,
blockade

22. Paths
new ways, separation or
separate ways,
making decisions,
looking for solutions

23. Rat
loss, fear, illness
(something that is
„eating“ you)

24. Heart
love,
cordiality

25. Ring
marriage,
relationship,
contracts
26. Book  
knowledge,  
secret,  
learning,  
something not yet definite

27. Letter  
written contact, mail,  
e-mail, telefax, telephone,  
quick contact is on way

28. Man  
male person asking the cards,  
husband or partner  
of No 29 (Woman)

29. Woman  
female person asking the cards,  
wife or partner  
of No 28 (Man)

30. Lilly  
in connection with  
positive card: excitement  
inspiration, sexuality, arousal,  
in connection with  
negative card: hectic pace, stress
31. Sun
success, warmth, heat
summer, south

32. Moon
emotions, honour,
evening, night,
north

33. Key
power, labour,
crafts, activity

34. Fish
money, financial card

35. Anchor
age, length, deepness,
long journey, abroad,
travel abroad, overseas
The first step to interpreting the cards is your inner attitude.

Relax, sit back in a comfortable chair and take a few deep breaths before you start.

You can meditate for a while if you like.

I believe that the best way to learn something is to do so with a smile on your face.

For this reason I have tried to keep reading and interpreting the cards as easy as possible, so you can finish each session with a feeling of success and personal progress.

Therefore I can only advise you to take things easy with your cards. Working with your subconscious is like working with hypersensitive animals like horses or cats. It is an impossible task, if you feel insecure or agitated. Even if you are a very eager person, I must ask you not to put yourself under any pressure at all.

Allow passage to all thoughts that may come into your mind, this will not distract you but let your inner knowledge flow and help you become aware of the right meaning of your cards.

The pictures and associations will come to you as soon as you have opened you mind up and within these your subconscious has hidden the message you are now learning to understand.

The only language your subconscious knows is the one of pictures and symbols.