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Forbidden Fortune Telling: Is Predictive Tarot Reading Still Taboo?

The first book that I ever read about Tarot was "Mastering the Tarot: Basic Lessons in an Ancient, Mystic Art" by Eden Gray. I immediately fell in love with the idea that I could have foreknowledge of the events that may unfold in my life so that I would be prepared. I am a control freak. I hate secrets, I hate surprises, the more I know about what is happening or what to expect, the more confident and safe I feel.

Fraud has always been rampant in the psychic industry, whether they use tarot cards, palm readings, clairvoyance or any other method of fortune telling, scam artists have tainted the industry in such a way that many tarot readers are afraid of providing predictive readings out of fear of being accused of being a fraud or fear of being wrong.

Through the 26-plus years of my tarot journey so far I have seen the tarot go from being predictive focused to introspective and self-development focused.

Here's where my controversial point of view pisses people off: It's safe to provide readings that have no need or ability of validation or verification such as Akashic Record Readings or Past Life Readings - I have been given several Past Life Readings that have all been very different and which may or may not be true - How can I verify those readings?

With predictive readings it becomes clear whether or not the reading was accurate in time.

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The problem that I see with Readers providing readings that focus solely on Introspection, Shadow Work, or Inner Child Trauma for other people is that not every reader providing those types of readings have any proper training and can actually do irreparable damage to their clients.

I highly encourage doing Introspection, Shadow Work, or Inner Child Trauma work for yourself through Tarot Cards because it can be life changing, but only properly trained, through accredited educational institutions, should be providing those services for others.

I would rather be wrong about a potential future event than cause additional, unnecessary, irreparable trauma to my clients.

Feel free to agree or disagree with me just remember that you have to live with the choices that you make and the consequences of them.

Now let's talk about predictive Tarot Card Meanings and do some PREDICTIVE readings for each other.

The following Tarot Card meanings are a very small sample of some of the predictive card meanings that I have developed over the past 26 years of experience, practice, and learning.

They are a combination of various tarot card, playing card, and intuitively-inspired meanings that I have learned, combined and used with great accuracy over the years. Try them out for yourself and see if they are accurate for you.

Trial and error by actual practice works better than any class, workshop, or book read.

Cross off what doesn't work for you and add your own meanings as you develop them.

Physical descriptions will change with the deck that you are using and how they are represented.

Card Name	Predictive Meaning/Advice
0 - The Fool	A choice will be offered; a new beginning is upon you; an adventure is coming up
I - The Magician	Your goals begin to manifest; be cautious of tricksters
II - The High Priestess	Unrevealed future; your intuition is strong right now, use it; keep the secret
III - The Empress	Considerable wealth or abundance; a child is on the way; you find contentment
IV - The Emperor	You will be in a position of leadership soon; build a strong foundation
V - The Hierophant	Feeling the need to conform to morals and manners of society; upcoming marriage; breaking traditions
VI - The Lovers	Romantic relationship; temptation; a choice needs to be made
VII - The Chariot	Conquest to come; victory through persistence; upcoming travel
VIII - Strength	True strength is shown through love and compassion; you have the strength to succeed; gentle coaxing bring success
IX - The Hermit	When the student is ready, the teacher will appear - which one are you?
X - The Wheel	Good luck and fortune is expected in a short time; karma
XI - Justice	A good outcome to a lawsuit, if one is pending, both parties satisfied; balance
XII - The Hanged Man	A change in perspective is coming; a pause brings spiritual growth; go with the flow of the universe, resistance is futile
XIII - Death	Dramatic change is coming shortly; something ends so something new can begin
XIV - Temperance	Your successful combination of two opposite qualities bring balance; moderation is key
XV - The Devil	You will soon be tempted in the wrong direction; addictions; vices; be careful with the chains the bind you - choose wisely
XVI - The Tower	The fall is coming; you may face bankruptcy or ruin if you continue on the present course; a warning; a clean slate leaves a strong foundation to rebuild upon
XVII - The Star	You will experience many good things - look to surrounding cards to indicate those of most importance; a light at the end of the tunnel appears; clarity is found
XVIII - The Moon	Watch for hidden dangers for yourself or someone you know; don't believe everything that you see; share the secret
XIX - The Sun	A very good card; look at surrounding cards to determine what kind of success and happiness is to come; children play a big role in your life soon
XX - Judgement	A spiritual awakening to come; your self-confidence is growing
XXI - The World	Best card in the deck; good things of both a material and spiritual nature; new chapter

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Ace of Pentacles	Beginning of a business venture; an inheritance; money coming; expect a letter
Two of Pentacles	New projects may be difficult to launch; money changing hands; a gift; expect a telephone call
Three of Pentacles	Material gain, success through effort; a pay raise; becoming part of a team
Four of Pentacles	A gift or inheritance may arrive shortly; financial stability; save your money
Five of Pentacles	Destitution, loss of home and possessions; lovers unable to find meeting place; attachment to or receipt of material goods; you will face hardships
Six of Pentacles	You will receive what is rightfully yours; money, investments, a car; someone or something is at a distance; charity - both giving & receiving
Seven of Pentacles	Pause during development of an enterprise concerning money, a loan, an exchange, or sale; prediction and astrology
Eight of Pentacles	Gain of money in small amounts; financial planning; education
Nine of Pentacles	Possibility of an inheritance; possible fame; living a life of luxury
Ten of Pentacles	Property is acquired; inheritance is more than what was expected; success
Page of Pentacles	Boy or Girl with dark-complexion and black or dark brown hair and eyes; good news regarding money, material goods, or health; arrival of a helpful youth
Knight of Pentacles	Young man or woman with dark-complexion and black or dark brown hair and eyes; coming or going of a matter concerning money or land; arrival of a practical, dependable person
Queen of Pentacles	Woman with dark-complexion and black or dark brown hair and eyes; arrival of a compassionate and nurturing woman, at times melancholy and moody
King of Pentacles	Mature Man with dark-complexion and black or dark brown hair and eyes; a chief of industry, banker, or owner of large estates; married and probably has quite a few children; solid and steady, he can be of help to you

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Ace of Wands	A new career; birth of a boy in the family; meeting a new person; new project
Two of Wands	Good things to come; new business partnership; a plan or goals in writing
Three of Wands	A good partnership brings success; practical help may come from a successful person; part-time or temporary job; financial reward through overtime/extra work
Four of Wands	Romance may lead to marriage; job security; attending a celebration
Five of Wands	Possibility of a lawsuit; a quarrel with a neighbor; a hostile visitor arrives
Six of Wands	Good news; job recognition/promotion; possible journey as a leader, business trip
Seven of Wands	Stiff competition in business to come soon; trouble at work; stand your ground
Eight of Wands	Journey by air; arrows of love find their mark; business transaction; job interview; short space of time, things happen quickly
Nine of Wands	Eventual victory, but more fighting must be done; changes at work; stay resilient
Ten of Wands	Complete disruption of all plans and projects; long journey ahead; too many responsibilities
Page of Wands	Boy or Girl with a medium-complexion and auburn or light brown hair and eyes; messenger or postman, "the bearer of tidings"; arrival of a creative and energetic youth
Knight of Wands	A young man or woman with a medium-complexion and auburn or light brown hair and eyes; perhaps there will be a journey or change of residence; the coming or going of a matter of much concern; arrival of a spontaneous and fun person
Queen of Wands	Woman with medium-complexion and auburn or light brown hair and eyes; arrival of a woman with the power of attraction and command, but is well liked and honorable, sound in her judgements; starting your own business
King of Wands	Mature or Elderly Man with medium-complexion and auburn or light brown hair and eyes; arrival of a good leader - agile in both mind and body; usually married and the father of a family; handsome and passionate

Card Name	Predictive Meaning/Advice
Ace of Cups	Beginning of all good things; love, joy; birth of a girl; focused on home & family
Two of Cups	Beginning of a new romance or balanced friendship; expect a kiss
Three of Cups	Celebration of love or friendship; pregnancy
Four of Cups	An opportunity will be presented - pay attention; apathy leads to depression
Five of Cups	Sorrow; a marriage seems on the point of breaking up; stuck in grief
Six of Cups	Meeting with a childhood acquaintance that has a gift for you; family vacation
Seven of Cups	An imagination that has been working overtime; jealousy, unsettled emotions
Eight of Cups	Desire to leave material success for something higher; leaving a social engagement; a difficult parting
Nine of Cups	You will get your wish; overindulgence; drunkenness; alcoholism
Ten of Cups	Happy family life; unshakeable marriage; journey by or over a large body of water
Page of Cups	Boy or Girl with a fair-complexion and platinum blond or white hair and blue eyes; news, perhaps the birth of a child; arrival of an emotionally sensitive youth
Knight of Cups	Young man or woman with a fair-complexion and platinum blond or white hair and blue eyes; the coming or going of a matter involving the emotions; arrival of a prince/princess-charming type person
Queen of Cups	Woman with a fair-complexion and platinum blond or white hair and blue eyes; a woman that has more feeling and imagination than common sense; arrival of a compassionate woman
King of Cups	Man with a fair-complexion and platinum blond or white hair and blue eyes; somewhat gray elderly man: a man of business, law, or divinity; arrival of a mysterious man

Card Name	Predictive Meaning/Advice
Ace of Swords	Beginning of a conquest; birth of a child who could become a valiant leader; big change; new idea; upcoming surgery
Two of Swords	Indecision brings possible trouble ahead; a separation; a temporary truce in family quarrels
Three of Swords	A separation pending as the result of a quarrel; possibility of civil war or political strife; interference from a third party; long period of time; 3 years or more; heartache surrounds you
Four of Swords	Convalescence after illness, soon to be a change back to the active life; a time for reevaluation; choose to rest before it's forced upon you; a parking ticket or speeding ticket, a court summons
Five of Swords	Theft that could be an empty victory; illness or disease; drugs, alcoholism, addiction; mental confusion or breakdown; depression; migraine
Six of Swords	Change of residence; you may send someone else to represent you in an important meeting; walking away from or abandoning something painful; difficulties while traveling
Seven of Swords	A plan that may fail; tears; something hidden; someone is lying (possibly you)
Eight of Swords	Someone you know is a prisoner - either military or civil; a gang or organized crime; gossip; a "poisoned" atmosphere; you're not as trapped as you feel
Nine of Swords	May mean illness, injury, or death of a loved one; wish will not come true; change for the worse; immense disaster; anxiety; depression; nightmares
Ten of Swords	Sudden misfortune, defeat; violence; a new start after loss; a journey by land
Page of Swords	Boy or Girl with a darker-complexion and brown hair and hazel eyes; an upsetting message; arrival of an argumentative youth
Knight of Swords	Young man or woman with a darker-complexion and brown hair and hazel eyes; unexpected coming or going of a matter of great concern to the seeker; arrival of a brave and assertive person
Queen of Swords	Woman with a darker-complexion and brown hair and hazel eyes; arrival of an intelligent and thoughtful woman, at times blunt and callous
King of Swords	Mature or Elderly man with a darker-complexion and brown hair and hazel eyes; arrival of a logical and diplomatic man comes into your life; he may be a judge, either military or civilian