



The World

Can there be stagnation in the energy of 'The World'?

I got out four decks, The Rider Waite, The Mythic Tarot, The Morgan Greer and The Golden Tarot of Klimt and with each of The World cards uppermost that is the question that popped straight into my mind.

Where the heck did that thought spring from?

At a glance the first three decks appear to be the same with only the Klimt decks World card looking a little different but then as I looked a little deeper and then with my head on an angle – seeing it from the side viewpoint it really didn't look that different after all.



Let's take the first three depictions; each card has a male/female/hermaphrodite/person in the centre of the card. They are encased within a circle, in the Mythic Deck it's a snake – symbol of power, feminine wisdom and for some fear and in the other two it's the victory wreath, the laurel of success that encapsulates our human being.

These folks are definitely happy, perhaps even dancing with joy, but are they in the next moment trapped within their success? Are they unable to move forward or outside of this space? Has the point at which they have arrived got a hold on them? Is the question within the hermaphrodites mind "What next? Who will I be and where will I be if I move outside of this place of achievement?" How will people know I am good or worthy, special or brilliant? What if when I move forward I fall? How can I risk going from centre stage to possibly being on the outside looking in?

Likewise the pregnant woman in the Golden Klimt card of The World, obviously she is pregnant and as Creatrix and carrier of new life she is a worker of miracles and beautiful to boot. Yet her expression is pensive for she knows what is next. Her time to enjoy this accomplishment will soon be over. She will move into the initiation of the birthing process

where she will probably lose her poise, it will get damned messy and at the end she is going to be left holding the baby! Once she leaves this place of success as the 'Mother-To-Be' there is a long road ahead of her and she will wake to that baby through the night hours and feed it and burp it and walk the floor with it, then down the track deal with a tantrum throwing toddler, a kinder kid who needs an easter bonnet she doesn't have time to make, she will have to teach it to read and ride a bike and then eventually teach it to drive and then let it go out into the world to achieve its own success. LOL! No wonder she is pensive! Thinking about it from this perspective I can understand why she might like to stay pregnant forever.

So perhaps it is not stagnation but rather a pause to take breath before we move from the excitement and enjoyment of the energy of The World to the hard work that is required to make the next chapter or cycle equally successful?

What do you think?

Affirmations For The World

- The world is my oyster
- Sweet success is here right now
- I count my blessings for there are many
- I am moving in to who I truly am and I am awesome
- I can have my cake and eat it too
- I have all that I need
- The abundance of the universe is mine
- My life is a beautiful dance and I flow within its rhythm
- All is well in my world



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