



## *Rising Sign in Pisces*

Pisces was rising at your birth; a sign belonging to the element water and to the common or mutable quality. This makes you kind, sympathetic, benevolent and generous. You have a humane and charitable disposition, your feelings are easily roused, and you are disposed to help those who need your help. You are sociable and friendly and are able to make acquaintances easily and to get on with people. You have a strong imagination and a fertile fancy, are impressionable and emotional, and you would be suited for any course in life that would develop this side of your nature - the theater, singing, music, painting or imaginative literature, as you have some taste in these directions. You like to take life easily and enjoy yourself, are good-natured and easy going and like to be well-disposed to all people, and you usually are so. You have some sense of dignity and pride, and are observant of forms, ceremonies and etiquette, and are considerate of the feelings of others. You are a lover of beauty and refinement; you cannot bear ugly or inharmonious surroundings; and you have much artistic taste. You are sensitive, intuitional, and receptive. Jupiter and Neptune are the planets ruling the sign Pisces.

Neptune, 'king of the deep,' rules Pisces. Pisces rules the feet. Just as the feet are sometimes uncertain which is the next step or which way to turn next, so is Pisces ascending. This ascendant gives the individual a high-voltage nature and a dreamy, imaginative, sensitive, and intellectually creative personality. Pisces ascending tends to get along well with all types of people until let down or disappointed in one way or another. Secrets are enjoyed. There is generally subtlety and nonaggressiveness in the approach made to others, and to life in general. There may be a strong tendency toward indecisiveness, and they are hard to pin down when faced with the need to decide or to act. Pisces ascending is idealistic, impressionable, apt in detail, and orderly in manner. Feelings run very deep.

If you were born with Pisces rising, you carry within yourself a strong artistic gift that must sooner or later find expression. You have an active fantasy life and a pronounced romantic outlook. You want life to be perfect and since it isn't, you choose not to see what you don't want to see. Down deep, many Rising-Pisceans believe that they alone are destined to suffer disillusionment in life; sometimes others sense this secret sorrow in you. Often you feel you were born at the wrong time in the wrong place, and you are strongly drawn to the past

Basically, you have a dauntless goodwill toward others. You tend to be very sociable, fond of entertaining, and enjoy the warmth of companionship. You love the good life; fine food and drink especially, beautiful clothes, and travel. At parties Rising-Pisceans are vivacious and verbal (sometimes you talk too much); you enjoy performing in front of a group. A talent for mimicry makes many Pisces Ascendants turn to the theater.

The word sentimental comes to mind when describing you. Your tender feelings are easily moved by sad stories, lost animals, unhappy human beings. Your personality is also changeable, at times moody and distressed. Worry and imagined fears overtake and sometimes overcome you.

In your private life you tend to be disorganized, a bit careless, the kind who is forever losing or misplacing belongings. In work, however, you are knowledgeable and creative and can be quite disciplined when working within a group, especially in artistic projects. You are also successful in occupations that involve writing and travel. Many Rising-Pisceans frequently change their residence.

It often happens with Pisces Ascendants that a person who was an adversary in early years becomes a valuable friend later on. You may sometimes have trouble with a first marriage because of in-laws and relatives. As a Rising Pisces you are probably fond of children; your own children usually bring you pride and happiness.

If you have Pisces rising, you tend to have large, luminous eyes and a sensuous mouth. You are likely to have wavy hair and well-shaped feet. The planet Neptune, which rules Pisces, is very prominent in your horoscope. The influence of Neptune bestows compassion, sensitivity, keen intuition, imagination, creativity, and an interest in spiritual things and the occult. It also encourages confusion, indecisiveness, worry, vagueness, carelessness, and self-deception.

