

Today, on 20th November 2020, Jupiter is finally leaving Sagittarius (Dhanu) and entering Capricorn (Makar), its Neech rashi, its sign of debilitation. The Guru of Devas had entered Makar for a period of around 3 months earlier too in 2020, from 30th March 2020 to 30th June 2020. That was a short stay into Makar rashi and technically not an actual routine transit of Jupiter in Capricorn.

In this sign of Capricorn, Jupiter will transit together with Saturn which is already there since 24th January 2020. These two planets will be joined by Sun, Mercury and Venus too for short periods in January, February and March 2021. Jupiter will move in a direct and fast motion and enter Aquarius on 5th April 2021. Then, it will become retrograde in Aquarius on 20th June 2021 and it will re-enter Capricorn in a retrograde motion on 14th September 2021. Thereafter, Jupiter will become direct on 18th October 2021. It will finally move again to Aquarius on 20th November 2021.

Brihaspati is in Uccha or exalted state in the sign of Cancer (Karka) and it is neech, weak, negative and debilitated in Capricorn (Makar). Its beneficial qualities are much diminished in Makar. Jupiter in Capricorn motivates thoughts and acts which are totally opposite to its usual nature. Thoughts and acts related to indiscipline, deceit, lack of integrity, pseudo religious attitude, lack of devotion and dedication, etc, are enhanced when Jupiter transits in its neech rashi, Makar.

The previous few transits of Jupiter in Capricorn were as follows -

- 9th December 2008 to 1st May 2009, 30th July 2009 to 19th December 2009.
- 26th December 1996 to 8th January 1998
- 10th January 1985 to 25th January 1986
- 25th January 1973 to 9th February 1974
- 10th February 1961 to 24th February 1962

The next transit of Brihaspati in Makar Rashi after this 2020-21 transit will be from 5th March 2032 to 12th August 2032 and then again from 23rd October 2032 to 18th March 2033.

This 2020-21 Jupiter-Saturn yuti in Makar is an event which occurs after a period of around 60 years. The previous such transits were as follows -

- 10th February 1961 to 17th September 1961, 8th October 1961 to 24th February 1962.
- 11th February 1902 to 16th August 1902, 5th November 1902 to 19th January 1903
- 20th February 1843 to 14th April 1843, 19th November 1843 to 4th December 1843

After this 2020-21 transit the next such a transit of Jupiter-Saturn in Capricorn will be from 31st December 2079 to 13th January 2081.

Jupiter's entry in Capricorn can bring about partial lock-downs or curfews in many parts of the world, due to the coronavirus pandemic or some other political or social reasons. This had

happened earlier too when Brihaspati had entered Makar on 30th March 2020. But, the cure and vaccine will be out soon and the lock-downs will not be as severe and long lasting as they were in April, May and June 2020. Due to Jupiter's transit with Saturn in Makar there are high chances of both man-made and natural calamities like industrial accidents, air crashes, war, earthquakes and Tsunamis. There are high chances of riots, political killings, genocide and even assassinations of key political figures.

This combination of Jupiter and Saturn will bring into light new inventions and developments in the fields of engineering, Information technology, medicine, transportation and space sciences. The technology related to warfare will also become more developed and new methods of warfare will become more popular.

For most nations including USA and India this 2020-21 transit of Jupiter in Capricorn can bring about political instability, war like situation, economic problems and public unrest. Protests and revolts will become more common during this transit. Donald Trump's public image will take a big hit and he will lose support even of his staunchest of followers. For Joe Biden too, this transit is not going to be good. He could be forced to take harsh decisions going very much against his usually diplomatic and peaceful ways of solving the problems.

The effects of this 2020-21 transit of Jupiter in Capricorn, on the twelve ascendants and Moon signs, will be as given below. Those readers who are aware of their ascendants should read these forecasts for the same. Those of are not aware of the ascendants in their horoscopes should read these forecasts according to their Moon Signs (Janma rashi).

1. **Aries - Mesh:** Difficulties in Job and Business; loss of job; legal hassles related to work; loss of reputation at workplace; health issues related to liver, pancreas, cholesterol and lungs.
2. **Taurus - Vrishabh:** Some difficulties related to work; change in business strategy; increase in income; monetary gains from work done online, through travel and through off shore business; health issues related to joints, nervous system and obesity; relocation to another city or country for work; increase in worries about parents' health and welfare.
3. **Gemini - Mithun:** Troubled married life; extra marital affairs; secret, unconventional but short term love affairs; problems related to business partnerships; serious illness or death of a friend or family member; difficulties related to work; losses through accidents and other damages in business; loss of goodwill and reputation.
4. **Cancer - Karka:** Some difficulties in married life; for the unmarried there are high chances of getting married; meaningful love affairs; increase in body weight; increase in income; good progress in work; long term overseas travels; improvement in confidence, fame and recognition; heightened interest in spiritual and religious subjects.
5. **Leo - Simha:** Serious conflicts in marriage; high chances of separation or divorce; serious health ailments of spouse and children; serious legal problems; increase in own health issues related to arthritis, diabetes, liver problems, cholesterol and reproductive organs; problems in

academic pursuits; troubles in business partnerships; high expenses and losses.

6. **Virgo - Kanya**: Unexpected and serious problems in academics; change of residence; Children's health and behaviour related problems; increase in income; good progress in job and business after some initial changes; improvement in health but some issues related to kidneys, urinary system and reproductive organs will come up; increase in body weight; loss of reputation due to association with people of bad character or due to a secret love affair.

7. **Libra - Tula**: High expenses; legal problems related to vehicle, residence or real estate; health issues connected to heart, lungs and liver; frequent but meaningless travels; increased concerns about the health of the mother and about the health and behaviour of the children; good progress in work.

8. **Scorpio - Vrishchik**: Losses and legal hassles related to property, residence and academics; favourable time for students of technical subjects; frequent short term travels; high chances of vehicular accidents; increase in income through sustained efforts; souring of relations with siblings and in-laws; high chances of marriage; new love in life.

9. **Sagittarius - Dhanu**: Increased focus on family matters; souring of relations with family members and other relatives; loss of reputation; disputes related to shared assets; health issues connected to heart, eyes, mouth, hair, ears and teeth; good income and savings; change of residence; relocation to another city or nation.

10. **Capricorn - Makar**: Improvement in health; higher confidence level; success in all endeavours; frequent and useful travels; change of residence; more inclination towards spiritual and religious subjects and activities; favourable time to get married; new people and new friends in life; more meaningful relationships.

11. **Aquarius - Kumbh**: High expenses and monetary losses; losses related to public image and reputation; legal hassles; punishment by law authorities or imprisonment; serious health issues related to liver, pancreas, cholesterol, eyes, ears and general vitality; disputes and bad relations with family members; increased spiritual inclination; income from distant or unexpected sources, places and people; relocation to another city or country.

12. **Pisces - Meen**: Difficulties and hardships related to work; change of job; increase in income; sudden and huge monetary gains; more money minded attitude; more dependency on close friends; good chances of marriage; love affair with a person unusually older or much younger than oneself.

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