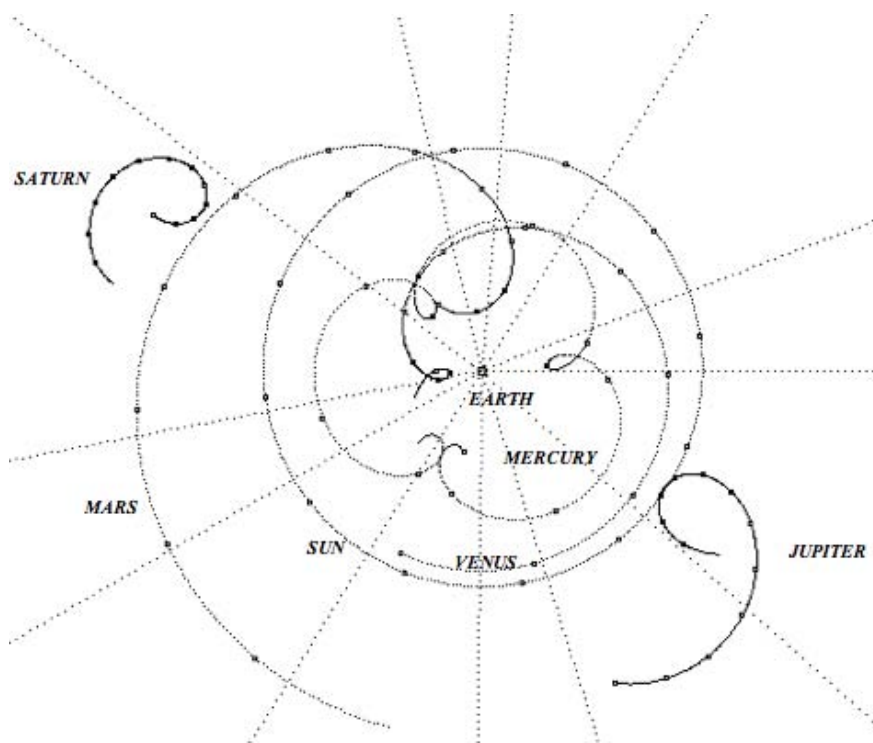


AGRICULTURAL ASTRONOMIC CALENDAR FOR 2010



**MONTHLY CHARTS FOR PLANTING AND
OTHER AGRICULTURAL TASKS USING
THE HOMEODYNAMIC METHOD**

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ASTRONOMICAL AGRICULTURAL CALENDAR BASED UPON THE ETHERIC CYCLE OF THE EARTH

PART ONE THEORY OF THE CALENDAR

1) CHANGES

Anyone who has followed our work through the years will know of our efforts to ‘live in the present’ and not to lapse into comfortable habits either of life or of thought. Such people will not be surprised that we have modified our Astronomical Agricultural Calendar once again, in step with the changing cosmic influences upon the Earth.

The understanding that we have of Life - one that considers Life to be a divine gift that ‘incarnates’ into and guides the natural kingdoms - demands courage and conceptual flexibility in order to become practical and fruitful.

The ancient Greeks used two names to embrace the concept of *life*: *Zoe* indicated spiritual Life that descends as a continuously renewed divine gift, whilst *Bios* indicates manifest life that suffers birth, develops, and then perishes.

The anthroposophically oriented spiritual science, brought to humanity by the Austrian philosopher and scientist Dr Rudolf Steiner, inspires and underpins our own efforts. Dr Steiner told us that there would be a “*complete manifestation of the Christ in the etheric plane*” in September 1999 and that at this time the Earth’s etheric body would be profoundly changed.

The expression ‘*complete manifestation of the Christ in the etheric plane*’, means that assistance for the spiritual evolution of humanity is secured by Christ in the plane of Life, or what we call the *etheric plane*. This is a modern expression for the event expressed in the Gospels as the *Parousia*, or “coming in the clouds” (Mark 13, 24-27)¹.

After the Earthly manifestation in the physical body of Jesus, the Christ now acts from the more encompassing plane of Life.

These basic ideas help us understand why, particularly in our time, the forces of the anti-Christ are active as never before. Through wars, devastation and pollution of living Nature, the first atomic bomb, the greenhouse effect, genetically modified organisms and in many other ways, His work is being blocked. At the same time, human culture is riddled with materialistic ideas that are diverting human minds from these facts.

¹ But in those days after that affliction, the sun shall darken, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars shall fall from heaven, and the powers that [are] in the heavens shall be shaken. And then shall they see the Son of man coming in the clouds with great power and glory. And then shall he send his angels and shall gather together his elect from the four winds, from the uttermost part of the earth unto the uttermost part of the heaven.

It was not only Rudolf Steiner that anticipated these events. Great painters divined this vision. A fine example is *The Resurrection* by Gruenewald in Isenheim (France) where the Risen One appears with a luminous sphere in the background and a foreground of what can only be the Earth with its transformed etheric body.



The etheric plane is composed of four etheric forces that have the following properties:²

² For details, see our booklet: 'A Spiritual Scientific Glossary'.

- Warmth Ether: the force that allows Life to manifest and renew itself. It is particularly active in the head of humans and in the roots of plants.
- Light Ether: this force governs growth and size is particularly active in the thyroid of humans and in the leaves of plants.
- Chemical or Sound Ether: the force that separates and orders, maintaining the relationship between parts. It can broadly be defined as the chemist or alchemist of Nature, presiding over cellular divisions, metabolic processes and the lymphatic circulation. In humans, it is particularly active in our metabolism and in the flowers of plants.
- Life Ether: the vital force that manages the life of each cell and integrates this life with the life of each organ and of the whole organism. It is inherited and relates to our general constitution and health. It lies latent within the seed. In humans it acts mainly in the reproductive system.

After this briefest summary, we can sketch how the “old” etheric body of the Earth flows through the seasons of the year.

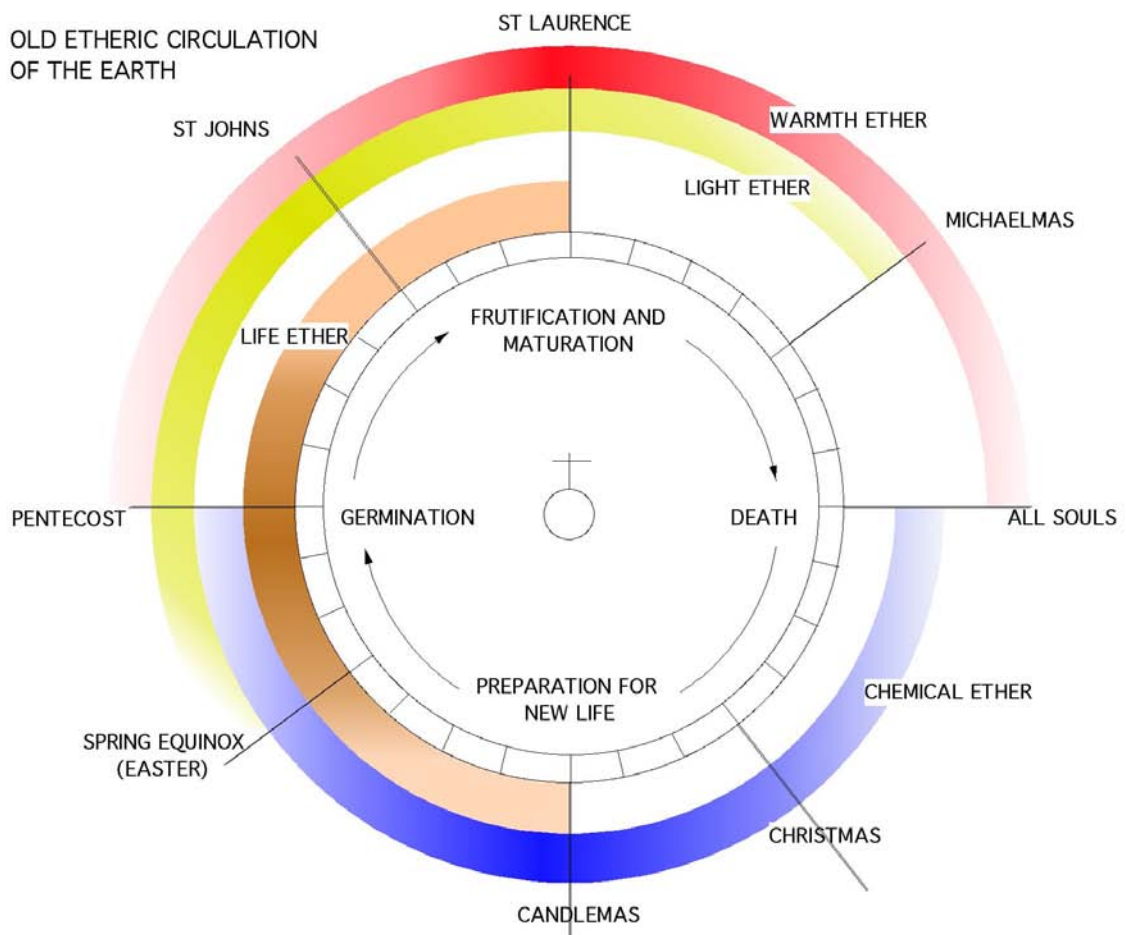


Fig: Flowing of the “old” etheric body of the Earth

NIGHT	CONSTELLATION (AIDING INFLUENCE OF ZOE INTO THE SOIL AND PLANTS) (Impulse on the etheric plane)	SPECIFIC IMPULSE	STRENGTH	CONNECTION WITH THE GROUP 1'S OF: (ASSISTING THE EVOLUTION OF THE SOIL AND PLANTS)	MAIN EVENTS (Perceptible)
1	SCORPION order and form	QUAL. ABOVE	2	BROADLEAF TREES, AND ANTI-BACTERIAL	MOONS PERIGEE
2	ARCHER uprightness		1	PROMOTES VIGOUR	
3	GOAT stimulates rooting	QUALITY BELOW	3	PROMOTES ROOTING AND HUMUS, ANTI-WEED (SEXUAL REPRODUCERS)	
4	WATERMAN reinvigorates		2	BLOSSOM TREES	
5	FISHES archetypal manifestation		1	GENERAL REMEDIATION, PROTECTION FROM GMO, ANTI-INTERNAL FUNGUS.	
6	RAM stimulates development	VIGOUR BELOW	3	CEREALS, CUCURBITS, AROMATIC HERBS, SMALL FRUITS	EPIPHANY
7	BULL differentiation		2	TIMBER TREES, ANTI-TERRESTRIAL INSECTS & VIRUSES, SOIL STRUCTURE, HARMON / PURIFYING	
8	TWINS internal processes		1	ALL VITAL FUNCTIONS, ANTI-FLYING INSECTS	
9	CRAB flowering impulse	VIGOUR ABOVE	3	NIGHTSHADES & LEGUMES, MEDICINAL HERBS, MEADOWS, DROUGHT RESISTANCE, ANTI-WEED	
10	LION fruit maturation		2	FRUITING TREES, WARMTH	
11	VIRGIN protection from pests		1	HARMON./PURIFY. ANTI-EXTERNAL FUNGUS	
12	FIRST SCALE metabolism	QUALITY ABOVE	3	LEAFY HERBS, OIL, AROMA AND COLOUR	
13	SECOND SCALE ETHERIC NEW YEAR		3	RENEWAL AND DESCENT OF ALL IMPULSES	
14	SCORPION order and form		2	BROADLEAF TREES, AND ANTI-BACTERIAL	
15	ARCHER uprightness		1	PROMOTES VIGOUR	NEW MOON 0
16	GOAT stimulates rooting	QUALITY BELOW	3	PROMOTES ROOTING AND HUMUS, ANTI-WEED (SEXUAL REPRODUCERS)	
17	WATERMAN reinvigorates		2	BLOSSOM TREES	MOON'S APOGEE
18	FISHES archetypal manifestation		1	GENERAL REMEDIATION, PROTECTION FROM GMO, ANTI-INTERNAL FUNGUS.	
NO SOWING	19	VIGOUR BELOW	3	CEREALS, CUCURBITS, AROMATIC HERBS, SMALL FRUITS	
	20		2	TIMBER TREES, ANTI-TERRESTRIAL INSECTS & VIRUSES, SOIL STRUCTURE, HARMON / PURIFYING	
	21		1	ALL VITAL FUNCTIONS, ANTI-FLYING INSECTS	
	22	VIGOUR ABOVE	3	NIGHTSHADES, LEGUMES, MEDICINAL HERBS, MEADOWS, DROUGHT TOLERANCE, ANTI-WEED	
	23		2	FRUITING TREES, WARMTH	
	24	QUALITY ABOVE	1	HARMON./PURIFY. ANTI-EXTERNAL FUNGUS	
	25		3	LEAFY HERBS, OIL, AROMA AND COLOUR	
	26		3	RENEWAL AND DESCENT OF ALL IMPULSES	
	27	QUALITY BELOW	2	BROADLEAF TREES, AND ANTI-BACTERIAL	
	28		1	PROMOTES VIGOUR	
	29		3	PROMOTES ROOTING AND HUMUS, ANTI-WEED (SEXUAL REPRODUCERS)	
	30		2	BLOSSOM TREES	FULL MOON 9 MOONS PERIGEE
	31	FISHES archetypal manifestation		1	GENERAL REMEDIATION, PROTECTION FROM GMO, ANTI-INTERNAL FUNGUS.

THE DAY BEGINS AT 15:00 ON THE NUMBERED DAY AND FINISHES AT 15:00 ON THE NEXT DAY.
FOR VIGOUR APPLY THE SEED BATH AND SOW FROM 15:00 TO 17:00 FOR QUALITY FROM 6:00 TO 8:00

NIGHT	CONSTELLATION (ASSISTANCE TO PLANTS)	SPECIFIC IMPULSE	STRENGTH	IRRIGATION & PESTS	SIDEREAL MOON*	IMPULSES*	SPECIFIC NOTES.	PLANETS
1	SCORPION order and form	QUAL. ABOVE	2	INCREASE IRRIGATION INSECTS LIKELY	MOON DESCENDING	A/W	<p>CULTIVATIONS CHOOSE BETWEEN THE FIRST TWO COLUMNS FOR THE IMPULSE MOST REQUIRED</p> <p>MANURING AND TRANSPLANTS IDEALLY USE A DESCENDING MOON PHASE</p> <p>PRUNING AND GRAFTING PRUNE WITH DESCENDING MOON. GRAFT WITH ASCENDING MOON</p> <p>HARVEST FOR FRESH CONSUMPTION SELECT DAYS OF HIGH QUALITY IN AN ASCENDING MOON PHASE TO CONSERVE SELECT DAYS OF HIGH QUALITY IN A DESCENDING MOON PHASE</p> <p>HOMEODYNAMIC SPRAYS SEED BATHS AND SPRAYS FOR THE SOIL: CHOOSE INDICATIONS FROM THE SOWING SHEET. FOR PLANT AND SOIL STIMULANTS, USE THIS 'CULTIVATION ..' SHEET AND CONSULT THE PRODUCT LABEL.</p> <p>FUNGUS AND BACTERIA WORSE AT A 'VIGOUR' PERIOD. TREAT 2-3 DAYS BEFORE.</p> <p>INSECTS WORST DURING A PERIOD OF QUALITY. INTERVENE 2-3 DAYS BEFORE</p> <p>IRRIGATION IRRIGATE LESS DURING VIGOUR PERIODS AND MORE DURING QUALITY PERIODS. DIFFERENCE CAN BE 50 - 70%</p> <p><i>* THE COLUMNS 'SIDEREAL MOON' AND 'IMPULSES' CONTAIN TRADITIONAL BIODYNAMIC CULTIVATION INDICATIONS. THEY ARE ALSO USEFUL FOR FOOD PROCESSING (BREAD, JAM, JUICE, ETC).</i></p> <p><i>* KEY FOR "IMPULSES" COLUMN</i></p> <p>F = FIRE A = AIR W = WATER E = EARTH</p>	<p>MERCURY From 1 to 31 in Archer</p> <p>VENUS From 1 to 16 in Archer From 17 to 31 in Goat</p> <p>SUN From 1 to 19 in Archer From 20 to 31 in Goat</p> <p>MARS From 1 to 4 in Lion From 5 to 31 in Crab</p> <p>JUPITER From 1 to 31 in Waterman</p> <p>SATURN From 1 to 31 in Virgin</p>
2	ARCHER uprightness		1			W		
3	GOAT stimulates rooting	QUALITY BELOW	3			W/F		
4	WATERMAN reinvigorates		2			F		
5	FISHES archetypal manifestation		1			F/E		
6	RAM stimulates development	VIGOUR BELOW	3	E				
7	BULL differentiation		2	E				
8	TWINS internal processes		1	E				
9	CRAB flowering impulse	VIGOUR ABOVE	3	E/A				
10	LION fruit maturation		2	A/W				
11	VIRGIN protection from pests		1	W				
12	FIRST SCALE metabolism	QUALITY ABOVE	3	W	MOON ASCENDING			
13	SECOND SCALE		3	W/F				
14	SCORPION order and form		2	F				
15	ARCHER uprightness		1	F/E				
16	GOAT stimulates rooting		3	E				
17	WATERMAN reinvigorates	QUALITY BELOW	2	E				
18	FISHES archetypal manifestation		1	A				
19	RAM stimulates development		VIG. BELOW	3		A		
20	BULL differentiation	2		A/W				
21	TWINS internal processes	1		W				
22	CRAB flowering impulse	VIGOUR ABOVE	3	W				
23	LION fruit maturation		2	W/F				
24	VIRGIN protection from pests		1	F				
25	FIRST SCALE metabolism	QUALITY ABOVE	3	E	MOON D			
26	SECOND SCALE		3	E				
27	SCORPION order and form		2	E/A				
28	ARCHER uprightness	QUALITY BELOW	1	A				
29	GOAT stimulates rooting		3	A/W				
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