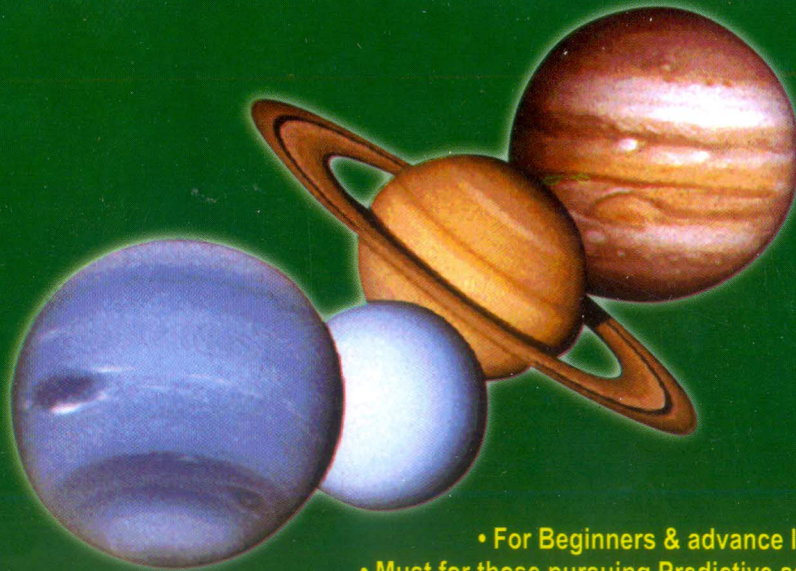


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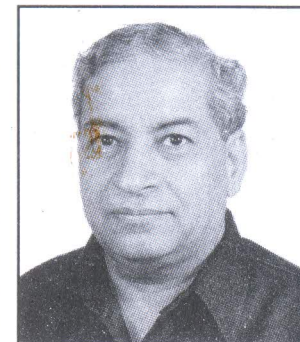
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Shri V. K. Choudhry is well known in the field of Vedic Astrology through his many books and articles. His managerial background has enabled him to use modern communicative skills in so systematic a manner that the comprehension of predictive techniques has been greatly simplified. His book, "Self Learning Course in Astrology" makes learning of the "Systems' Approach" methodology a simple step-by-step process and has proved to be of great help to both the serious students as well as the practitioners still plagued by the confusing inconsistencies in the classical texts.

He was conferred the title of Jyotish Martund by the International Council of Astrological and Occult Studies, Hyderabad (India) in 1989; the title of Jyotish Kovid by the Indian Council of astrological Sciences (ICAS), Madras, in 1991; and the title of Jyotish Bhanu by Astro Sciences Research Organization, New Delhi, in 1992. He has been a faculty member and Chapter Course Director (Astrology) with ICAS.

Shri Choudhry is the recipient of Pracharya Award (Professor of Astrology) conferred by Bharat Nirman in December, 1993, for his outstanding and excellent contributions in the field of Astrology. In 1994, his name was listed in "Indo American Who's Who", in recognition of his contributions for predictive accuracy in Vedic Astrology.

Shri Choudhry participated in the 10th International Seminar of Astrology and Occult Science in June 1995, at Hyderabad and delivered lectures on "Timing of Events" and "Vastu Shastra". Shri Choudhry was conferred the title of "Master of Astrology" in this Seminar by International Council of Astrological and Occult Studies.

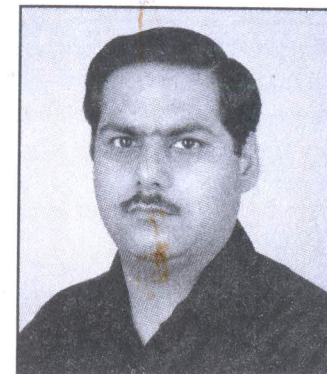
The Board of Directors of International Council of Alternative Medicines conferred the degree of Doctor of Alternative Medical Sciences on Shri Choudhry on 3rd of February 1996, at Bombay. The International Institute of Astrology and Occultism, New Delhi, conferred a Gold Medal and the honorary title of Jyotish Vachaspathi on Shri Choudhry in April 1996, at New Delhi.

International Foundation of Peace, Fraternity and Humanistic, Bombay, conferred the title of Dharam Yogi in 1995. International Council of Astrological Sciences, Bombay, conferred the title of Vastu Shastra Samrat in 1996, and Bhartiya Ved Jyotish Vigyan Sansthan, Modinagar (India), conferred the title of Sthapatya Ratna in 1996, on Shri Choudhry for his valuable contributions in the fields of Astrology and Vastu Shastra. Shri Choudhry participated in astrological conferences in London, Paris and U.S.A. In 2004 the first book of Shri V. K. Choudhry has been translated in Portuguese and published in Portugal. The Systems' Approach for Interpreting Horoscopes is applicable for Mundane Astrology predictions, as well. Shri Choudhry made many successful mundane predictions on Yahoo Groups - SAMVA, including twice predicting victory for Mr. George W. Bush as President of US and predicting natural disaster for US in August, 2005.

United Cultural Convention, North Caroline, USA, sealed the nomination of Shri V. K. Choudhry for receipt of the 2002 Noble Prize for Outstanding Achievement and Contributions to Humanity. This nomination stems from extensive research on extraordinary leaders by the top officials of the United Cultural Convention.

Shri K. Rajesh Chaudhary

Shri K. Rajesh Chaudhary has mastered and contributed to the Systems' Approach for Interpreting Horoscopes under the guidance of his father, Shri V. K. Choudhry. He participated in the free Consultation Clinics organized in New Delhi by Bharat Nirman in 1995-96. He is one of the Directors and Secretary of The Systems' Institute of Hindu Astrology, Gurgaon (India). He



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1. Predictive Techniques and the Application of Astrological Remedial Measures.)
2. How to Avert Professional Setbacks.
3. Manage Your Health through Preventive Astral Remedies.
4. Application of Prasna Astrology.
5. How to Analyze Married Life.
6. Systems' Approach for Interpreting Horoscopes.

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PREFACE

Astrology is an art of interpreting the reputed esoteric influence of stars/planets on human affairs. It is called the divine science and it enables one to peep into the mysterious future. It has many branches like horoscope reading, palmistry, transit, prasna, varshphala, etc. The most accurate and dependable one is the horoscope reading, which is linked to the birth time of the individual. In this system, the planetary position as at the time of birth is noted for interpreting the results of various aspects of life.

Astrology has its origin in the Vedas and is presently studied all over the world. There are different systems in operation and the best one is the Vedic System of Astrology. In this system also there are number of sub-systems or schools of thought but the most time tested is the one given by Maharshi Parashara, especially when studied through the Systems' Approach (SA). There have been numerous commentators, both classical and modern and at the present juncture, the subject is being read by interested readers all over the world through the Parashari System. Brihat Jataka, Phaladipika, Saravali, Jatakadesha Marga, Jataka Parijata, etc., are commentaries on the Parashari System. The comprehension of the system from the classical text is somewhat difficult and the attempt of the author is to initiate the interested readers for easy comprehension of the subject.

The Vedic system of Astrology is based on the premise that the natal position of planets is dependent on the past karma (actions) of the human beings and gives complete picture of the life of the person concerned. It also believes that the horoscope/natal chart of the person tells us whether the malefic influences can be warded-off or reduced. It believes in strengthening of the weak planets to augment their effects and to reduce the extent of miseries.

The interpretations are dependent on the position of planets in the heavens at the time of birth as well as at the time of interpretation. The positions as at birth are known as natal or radical positions while the positions at the time of interpretation on a subsequent date or dates are known as transit position of planets with reference to a birth chart.

Astrology is both a science and an art. It is a science as its principles of determining planetary positions and planetary periods are based on mathematical systems and even the predictive tools are

universally applicable. It is an art to blend the numerous techniques available to an astrologer for predictions depending upon the place and time. The difference in opinion of various astrologers is because of the difference in comprehension, analytical approach and expression power of the different individual astrologers.

SCOPE OF THE BOOK

The scope of the book is to enable the readers to:

- Comprehend concepts of Astrology;
- Comprehend terminology of Vedic Astrology and Systems' Approach for Interpreting Horoscopes;
- Introduce you to fundamentals of interpreting a chart;
- Sharpening predictive skills of learners through case studies.

STRUCTURE

The system has two parts: (1) drawing a horoscope; and (2) interpreting the same. The concepts and fundamental principles will be taken up first so that you can comprehend the system in an interesting way and thereafter you will be introduced to the methodology of drawing a chart (horoscope) including divisional charts.

After you have gone through this book thoroughly and have comprehended the various concepts and the system of Vedic Astrology as well as the Systems' Approach propounded by the author, you can proceed further for an advanced study of the system through the author's following books for learning and mastering the art of prediction:

1. Systems' Approach for Interpreting Horoscopes

This is the book that launched the Systems' Approach for interpretation of horoscopes, which quickly gained acceptance amongst aspiring students who appreciated its simplicity and accuracy.

Unique features are:

Delineating significations of each house
Impact of mysterious Rahu
Impact of Ketu
Impact of exalted functional malefic planets
Effect of debilitated planets

Inter-relationship of planets
Contradictions and limitations of classical Vedic Astrology
Understanding and Managing Relationships through Astrology
Remedial measures
FAQs

2. How to Study Divisional Charts

Unique features are:

Use of Divisional Charts relative to Rasi
Analysing Debilitated Planets
Analysing Combust Planets
Ketu Dasa
Case studies using various Divisional Charts
Discussion of Vargottama planets, exalted planets, etc.

3. Impact of Ascending Signs

Unique features are:

How to analyse a horoscope in 3 minutes
Description of persons born under each ascendant
Suggested use of astral remedies for each ascendant
Reason for troubles to those with Taurus, Virgo, or Pisces ascendant

4. How to Identify Significant Events (A Guide for Studying Transit Influences)

Unique features are:

Tips for Predictive Accuracy
Rectification of Birth Charts (Through transit)
Dreaded Concepts of 'Manglik' and Sade Sati discussed
Application of Remedial Measures
Case Studies – Learning Aids.

5. Predictive Techniques and the Application of Astrological Remedial Measures

Unique features are:

Effects of evil lords and planets in dusthana houses

Timing of events
Recovery of patients
Return of missing persons
Financial prosperity
Progenic problems
Psychiatric problems
Delay in marriage
Early widowhood
Criminal tendencies
Relevance of Vastu
Case studies

6. Manage Your Health through Preventive Astral Remedies

Unique features are:

Medical significations of planets, houses, and signs
Identifying health problems
Prime determinants of health
Timing recovery
Application of preventive astral remedies
Case studies

7. How to Avert Professional Setbacks

Unique features are:

Identifying professional indications
Averting professional setbacks
Augmenting professional prosperity
Identifying level of status
Business enterprises and partnerships
Case studies

8. How to Analyse Married Life

Unique features are:

Tips for spotting prominent events in life
Planetary configurations for marital happiness and discord
Astral remedies for solving marital problems
Special reference to most malefic influence

Case studies: Delay and denial, lack of progeny, broken engagements, inharmonious relationships, divorce, death of spouse, harassment in marriage, extra-marital affairs.

9. Application of Prasna Astrology

Unique features are:

Concepts and Advanced Analytical Techniques
Prime Determinants, Afflictors, Significators, Timing Events and Recovery
Application of Preventive Astral Remedies
Diverse Case Studies

All the above books explain the subject through illustrative case studies for better comprehension of the Systems' Approach for interpreting horoscopes. I wish you a successful learning of the art of predictive astrology.

I sincerely thank the editors of various astrological journals, who had been putting forward my views before the lovers of Astrology. I also acknowledge with thanks the help and assistance I received from Mr. Jorge Angelino, Astrologer from Portugal, in preparation of the manuscript of this book. Mr. Angelino made some useful suggestions, which have been included in the book.

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