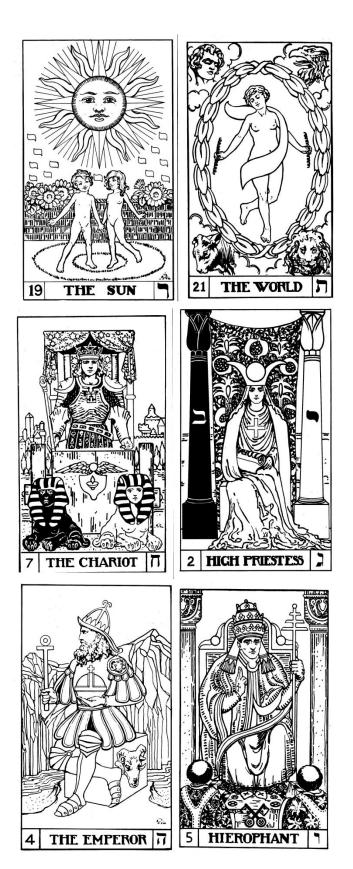
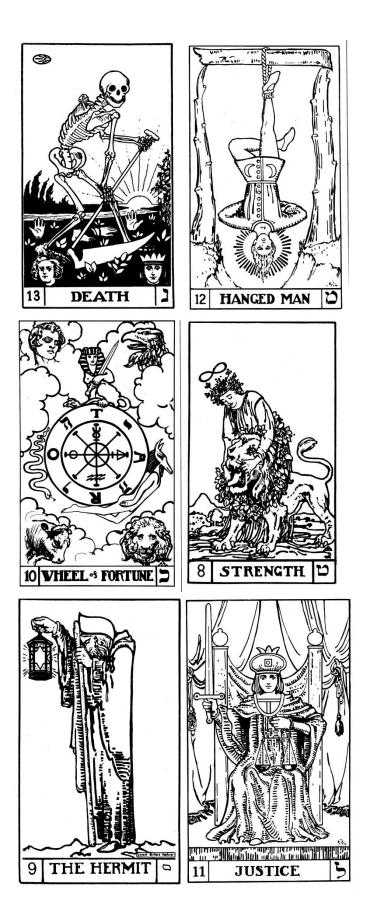
09 Tarot Trumps and The Body; Traditional and Egyptian Trumps

In our last article we listed the 22 Hebrew/Phoenician alphabet letters and their correlation with the 22 Trumps. We noticed several letters had names that were parts of the human body. This suggests that perhaps the entire set is also an atlas of the complete human body. Here is the list that I came up with in ancient alphabetical order (using modern English letters followed by the traditional Trump Name, followed by the suggested human body component.

- A Sun Brain B World Skin C Chariot Breast D Priestess Vagina E Emperor Lungs V High Priest Nerves Ζ Death Bones Н Hanged Man Muscles, Legs Т Fortune Wheel Navel, Chakras Υ Strength Hand K Hermit Heart L Justice Phallus Kidneys, Bladder M Moon N Star Glands \$ Empress Ovaries, Ova O Magician Eye Temperance Mouth Ρ Tz Tower Semen
- Q Fool Tongue
- R Judgment Uterus, Womb
- S Devil Teeth, Digestive Tract
- T Lovers Liver

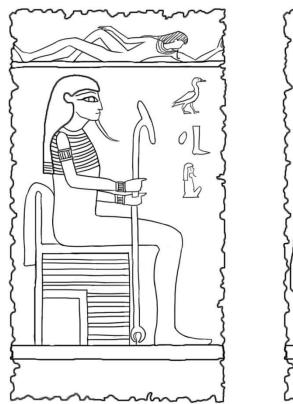
Now we can look at some thumbnails of how the Trumps look in the European version, again in the alphabet sequence.

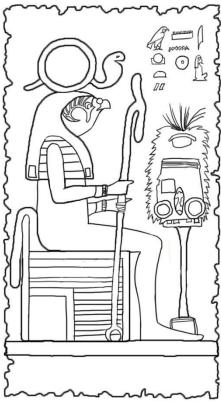












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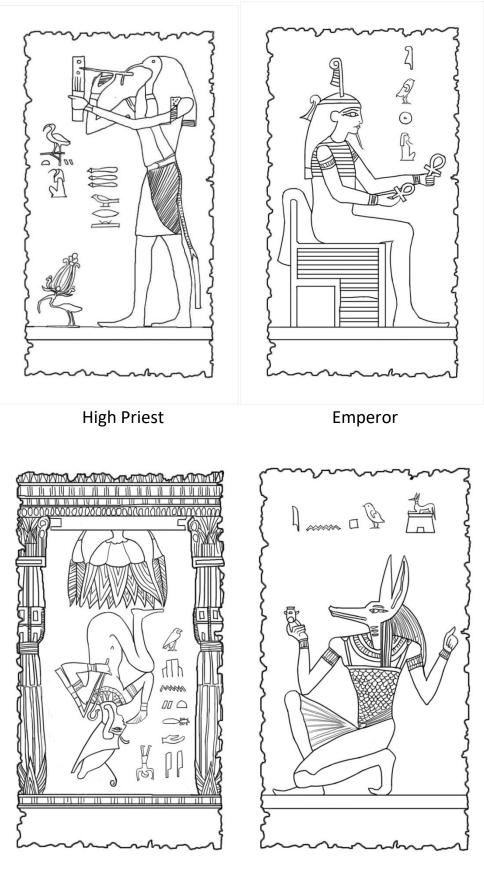






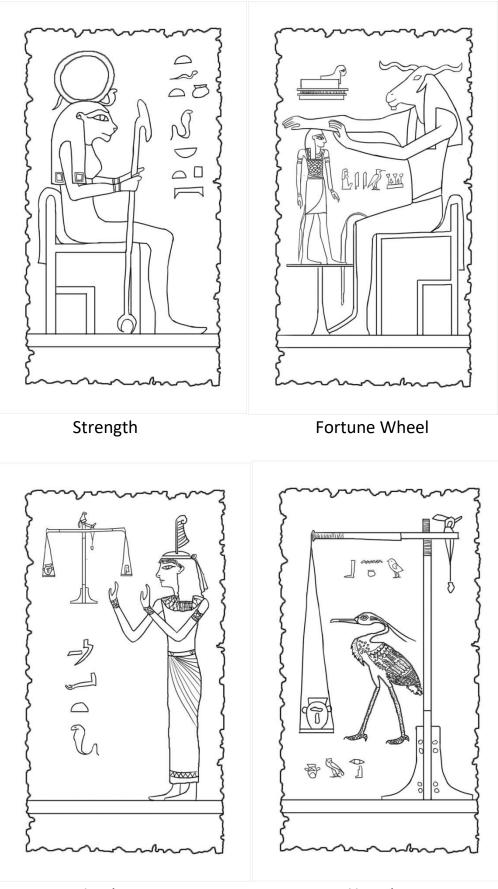


Chariot



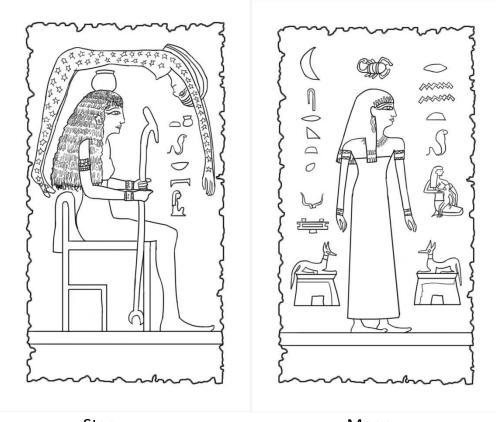
Hanged Man

Death



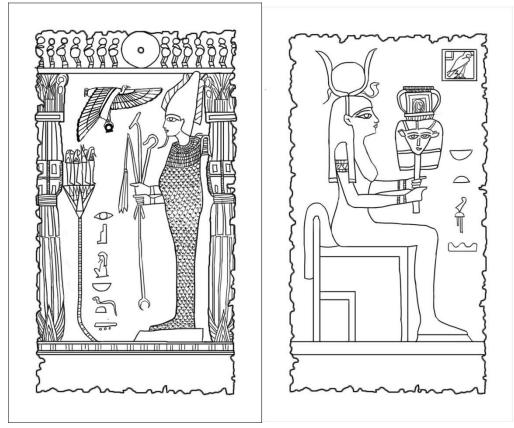
Justice

Hermit



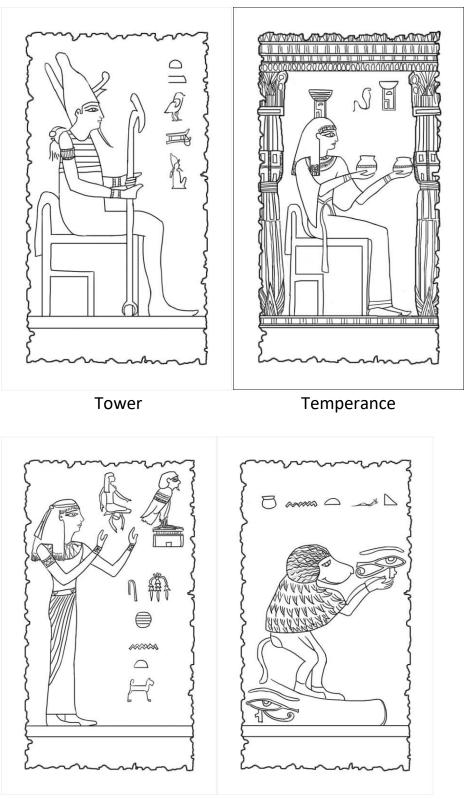
Star

Moon



Magician

Empress



Judgment





You will notice that, when the 22 letters are put in alphabetical order two at a time, they naturally form pairs. The Traditional Tarot Trumps show this quite clearly, but my Senet Tarot of Ancient Egypt also shows the pairing in ways that suggest deeper study. I ran the alphabet backwards and also got interesting words from the Hebrew letter pairs.

As an exercise I looked up words in Hebrew for the pairs and found some startling words emerge. The Wheel has a symmetrical root that cycles around. We do not know if there was a code in the sequence of Hebrew letters, but there are some tantalizing clues for further study.

We just memorize the letters by rote, but nobody ever questions why the letters have the sequence they have. There are a variety of different ways people sequence the Trumps when they design decks. I did not put numbers on the Trump cards. The Senet Oracle board has one layout. The Game Board has another sequence. As a deck of cards that is shuffled there is no order to it. I like people to feel free to create their own order if they like. But for school students and their dictionaries it is useful to have a fixed order, which is why we have the rote sequence. As we get into the deeper meanings of the Trumps, these relationships will take on richer meanings.

| A⊡ | Father is | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| $\Lambda[1]\nabla, \Lambda\nabla[1]$ | Penis, Good Fortune, a goat kid. | ⊗₹ | Flies |
| | | PQ | Spit |
| 月 7月[1] | YHVH (Being) | P7 | Flood. |
| ZĦ | Moves. | ow | The Great Bear |
| XX ;&1& | Clay is; Under | ЧW | Sleeps. |
| ΨF | All. | FΨ | For You, |
| WN[1] | Min is; From; Destiny is | XX ;⊗1⊗ | Clay; Under |
| WO[F] | Time | HZ[F] | Prophet-Pact |
| 7P | Scatters | [J]FYF | Exists; YHVH (Being), |
| ϘP | Springing Forth; Shouting | $\nabla \wedge$ | The Fish |
| ₹⊗ | The Rebel, Set | Ð∀ | Comes |

09 Study Questions

- * Study the Images!
- * Compare Trumps; compare traditional Tarot and the Senet Tarot of Egypt.
- * How are the Trump letters paired in this article?
- * Any ideas about the alphabet sequence?
- * Place the Trumps around and/or on someone's body (with their permission!) or just on a large picture of the human body according to the organs of the body. What kind of a Trump layout does this give you? Any ideas?
- * Any thoughts about the Hebrew words encoded in letter pairs?
- * How does this article relate to the Series Overview?