

## STAGE 2: WHAT DO I ASK?

After booking your appointment, you may be asked to have prepared questions. But if not, it is still good to have some readily available. The act of creating questions enables you to have a focus for your session and helps you receive the answers you need. This is an important step, but also the part most struggle with.

The two most popular questions I receive is “Will I ever find [*insert object of your desire*]?” and “When will I find [*insert object of your desire*]?”. These questions have extremely detailed answers, considering that every day we make several choices that impact our spiritual path. Tarot works better on short-term energies and patterns by offering us the wisdom to adjust our behaviors for a better outcome.

1. *Realizing that you hold the power.* Don't release your power over to a person or situation. There is no need to focus on the things that you can't control. Ask yourself, how am I responding /reacting to the current circumstances?

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2. *Keep the questions about you.* Your approaching reading is meant to adjust your personal journey. Why cause it to be all muddled up with an attempt to try and control the uncontrollable? Ask yourself, if I take the current circumstance out of the picture, what are the things I need to work on or change regarding myself?

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**Empower Yourself**  
Your happiness is up to you, focus on what you can do to empower yourself so that things will start to turn around for you.

3. *Ask open-ended questions.* Tarot is quite complex, it likes to show the whys behind the issue, so you can understand. Ask yourself, are your questions allowing space for you to receive the wisdom you need?

*(Highlight the questions you like)*

**Simple**

- What do I need to know/ change right now about myself or this situation to have the most desirable outcome?
- What is the biggest obstacle that stands in my way right now?
- What lesson do I need to learn to overcome my challenges?
- What is the biggest influence in my life right now?
- What are my greatest strengths and/ or weaknesses?
- What should I be focusing on right now?

**Love**

- How can I attract a partner that will align with my highest self?
- What stands in the way of me finding love?
- How can I strengthen the relationship between me and my partner?
- How can I best overcome this issue in my relationship?
- What connects us in this relationship?

### **Work/ Career/ Finances**

- What line of work should I go into what will be the most fulfilling?
- What blocks me from achieving my full financial or career potential?
- What actions can I take right now that will help me further my career?
- How can I better communicate with my current employer?
- What is my biggest financial obstacle right now?
- What is my attitude towards finances? Where does that come from?
- How can I find material success?

### **Action Questions**

- What is most important for me to get done?
- How will a certain occasion or event turn out?
- What will be the best way for me to communicate with certain people?

### **Hopes & Fortune**

- How can I restore my hope for the future?
- What overall positives do I bring to my life?

### **Moving Forward**

- What should I learn from the past?
- What is the impending future telling me?
- What cycles am I stuck in?
- What can I learn from the past?
- Where am I strongest?
- What should I look out for?
- How do I move forward in my career?
- How do I move forward in my relationship/ love life?
- What is coming forth in my life?
- Which foundation is the strongest to build on in my life?
- What should/ shouldn't I do about a situation with a friend or family member?
- What am I not seeing?

### **Choices**

- I am at a fork in the road. Which way should I go?
- How do I weigh out the choices I have? What are the pros and cons?
- What do I need to know to make the best decision? What do I need to know?
- What do I need to know regarding a situation [with a certain picture]?
- What do I need to know about my love life?
- What do I need to know about my career?

4. **Focus on the now.** The future is so fluid that any choices we make could affect our outcome. Simply put, making the right decisions today helps build a better tomorrow. Using this mindset, start writing your final draft of questions?

### Brainstorming

Start by brainstorming all the questions you have in your mind. Just write all the questions you have flowing through you.

Ex. he did this to me. why? / my boss hates me. will she ever quit? / I want more money!

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## Closed-Ended Questions

Write down all the close-ended questions from above

Ex. Will I ever be in love? / Am I going to get rich?

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Close-Ended Questions are simply answered by a yes or no.  
Open-Ended Questions require more interpretation & thought than just a one-word answer.

## Turning Closed-Ended questions into Open-Ended questions

Turn all those close-ended questions into open-ended questions. Here is where you can now gain more insight and wisdom out of those questions, that will provide limited information.

Ex. What should I do to find love? / What's the next move to manifest financial stability?

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## Ready to ask questions

Make a final list of questions to ask during your reading.

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