

# Fortune-Telling For The Road

## The Questions

The client wanted to have a general reading about her past/present and future.

She also wanted to have clarity about her relationship with her boyfriend. She wanted to know if the relationship had any future (QUESTION 1) and, if not, when she would meet “the one” (QUESTION 2).

She gave me a brief background to her relationship with her boyfriend. It was a very emotionally volatile relationship, with lots of ups and downs. They were the completely opposites, she was a free spirit who did not want to be tied down, preferring an open relationship, and he was looking to settle down. She had tried ending it a couple of times but every time they got back together. The relationship was toxic. But at the same time, she was drawn to him and, despite what she said before, felt an unexplained connection.

**H – Hearts; D – Diamonds; C – Clubs; S – Spades**

**J – Jack; Q – Queen; K – King; A – Ace**



## Present

In the present pile we can see that the client finds herself in a “student mode”, learning some kind of work or profession (JD). We can see that she is enjoying the process as it is a diamond card. To clarify the Jack, I got another card, which was the 6D, again confirming she is on a path to some professional goal, something she will be making money from. The cards that lead to this JD indicate that most probably the client started a new job which made her very happy when she got it (6C + AC + 10H). Then she had a feeling like she hit a brick wall (8S). To clarify this card I got another one, and it was the “anxious” Joker, meaning that possibly there was something that was unknown to her at the time of accepting the job offer, that she found out later or came

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up against, that impacted her negatively or gave her anxiety. It could also not have had any relation with her job, and just coincided with the time she started working. In any case, because the 8S (and the negative Joker) are surrounded by red cards, the negativity did not last long and now she found herself settling into her role, with lots to learn and feeling quite content about her situation.

## Present – Surrounding Circumstances

Above the present pile, we get the surrounding circumstances which in this case confirm the cards from the present pile. There is the 9H, a wish come true, which relates to the 10H in the present. The cards that led to this are 2C, which could be a meeting/ handshake to do with work, maybe a job interview, an agreement, getting and accepting a job. The 2C can relate to the 6C/AC in the present pile (a new beginning to do with career/plans). This is followed by 3S, either a negative exchange, argument or learning some news that affect or hurt the person. The 3S could relate to the 8S/Negative Joker in the present pile. But as this card is followed by 9H, the top card, this means that the negativity is quite short lived, and the person is enjoying quite a happy moment in their life.

## Past

In the past we have the 4S which indicates lack of stability in the person's life which is affecting them negatively, possibly causing worry, fears about the future and being in a constant state of mild anxiety. The previous card is 7C, meaning that the fears and worry come from a setback on the career/plans front and subsequent search for an alternative. The cards that pre-date that are KD and JC, this could indicate that the person worked (JC) previously in an institution that possibly had something to do with finances (KD). They did not occupy a high position being the card a Jack, which could also represent a free spirit the Jack being of Clubs. And also, because the Jack is Clubs, the job they was not fulfilling or enjoyable, just something they did to pay the rent.

**(The client later confirmed that she had indeed worked previously in a financial institution and that it was a temporary role through an employment agency. There was a time gap between she left that job and the new job, so she experienced some anxiety about money and worried how she would be able to pay the rent. She also said that she got her dream job and is learning the robes.)**

## Future

The future starts off with first four cards describing work, financial matters or working with finances or material, tangible goods.

2D indicates an exchange of messages, money, or a financial agreement; followed by the JS, this could mean that there is some secrecy to the messages or agreement. It could also mean that the person on the other end of the agreement or exchange of something is either being negative or somewhat dangerous or careless. It could also mean some sort of complaint or negative review to do with this financial exchange or agreement.

These cards are followed by 9D, which indicates that at the agreement/ exchange leads to an improvement in a financial situation, a financial wish come true and/ or spending money. It could

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also indicate an active work environment, dealing with goods or money (large amounts), with constant change and entertainment, where boredom is unlikely to set in. The 7D indicates some process of learning the trade and overcoming the occasional set back or mistake. These however are not serious, and there is support from a person who offers emotional and friendly advice and support (2H).

The two of hearts starts a sequence of heart cards. This could be related to the relationship the client is in currently as the QH makes an appearance following the 2H. There is also a JH, a partner or lover who is young, young at heart or not very mature. Someone who might be very loving, emotional, and caring, possibly with a touch of naivety. In between the QH and JH we have the neutral/ good Joker, this means that there is an unknown factor standing in between them. It could also mean that one of them is being naïve or being a “fool in love” somehow; or there could be a third person. The JH is followed by a 6S, which means something going wrong or a sequence of problems/negativity. As it is followed by a 2S, there is an indication of an argument, split or distancing, possibly in the relationship.

This is followed by three club cards and a spade. The first card is 9C which indicates being overwhelmed by changes or by amount of obstacles/work. This is followed by 5C meaning daily life feels dreary and grey, especially being surrounded by all black cards, just work and no fun. With a KS being next in line and followed by a 3C, could indicate a person taking an active position and battling the obstacles successfully, getting them to shrink from a mountain, 9C, to a little hill, 3C, by possibly talking things through and learning from their mistakes (3C). KS could also represent someone in the client’s life who somehow contributes to difficulties diminishing and life becoming easier.

## Answer to Question 1



As in the general reading, we got an indication that there could be a distancing/ split in the relationship, we use the following spread concentrating on the client’s love life, to get more information. Also, this layout will give an indication of the foreseeable future of her love life. To

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see if the client's current relationship is likely to be a long term one, I check whether the QH and KH, representing the client and her boyfriend, are in either the pile 1,2 or 6, but they are not. This indicates that the relationship is unlikely to be a long term one (although of course if both partners made a big effort, changes and compromises the verdict possibly could change).

The first card in the first pile, the client's pile, indicates that she is currently more focused on work and achievement of professional goals (6C + 6D) than in her love life. Both cards appeared in her present pile in the general reading. Then there is the 2D, the first card that appeared in her future pile in the general reading. It indicates some sort of contract or commitment that leads to a path towards achieving a practical or career goal.

The first card in the second pile, relating to the boyfriend, is 2S – conflict, distancing or split. This card is followed by JH, both appeared in the future pile in the general reading. With a 3H that follows, we get that the boyfriend is more into our client than she is into him, he is focused on the relationship (having heart cards in his pile) and tries to talk things through (3H). However, it does not seem to work as we get the 2S, the conflict, distancing, or split card. Possibly this is initiated by the boyfriend this time.

Interestingly, the next four piles, have only heart cards on the top. This could mean either that the split is short lived, and they get back together, as they have done previously, giving it, another try; or that after the split the client moves on (6H) is happier and starts looking for someone more suitable for her. It seems also that whatever happened with the boyfriend, just an argument or something more serious like a split, makes the client focus again on her love life and/ or wellbeing, friends and family, not so much work as it was before.

The third pile has a 6H as the final card, the client feels in harmony with herself, moving on happily possibly towards a new romantic goal; or trying to give another go at the relationship with her boyfriend. To get to this point she must go through having to reconsider her plans and an adjustment to changes (7C + 9C). The 9C is also present following the possible split (6S +2S) in the future pile of the general spread.

The fourth pile has the 8H as the final card, and the 10S and "anxious" Joker before it. This means that after a dramatic ending (10S) and facing an uncertain future feeling slightly anxious about it (Joker), the client is feeling very grounded and happy (8H).

The fifth pile shows that there is a negative exchange (3S), where hurtful things are said, painful for the client. It could involve three people or just mean a "heartbreak moment". This is followed by KS, a person, in a state of negativity, takes actions and ends something, like cutting something away with a sword. Given that the next card is 9H we get that this "cutting or ending" leads to a great happiness and a "wish coming true" for the client. The AH that follows could mean a new beginning in love, as it is an ace it could mean a happily solitary new beginning.

The sixth pile has the 4H as the final card indicating someone feeling good about the status quo in their love life. The fours relate to the Moon and how we feel in "our skin/body". This is a heart card, so the client is feeling good about the lack of drama in her love life, she is feeling comfortable about the way things are in her life. Before this there was an important decision being made or an important change (AS); this is probably related to events in the previous piles. Because the AS is sandwiched between red cards, we can deduce that it was a positive change

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for the client. We also have some practical cards, QD and 9D. There is spending money and sensual approach to life, enjoying the material side, the good food, buying things, etc.

## Answer to Question 2

As, according to the cards' answer to the previous question, the client's current relationship might not be a long term one, which is something that the client from the beginning told me was a possibility, I ask the cards the final question. When will she meet "the one"?



Because the QH and the 9H, "Wish Card", were in piles 1 and 3, the cards are saying that the client will have at least one more relationship before meeting "The One".

We can also venture to say that at the time of meeting "The One" the client is stuck in a bit of a rut at work (4C) and some negative thoughts or information received (3S) lead to her starting to search for new ways to make money (7D). Overall, nothing much is happening in her life at the time of the meeting.

Jack of Spades next to the fateful 9 of Hearts, suggests that the client might be introduced to her "ideal man" by a friend, a dark haired, dark eyed friend or colleague, possibly an air sign, or someone who is very talkative and outgoing. It could also be at a party, possibly at night-time or in the evening. Low lights and lots of talking and socializing.

The 3 Aces in between the 9H and KH, indicate that "The One" is an important person, who might own his company, not very large (4D) or be self employed. The KD could indicate that he is either blond, red or grey haired, and with light colour eyes. This man is likely to be quite wealthy and with a mature attitude. The Ace of Spades just before the KH indicates that the man is quite a powerful speaker and is very clever. He could also have very strong opinions and be quite outspoken. The AS also means that meeting him will be like a thunderbolt, a profound experience of some sort for the client. The 6 of hearts following the KH indicates that he is capable of being loyal and loving and that the relationship is going to be a long term one. Three club cards that follow, JC. 9C and 7C indicate that this man works a lot and possibly travels for work quite often.

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The three Aces could also be related to some significant event in the client's life (and possibly the man's too) like a beginning of some new era happening for both the client and "The One" at the time of their meeting.

In terms of timing, I would say the client will meet "The One" in one to three years (Ace is 1 and it comes up 3 times). I would say that number 1 is particularly important. Maybe the client will meet him in the first or eleventh month of the year, or on the 11th of the month.