



## Thelemic Jupiter Rite

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This is a Thelemic adaptation of the Jupiter Rite from Rufus Opus' Seven Spheres.



Figure 1: The Table of Practice



Figure 2: The Lamen of Tzadkiel

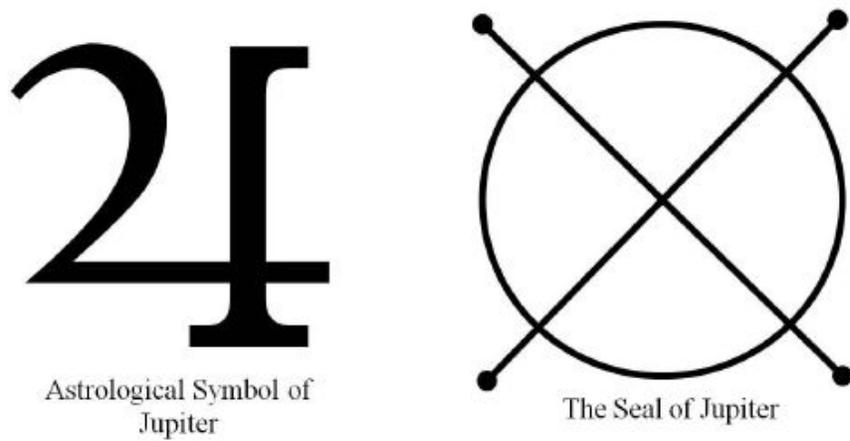


Figure 3: Contemplation Seals of Jupiter

# 1 Jupiter Conjunction Preparation

**Day of the Rite** - Thursday

**Attire** - The finest suit you own! For the ladies, you will put on your most formal gown and get yourself dressed up to the level that you would feel comfortable in while dining at a white linen restaurant. Now, not all of us are at a point in our lives where we have this kind of formal wear. No worries, just put on the very best clothes you have, the good stuff. Stuff you'd wear to an interview at a prestigious company.

**Alcohol of Choice** - Your favorite single malt whiskey. Not all of us like whiskey. Substitute a similar beverage of your choice, but make sure it's the very best quality you can afford, or is your favorite thing to drink. Serve it to yourself in the appropriate glassware. Make it special.

**Cigar of Choice** - Jupiter cigars are any cigar that is mellow and smooth that leaves you feeling almost decadent. Not everyone enjoys a fine cigar.

For you poor, poor folks out there who don't appreciate a luxurious smoke, I really don't know what to tell you. Cigars seem pretty jovial. In a pinch, cigarettes can be substituted, if they're the best ones you have, or cloves if you like those. If you just can't smoke, uhm, I guess you can skip that part. I like having the tobacco left over for use in Jupiter Talismans later, though.

**Planetary Incense** - Sweet smelling incenses work, as does the Abramelin incense formula. Temple blend are good, and so is basil, mace, and especially lignum aloes. Frankincense will do in a pinch, but you want something sweet and good.

**Mood Music** - Pick something that symbolizes Jupiter for you. Some have chosen upbeat jazz, others Holst's Planets Op. 32 Jupiter, while others listened to NASA's recordings of the sounds of Jupiter recorded by radio telescopes. I like the Ode to Joy. It goes well.

**Lamen of the Archangel** - The Lamen is worn around your neck during the conjuration. You want to draw it out by hand. This makes it more powerful. When you draw out a seal, you are performing a conjuration. You can thread something through the paper to hang it around your neck. Blue thread (blue is the color of Jupiter) would be best, but use what you have.

**Contemplation Seals** - These are symbols of the planet that you can contemplate after you've said the Orphic Hymn. You can draw them out and gaze upon them with your eyes half-shut while you bask in the forces you've released into your sphere.

On the altar sits, the table of practice, the scrying stone, a censor of incense, and a white candle. The celebrant is wearing the lamen of the Archangel. The contemplation seals are within reach. Also, the drink and smoke are off to the side to be enjoyed during contemplation.

## 2 The Rite of Jupiter

To begin, say the following prayer:

**Secret and ineffible Lord, source of all Light, who yet sits in absolute and eternal darkness, you who have expressed through your Word all that is, you who, with the Loving Spiritus Mundi, have shaped me in your image as divine creator god, I call upon you now to bless and consecrate these rites.**

[Light a white candle.]

Trace out a circle beginning in the East, and say:

**I consecrate this ground for our defense, in the name of the Nuit, Hadit, and Ra-Hoor-Khuit.**

Face the North.

Say the following Words:

**AOTH ABRAOTH BASYM ISAK SABAOTH IAO.**

As you speak the words aloud, visualize them written across your forehead, stretching from one temple to the other.

Let these words crown you, and then say:

**Subject to me all daimons, so that every daimon, whether heavenly or aerial or earthly or subterranean or terrestrial or aquatic, might be obedient to me and every enchantment and scourge which is from CHAOS.**

Then say,

**Lord most secret, ever present friend and guide, prepare now the way between myself and the sphere of Jupiter, and its Intelligences. Prepare a feast for those entities we shall call, and make straight the way between us.**

Bless the scrying medium:

**Oh inanimate creature of Earth, be sanctified and consecrated, and blessed to this purpose, that no evil fantasy may appear in you; or, if they do, that they may be constrained to speak intelligibly, and truly, and without the least ambiguity. AUMGN.**

Bless the incense:

**I conjure thee, oh thou creature of Fire! by We who created all things both in heaven and earth, and in the sea, and in every other place whatsoever, that you cast away every phantasm from you, that no hurt whatsoever shall be done in any thing. Bless, oh Lord, this creature of Fire, and sanctify it that it may be blessed, and that you may fill me up with the power and virtue of their odors; so neither any enemy, nor**

any false imagination may enter into this space; in the name of ON.

Conjure the Archangel of the Sphere:

**In the name of our Lord, I conjure you, you strong mighty angel TZADKIEL, that you take the shape that best reflects your celestial nature, and appear here in this crystal, to the glory and honor of his divine Majesty, HERU-RA-HA, who lives and reigns, world without end. AUMGN.**

**Lord most secret, grant me fulfillment of will and love under will, make pure my heart within me, and take not your light from me. O Lord, by your name I have called him, suffer him to minister unto me. And that all things may work together for your honor and glory, to whom, with you, the Sun and blessed Moon are ascribed all might, majesty and dominion. AUMGN.**

The spirit should be present. You'll know the spirit is there when you feel a change in the atmosphere, smell something really sweet, or see an image superimposed from your mind's eye in the crystal.

Now you speak with the spirit, making sure it is who it is supposed to be, and thanking it for coming. Ask that it bless and consecrate this rite, and reveal to you the power of the Sphere of Jupiter. If you are consecrating a Jupiter talisman now is when that should be done through the spirit. Otherwise, ask the spirit whatever you will, if you have something specific, and then move on to the Orphic Hymn.

Recite the following Orphic Hymn to Jupiter:

**O Jove much-honoured, Jove supremely great,  
To thee our holy rites we consecrate,  
Our prayers and expiations, king divine,  
For all things round thy head exalted shine.  
The earth is thine, and mountains swelling high,  
The sea profound, and all within the sky.  
Saturnian king, descending from above,  
Magnanimous, commanding, sceptred Jove;  
All-parent, principle and end of all,  
Whose power almighty, shakes this earthly ball;  
Even Nature trembles at thy mighty nod,  
Loud-sounding, armed with lightning, thundering God.  
Source of abundance, purifying king,  
O various-formed from whom all natures spring;  
Propitious hear my prayer, give blameless health,  
With peace divine, and necessary wealth.**

At this point you will want to spend some time meditating on the Seal of Jupiter.

If you have sigilized intent that you want Jupiter to manifest for you, you would use that image instead of the Jupiter Seal, but for the first time you do the rite, it is suggested you use it as integration time, and simply focus on the Seal of Jupiter.

Sit and contemplate the Seal of Jupiter you have chosen. Close your eyes halfway and look at it from that point of view. Drink your drink, enjoy your smoke, and listen to the music in the background. Keep the image of the seal in sight for the duration of this part of the rite.

This portion can last as long or as short as you like, it is entirely up to you.

When you're finished with the contemplation of the Seal of Jupiter, it's time to say goodbye to the Archangel.

**You great and mighty spirit, as you came in peace and in the name of HERU-RA-HA, you may now depart in this same name, and return when I call you in his name to whom every knee bows down. Fare well, TZADKIEL; peace be between us, through our blessed Lord. AUMGN."**

The spirit will then leave. Say:

**In the name of Nuit, Hadit, and Ra-Hoor-Khuit, be all honor and glory, world without end. AUMGN.**

After you've given the license to depart, take your favorite drink outside, and dig a little hole in the dirt. Pour out your drink into the Earth while saying,

**Jupiter, I dedicate this to you and your spirits in the Elemental World. Empower them, that they may work on my behalf.**

If it's alcoholic, ignite it.