

Simple 3- Card Reading

Question:

How can I stop sabotaging my success?



The Spread:

past - present - future

Deck: The Awakening Tarot

Prelude:

I want to touch on how all the cards drew reversed before we get into the reading because I know reversed cards can give off a negative impression. In the case of your reading, I expected them to fall reversed because we are looking to correct negative behavior.

The cards really gave me a good impression about you and your drive for success. I imagine you have some entrepreneur projects or are striving for a good career. It appears you have “ooh! shiny!” syndrome, which is a self-coined term for when we hobby-hop, or switch interest frequently.

There is nothing wrong with being a jack of all trades or switching things up. Variety is the spice of life after all. But I think you know before I even say it, that we have to stick with something. Commit yourself to one thing and allow special interest to come and go, without interfering with your commitments.

Without further ado, your reading....

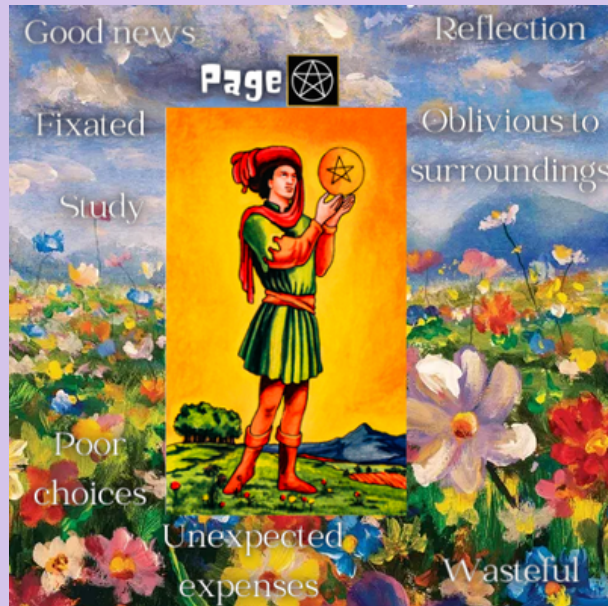
How these work:



Upright keywords are on top,
reversed are on bottom.



Past

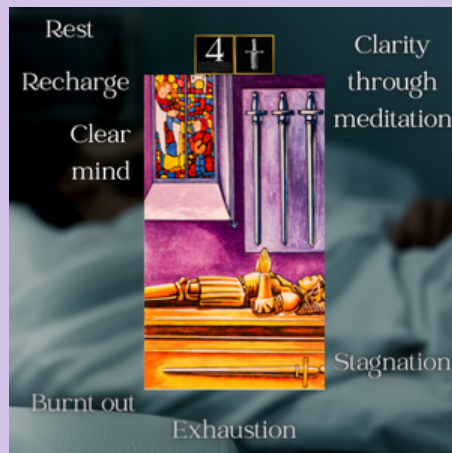


The Page of Pentacles in the past position represents a time of learning, new beginnings, and familiarizing yourself with a new person, place, or thing.

Just as the Page looks lovingly at his pentacle - you were likely eager to learn and willing to put in the effort to achieve your goals. However, the Page is almost consumed with their pentacle, seeing nothing else, causing them to miss attention to detail and other cues from their environment. In addition, as a Page, this card also indicates inexperience and a focus on instant gratification. rather than long-term success.



Present



Ahhh, the four of Swords. I am freshly familiar with this energy because I was just sitting it in for 2 months straight. This card reminds us of the importance of reflection and resting to recharge. It also warns us of the consequences when rest and reflection are not honored.

Are you feeling burned out or facing stagnation? If so, then the best thing you can do for yourself in the present is to just take a moment and be still. I know it is hard. I didn't honor the call and it was rough. I faced repeated towers until I surrendered after a major surgery and literally had to lay in bed for 4 weeks.



Future



The Seven of Pentacles is one of my favorite cards. This card is a visual reminder that you reap what you sew. It encourages you to take a step back and review your progress, making adjustments where necessary to ensure long-term success.

Going forward, the best thing you can do is make the time to make educated decisions on where and how you invest your effort and resources. Remind yourself to work hard because you get out what you put in.

In Conclusion:

To stop sabotaging your own success:

1. Learn from the Past (Page of Pentacles):

- Recognize the importance of building a solid foundation and maintaining commitment beyond the initial excitement.
- Avoid the pitfalls of inexperience by seeking mentorship, further education, and practical experience.

2. Rest and Reflect in the Present (Four of Swords):

- Prioritize self-care and mental health to avoid burnout.
- Use this time to strategically plan and reassess your goals and methods.

3. Patience and Perseverance for the Future (Seven of Pentacles):

- Commit to regular evaluations of your progress, adjusting your strategies as needed.
- Embrace the slow, steady progress and understand that sustainable success takes time and consistent effort.

Invest your time and resources wisely, stay committed while leaving room to productively reevaluate, and rest.

-Chelsea



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