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## ABOUT YOUR TEACHER

I am honored that you have chosen me as your teacher.

Numerology is a science that allows practitioners to enlighten their clients as to who they are, what they can become, and what they can expect in the years ahead.
However, it also takes some practitioners far beyond that; to a place where knowledge stops being theory and becomes an experience. I hope you will become such a practitioner.

Hans Decoz


## "God Does Not Roll Dice."

## Albert Einstein

Born on May 15, 1949, in Amsterdam, the Netherlands, Hans Decoz has been a student of numerology since 1969, when he discovered an old and rather worn-out book on the ancient spiritual science in a secondhand book shop in Amsterdam. For many years, he experimented with the tools of numerology, reading, and studying everything he could find on the subject. Hans traveled throughout Europe and Asia in search of more understanding and knowledge of the different forms and techniques used in numerology.

He used it to better understand his friends or acquaintances, for example, or to interpret various events on the universal as well as the personal plane. Only after he had overcome his intense skepticism was he able to see the practice as yet another example of the ultimate unity, integrity, and wholeness of the universe.

In 1982, Hans began practicing numerology professionally in Houston, Texas. By then, he had a deep understanding -- both of the science, as well as what it suggested about life itself. Soon he had a burgeoning practice, rich with the many strata of Houston s
population -- from the hardworking housewife to the wealthiest of Houston's business elite.

Ever since he was a child, Hans demonstrated advanced abilities in mathematics and art. He loved to figure out complex mathematical problems and, once completed, put aside such work for hours at his easel where he produced drawings and paintings. These abilities eventually led to fascination with computers, for which he also had a special talent. Now he wanted to combine these native abilities with his understanding of numerology. He also wanted to make that understanding more widely available. In 1985, inspiration struck, and Hans developed the renowned computer numerology software program known as the DecozChart.

That program proved to be revolutionary. It was the first (and to this day it is the only) numerology chart-maker program capable of producing a complete numerology chart that included fifty years of forecasting cycles. The chart itself -- a beautifully designed layout -- was placed on a single page, visually capturing the many cycles and changes each person goes through in any 50-year period.


Following the chart-maker software program, Hans started working on a computer program that would produce a complete numerology report for individuals. After two years of writing, Hans called on his friend Tom Monte to help edit the data base of text files; together they devoted four years to the creation of a numerology program that provided people with complete personality profiles and future forecasts. Until then, no one had created a program capable of calculating a person s complete numerology chart, and then producing a unique report that described the meaning of each of the person s most important numbers. It is true that some small, rudimentary programs existed, but this was the first program that could produce an in-depth, personal reading that consisted of 45 pages or more. As everyone knows who has received their own personal reading, those numerology reports are written with incredible insight, compassion, and understanding of life.

Hans Decoz currently resides in Galveston, Texas. He lectures and offers courses and personal consultations. Hans is currently working on his second book. His first book: Numerology; Key To Your Inner Self with Tom Monte, was published in 1994 by Avery

Publishing Group, NY. The book has since been translated in several languages, including Russian, German, Turkish, Mandarin, Japanese, and Dutch.

## USING THE DECOZ® CHARTMAKER.

The Decoz ChartMaker is a great tool that will save you a lot of time and produces beautiful and efficiently laid out charts. Use the charts during person-to-person consultations or include them in printed reports.

After installation, start the program and enter your name and date of birth to produce a chart for yourself. We will guide you through the chart s layout step-by-step. By the time you are done with this course, you will also be very comfortable working with the color charts. Below is an example of a color chart.


We will be working our way through the color chart s layout step-by-step. You will be able to read this chart quickly and easily by the time you are halfway through this course.

## NOTE: An improved version of the Decoz Color Chartmaker can be excessed on our website at worldnumerology.com

For the sake of this course, I suggest you keep a printed chart of Tom Cruise close by. We will be using it to explain the layout of the chart. When you make the chart, notice that you have an option to start the chart at any age. Start Tom Cruise s chart at age 20.

His full name is Thomas Cruise Mapother.
His current name, the way he now introduces himself, is Tom Cruise. His date of birth is: 7/3/1962 (July 3, 1962)

## THE COLORS IN THE CHART.

The colors have been chosen with care. They are loosely based on colors numerology assigns to the single digit numbers in numerology. For example, the 7 is purple, the 1 is red, and so forth. However, I felt it more important to make sure the colors contrasted enough to make them easy to recognize. It is helpful, when you read a chart, to be able to see with one quick glance, that there are many sevens, or many fours. In other words, I use colors the same way a bookkeeper or a cartographer selects colors to easily locate whatever it is those colors represent.

## PYTHAGORAS.

## Pythagoras; The Father of Western Numerology.



Pythagoras was born on the island of Samos, in the 6th century BC. Little is known about the early part of his life. He traveled extensively throughout Southern Europe, North Africa, and the Middle East and probably lived and studied for some time in Egypt. He later established a school on Kroton, in Southern Italy, where he taught Mathematics, Astronomy, and Music.

As a teacher, he was respected and feared. Many people considered him dangerous. In an attempt to safeguard his school, his students were sworn to secrecy and were not allowed to write anything down. He is most often associated with the theorem in his name.

Certainly, he is held in the highest regard as one of the preeminent
mathematicians of all time. However, it was his passion for learning, for truth, and for the discovery of grace and harmony in all aspects of life that sets him apart from other philosophers

It is believed that Pythagoras lived to be almost a hundred years old. He died when his school was attacked and burned to the ground.

## INTRODUCTION LECTURES 1 AND 2.

The audio files below introduce you to the philosophy, history, theory, and foundation of numerology.

Introduction 1: The philosophy and hidden foundation of numerology. 35 minutes.

Introduction 2: The meat and bones of numerology. 50 minutes.

## SINGLE DIGIT NUMBERS, KARMIC NUMBERS, AND MASTER NUMBERS.

During this course, we will describe the meaning of the 9 single digit numbers as well as the Master numbers and Karmic Debt numbers several times based on where they are found in the chart. The meaning of the numbers changes somewhat depending on their location, and I believe that by reading their meaning over and over, but each time from slightly different perspectives is the best way to become intimately acquainted with the personality of the numbers.

You have listened to audio courses discussing the philosophy behind numerology, the underlying patterns, and some basic information on the numbers, including some background on the Master numbers and the Karmic Debt numbers. Please read the following texts carefully. An understanding of the Master numbers not just their meaning, but also their Reason for Being is extremely important.

## The Master Numbers.

There are 3 double-digit numbers that, while they are rooted in the single-digit numbers, require special emphasis and attention. These are 11, 22, and 33.

They are called Master numbers because they possess more potential than other numbers. They are highly charged, difficult to handle, and require time, maturity, and great effort to integrate into one's personality.

The 11 is the most intuitive of all numbers. It represents illumination; a channel to the subconscious; insight without rational thought; and sensitivity, nervous energy, shyness, and impracticality. It is a dreamer. The 11 has all the aspects of the 2 , enhanced and charged with charisma, leadership, and inspiration. It is a number with inborn duality, which creates dynamism, inner conflict, and other catalysis with its mere presence. It is a number that, when not focused on some goal beyond itself, can be turned inward to create fears and phobias. The 11 walks the edge between greatness and selfdestruction. Its potential for growth, stability, and personal power lies in its acceptance of intuitive understanding, and of spiritual truths. For the 11, such peace is not found so much in logic, but in faith. It is the psychic's number.

The 22 is the most powerful of all numbers. It is often called the Master Builder. The 22 can turn the most ambitious of dreams into reality. It is potentially the most successful of all numbers. It has many of the inspirational insights of the 11, combined with the practicality and methodical nature of the 4 . It is unlimited yet disciplined. It sees the archetype and brings it down to earth in some material form. It has big ideas, great plans, idealism, leadership, and enormous self-confidence. If not practical, the 22s waste their potential. Like the 11, the 22 can easily shrink from its own ambition, causing difficult interior pressures. Both the 11 and the 22 experience the pressurecooker effect very strongly, particularly at an early age. It must work toward the realization of goals that are larger than personal ambition. The 22 serves the world in a practical way.

The 33 is the most influential of all numbers. It is the Master Teacher. The 33 combines the 11 and the 22 and brings their potential to another level. When expressed to the fullest, the 33 lacks all personal ambition, and instead focuses its considerable abilities toward the spiritual uplifting of mankind. What makes the 33 especially impressive, is the high level of sincere devotion. This is shown in its determination to seek understanding and wisdom before preaching to others. The 33 in full force is extremely rare.

The number 33 only matters when found among the core numbers: The Life Path, Heart's Desire, Expression, Personality, Maturity number, or as an Essence cycle or Pinnacle cycle. In all other cases the 33 should be reduced to a 6 .

The fact that the 33 is extra-ordinary demanding and rare can be seen symbolically in the methods of calculation. For example, a 33 Life Path can happen only when each of the 3 units of the birth date (month/year/day) add to 11 . Or when the year adds to 22 (in the 20th century there are only 7 years that add to 22 : $1939,48,57,66,75,84$, and 93 ) and the month and day of birth combined total is 11. And finally, when the Birth Day is 22 and the month and year of birth total 11.

## Another way to look at the Master numbers:

The Master numbers 11, 22, and 33 represent a triangle. A triangle of Enlightenment.

- The number 11 represents the vision.
- The number 22 combines vision with action.
- The number 33 offers guidance to the world.

You can read the meaning of the Master numbers on our website:
Master number 11
Master number 22
Master number 33

## The Karmic Debt numbers.

Numerology is based on the ancient idea that each of us is a spiritual being, or a soul, who incarnates on the earth many times in order to further evolve toward higher states of awareness.

During our long evolutionary path of many incarnations, we have accumulated a wealth of wisdom, and have made many good choices that benefit us in future lifetimes. We have also made mistakes and have sometimes abused the gifts we have been given. To rectify such errors, we may take on an additional burden in order to learn a particular lesson that we failed to learn in previous lifetimes. In numerology, this burden is called a Karmic Debt.

The numbers that indicate a Karmic Debt are 13, 14, 16, and 19. These double-digit numbers take on great significance when they are found in the core numbers (the most important numbers including the Life Path, Expression, Heart's Desire (or Soul Urge), Personality, and Birth Day), and in the various cycles during the course of your lifetime. Each has its own unique characteristics, and its own particular difficulties.

When you are calculating your chart -- especially you core numbers and different cycles -- you may encounter the numbers $1,4,5$, or 7 . These single-digit numbers can be arrived at by adding a variety of two-digit numbers. The number 1 can be arrived at, for example, by combining the double-digit numbers of $10(1+0=1), 19,28,37,46--$ all of which total to 10, and then to 1 . However, only in the case of 19 is a Karmic Debt indicated. Karmic Debts are also associated with the numbers 4, 5, and 7. These numbers can be preceded by an array of two-digit numbers, but when the 4 is preceded by a 13 ; or when the 5 is preceded by a 14 ; or the 7 by a 16 ; a Karmic Debt is also read as part of the single-digit interpretation.

A Karmic Debt can be found in different places in the chart. As a result of totals based on your date of birth, for instance, or calculations based on the letters of your name. This means that two people with a 16 Karmic Debt that is located in different places in the chart, express it very differently. Thus, all I can do is lay out the general characteristics of the Karmic Debt, and some broad guidelines for dealing with it.

You can read the meaning of the Karmic Debt numbers on our website.

13 Karmic Debt
14 Karmic Debt
16 Karmic Debt
19 Karmic Debt

## CALCULATING THE LIFE PATH NUMBERS.

## Audio lecture: The Life path. 30 Minutes.

The Life Path, as is the case with all numbers derived from your date of birth, has to do with the momentum, the direction, of your life. The Life Path is a cycle that runs from birth to death.

## Food for thought:

This age-old method is founded on the concept that your Life Path is based on your three Period Cycles. Therefore, in order to calculate your Life Path number, you actually calculate your Period Cycles first. Your three Period Cycles are based on your month, day, and year of birth, and represent the early, middle, and later part of your life, respectively. Your complete life's cycle -- your Life Path -- has all the attributes reflected in the Life Path's number. However, the Life Path is also influenced by the properties and traits revealed in each of these Period Cycles.

## How to Find Your Life Path number

First, we reduce each unit (month/day/year) of the birth date to a single-digit or a Master number. Next we add each of the resulting digits (or Master numbers) together and reduce the total again to a single digit.

Example: October 12, 1936.
October is the 10th month. Reduce 10 to a single digit. $1+0=1$
The day of birth is 12 . We reduce 12 to $3(1+2=3)$
The year of birth is 1936 . We reduce 1936 to $1+9+3+6=19.1+9=10.1+0=1$. The year 1936 reduces to 1 .

We now add the resulting single digits. month $=1$, day $=3$, year $=1$. Total is 5
The Life Path number is 5 .

Another example: November 22, 1911
November is the 11 th month. The 11 is a Master number and is not reduced.

The 22nd day is also a Master number: 22.
The year 1911 reduces to 12 , which reduces
to 3 . month $=11$ day $=22$ year $=3$
total $=36$

We reduce 36 to 9 . The Life Path is 9 .

While there are two alternative ways to calculate the Life Path, most numerologists, including myself, consider those methods flawed, because they are not based on the Period Cycles, thereby ignoring the logic on which this science is based. However, our software programs allow you to set the calculation method to your preference. If you open your Decoz ChartMaker program, and click on File>Preferences, you will be presented with the dialog box shown below.


Notice there are three Life Path Calculations options built into our professional software: $A, B$, and $C$.

A15: The method used in our examples and considered correct by most numerologists. Example: May 1949 would be $5+6$ (the 15th day reduced to 6) +5 (the year 1949 reduced to 23 and then 5) =

16/7.

B: Adds the month + day + year = sum, and then reduced. Example: May 15, 1949, would be $5+15+1949=1969$, which reduces to $25 / 7$. This method is used by very few numerologists, if any.

C: Adds each single digit as it appears in the date of birth. For example, May 15, 1949, would be $5+1+5+1+9+4+9=34 / 7$.

Notice that we used the same date in all three examples, but the results were different in each case: 16/7, 25/7, and 34/7. Using the method I consider correct reveals a 16 Karmic Debt number.

## The Color Chart.

When you look at the partial chart shown below, you will notice that the Life Path number is surrounded by two concentric circles. The date of birth appears within the middle section of the starshaped arrangement.


Tom Cruise has a 19/1 Life Path (shown inside the two concentric circles). His month of birth is 7 , his day of birth is 3 , and his year of birth is 1962 which reduces to 9 .

## the meaning of the life path numbers.

You can read a description of each Life Path number on our website:
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Life Path 1
Life Path 2
Life Path 3
Life Path 4
Life Path 5
Life Path 6
Life Path 7
Life Path 8
Life Path 9
Life Path 11 (Master number)
Life Path 22 (Master number)
Life Path 33 (Master number)
Life Path 13 (Karmic Debt number)
Life Path 14 (Karmic Debt number)
Life Path 16 (Karmic Debt number)
Life Path 19 (Karmic Debt number)

## CALCULATING THE BIRTH DAY NUMBER.

The Birth Day number is the day of birth reduced to a single digit or a Master number. In the case of Tom Cruise, no calculations are needed, because his day of birth is already a single digit.


The Color Chart shows the day of birth in the center of the star-shaped configuration. In this case, the 3.

However, due to the fact there are some slight differences between the double-digit numbers that result in the same single digit (like 15 and 24 , or 12, 21 , and 30 ) we give separate texts to each of the 31 possible birth days.

## THE MEANING OF THE BIRTH DAY NUMBERS.

The day you were born bears great significance in understanding who you are and where your talents lie. The day of birth indicates some special talent you possess. It is a gift to you that will help you along your life s path. Your day of birth is one of your five core cumbers, but perhaps the most finite in that it reveals a specific ability that you possess in a marked degree.

Your Birth Day number is the number of the day you were born, and its examined as both a single and a double-digit number. The reason for this twofold way of looking at the number is that a double-digit Birth Day number suggests that you possess additional characteristics not directly revealed by the single-digit number. For example, a person born on day 15 can be said to have a 6 Birth Day number, but the double
digits, the 1 and the 5, suggest other abilities and character traits not revealed by the 6 alone. The 15 brings very different underlying talents to the 6 than does the 24 , which is derived from the 2 and the 4 , also a 6 , but is quite different in nature. This is particularly important when understanding the Birth Day number, and for that reason all thirty-one Birth Days are described separately below.

The symbol for a Birth Day number is a diamond with the number inside.
You can find the meaning of the 31 birthdays here.

## THE CHALLENGES.

Audio lecture: The Challenges. 18 Minutes.

The Challenge number is one of the few areas of numerology in which subtraction is used. It is derived from your date of birth, using the month, the day, and the year, in that order. (The European style of using first the day, then the month, then the year should not be used.)

To find your Challenges, use the following formula. I will use an example to make the steps easier to understand.

NOTE: When calculating your Challenge Numbers, all Master Numbers are reduced to single digits first.

In our example of Tom Cruise, born $7 / 3 / 1962$, we reduce each of these units (the month, the day, and the year) to single digits. The result is $7,3,9$.

To find the First Challenge we subtract the month of birth from the day of birth, or vice versa. In our example, we subtract 3 from $7=4$.

The Second Challenge results from subtracting the day of birth from the year of birth, or vice versa. In our example, we deduct 3 from $9=6$.

The Third and main Challenge is found by subtracting the First and Second Challenge, or vice versa. In our example, 6-4 = 2 .

NOTE: The 0 Challenge is very common.

The Fourth Challenge is found by subtracting the month of birth from the year of birth, or vice versa. In our example, we deduct 7 from $9=2$.

In short:

The 1st Challenge is the difference between the month and day of birth.
The 2nd Challenge is the difference between the day and year of birth.

The 3rd or Main Challenge equals the difference between the 1st and 2nd Challenge

The 4th Challenge is the difference between the month and year of birth.


Notice that the First Challenge appears below the month and day of birth, the Second Challenge below the day and year of birth, the Third or Main Challenge is centered directly below the day of birth, while the Fourth Challenge fills the lower triangle of this star-shaped arrangement.

## the meaning of the challenges.

Each of us is born with both strengths and weaknesses. Numerology looks at life as if it were an educational process that is meant to bring out and enhance our talents and turn our weaknesses into strengths. This serves to complete our being.

The job of becoming whole is one in which we must face our weaknesses and consciously work to improve ourselves. There are four Challenges to be faced during our lives. For many of us, the same challenge is repeated, while others have four distinctly different lessons to learn.

The Challenges on your life's path provide specific lessons that you must attend to, and, in order to inspire and help you, life will place you in situations that require the specific characteristics of your Challenge numbers.

The four Challenges you are required to overcome during the course of this lifetime will influence you during different periods of your life, except for the Third or Main
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Challenge, which lasts from birth until death. The Challenges are fluid periods of your life, not confined to specific years so much as general periods. All of your Challenges are present at birth, like actors standing in the wings.

## THE FIRST CHALLENGE

The duration of the First Challenge usually lasts from birth until approximately the age of 30 to 35 .

## THE SECOND CHALLENGE

The Second Challenge usually lasts until the age of about 35 to $55 / 60$.

## THE THIRD CHALLENGE

This Challenge carries much weight and will be felt throughout your life. For that reason, it is also called the Main Challenge. As you master this challenge, your life will come more and more under your own control. You will incorporate the positive aspects of the challenge into your character. This is its purpose in the first place. Therefore, there is implicit in the challenge a chance for great reward. In short, this may be the secret to your success.

## THE FOURTH CHALLENGE

The Fourth Challenge is most strongly felt during the latter part of our lives, beginning at the age of approximately $55 / 60$.

You can find the meaning of the Challenges on our website.

## 0 Challenge

1 Challenge
2 Challenge
3 Challenge
4 Challenge
5 Challenge
6 Challenge
7 Challenge
8 Challenge

## THE PERIOD CYCLES.

One of the easier calculations, the three Period Cycles are based on the month, day, and year of birth, respectively.

The First Period Cycle starts at birth and lasts until the Personal Year cycle closest to your 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Birthday. We have not yet discussed the Personal Year cycles, so just refer to the chart below. The First Period Cycle is your month of birth reduced to a single digit or a Master number.

The months January through September don $t$ require calculation they are already single digits. October is the $10^{\text {th }}$ month and reduces to 1 . November is the $11^{\text {th }}$ month; 11 is a Master number, so we do not reduce it any further. And December is the $12^{\text {th }}$ month, which reduces to 3 .

The Second Period Cycle is based on your day of birth reduced to a single digit or a Master number. The Third Period Cycle is based on your year of birth reduced to a single digit or a Master number.


Period Cycles appear in two places. Inside the star and on the $7^{\text {th }}$ row in the wave. As you can see on the color chart, Tom Cruise s Period Cycles are 7, 3, and 9.

## THE MEANING OF THE PERIOD CYCLE NUMBERS.

## Audio Lecture: The Period Cycles. 6 Minutes.

Like most stories, there are three great divisions of our lives: the First, or opening period, finds us groping to find our true nature; at the same time, we are trying to cope with the powerful forces that are present in our environment, our parents, and the socioeconomic conditions of our family, for example.

The Second Cycle, or middle period of our lives, brings about the slow emergence of our individual and creative talents. The initial part of this cycle -- the early and mid-30s -- represents a struggle to find our place in the world, while the late $30 \mathrm{~s}, 40$ s, and early 50 s, sees us with a greater degree of self-mastery and influence over the environment.

The Third, or final Cycle, can represent a flowering of our inner being, such that our true nature has finally come to fruition. It is during this period that one has the greatest degree of self-expression and power.

Your Period Cycles are based on your date of birth. The exact age you make the transition from one Period Cycle to the next is determined by your Life Path and is listed in the chart below. (Remember, the rule is that your second Period Cycle always starts with the 1 Personal Year closest to your 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Birth Date.)

| Life Path number | End of first, start of second cycle. | End of second, start of third cycle. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 26/27 | 53/54 |
| 2 and 11 | 25/26 | 52/53 |
| 3 | 33/34 | 60/61 |
| 4 and 22 | 32/33 | 59/60 |
| 5 | 31/32 | 58/59 |
| 6 | 30/31 | 57/58 |
| 7 | 29/30 | 56/57 |
| 8 | 28/29 | 55/56 |
| 9 | 27/28 | 54/55 |
| You can find descriptions of the Period Cycles on our website. |  |  |
| The First Period Cycle |  |  |

- If your First Period Cycle is 1
- If your First Period Cycle is 2
- If your First Period Cycle is 3
- If your First Period Cycle is 4
- If your First Period Cycle is 5
- If your First Period Cycle is 6
- If your First Period Cycle is 7
- If your First Period Cycle is 8
- If your First Period Cycle is 9
- If your First Period Cycle is 11


## The Second Period Cycle

The Meaning of the Second Period Cycle

## The Second Period Cycle

The Meaning of the Third Period Cycle

