

be dedicated to the planet that rules its particular age. For example : Saturn, "the lean and slippered pantaloon," or sad old age ; Jupiter, the solemn and portentous justice, the serious and serene man who has arrived and controls ; Mars, the soldier,



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full of energy and life, vigorous and formidable ; Sol, the man who has still something of is youth left and is gay betimes and serious betimes, the man who loves and the man who works. Venus explains itself in Shakespeare's words, "the lover with a woeful ballad" ; Mercury, the schoolboy, happy, careless and