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Hi Lana, and thank you for supporting my mission to share peace and clarity through Tarot!

Tarot cards help us connect with our inner wisdom. Traditional Tarot decks contain 78 cards, including the 22 Major Arcana cards representing major life lessons, phases of life, or universal archetypes. The 56 cards of the Minor Arcana deal with daily life and temporary concerns. The Minor Arcana cards are divided into 4 Suits, similar to playing cards: Cups (Chalices/ Emotions/ Water), Pentacles (Discs/ Coins/ Earth), Wands (Rods/ Staves/ Fire), and Swords (Words/ Truth/ Air). Each Suit includes 14 cards, Ace (1) through 10, and the 4 Court cards: Page (Seeker/ Daughter), Knight (Apprentice/ Son), Queen (Artist/ Mother), and King (Mentor/ Father).

In this reading, I'll share the card's general meaning, then describe its specific message for you at this time. Please note that while I don't read reversed cards, I include the reversed meanings or shadow aspects where applicable.

Your Cards

Decks used: Wild Unknown Tarot, Indie Wild Rune Oracle, and Muses of Tarot

Total Tarot cards: 4

Cups (Emotions): 0

Major Arcana cards: 1

Pentacles (Body): 0

Court cards: 2

Swords (Mind): 2

Repeating Numbers: 0

Wands (Energy): 1

Overview

For your question, "I would love some clarity on how to work out the best direction to go, the best path to step onto", I drew 4 Tarot cards and one Rune card. From the Tarot, I drew the **Sun (19)**, the **10 of Swords**, and the **Son of Wands**. The **Daughter of Swords** also jumped out of the deck rather dramatically. Across these cards, we see bright energy on either side of a very dark phase, forming a past/ present/ future spread without my intending to do so. The Daughter of Swords and the Rune Thurisaz bring you the tools to move from the current phase to the next. One Wand and 2 Swords indicate this is a matter of gaining clarity then re-energizing to move through the confusion. One Major Arcana card of the 4 cards drawn also indicates a temporary situation rather than a life-long struggle.

Your Messages

Past

The **Sun (19)** speaks of confidence, radiance, and warm energy, with potential reconnection to childhood friends. The Sun rules the astrological sign Leo, the lion, a bold, powerful leader. Beware burning out on too much entertainment or intensity. Reversed, the clouds may block out the light and warmth needed for your progress.

Beginning with the bright phase the Sun represents, I sense joy and reaching out to make friends where others wouldn't. There was a burning intensity to your every action. Where there's adequate light, a path can be found or made. Even the brightest of lights can be dimmed by repeated dowsing and covering, though.

Present

The **10 of Swords** traditionally shows a person face down, stabbed in the back and abandoned. The Suit of Swords represents clear thinking and truthful communication. Swords may be painful since they cut away what's false. This is a card of betrayal,

destruction, and loss. Allow this painful ending to transform your path rather than serving as a final resting place.

"I put my face in the dirt and finally I see/ the sky that's been avoiding me." -Bright Eyes

In the gentlest way possible, of course you lack clarity and direction when you're face down in the dirt. The repeated experiences of fear, invalidation, and forced isolation prevented you from rekindling your energetic fire. You can't light a torch when it's buried in the cold damp sand. Fortunately, this feeling of being adrift with no way to see any path forward is temporary.

Future

The **Knight of Wands** indicates action, adventure, and fearlessness. This person is energetic and free-spirited. Wands, associated with the element of Fire, encourage you to use your creativity and inspiration to pursue your passion energetically. Avoid reckless action or the opposite, being overly passive, though.

The upcoming phase is brighter, with your energy and confidence returning. There's more adventure and less scattered reactivity to changing conditions. Your writing will be the way.

The Way from Here to There

The **Page of Swords** represents a curious, insightful person applying their intelligence and acting on their thoughts. The Suit of Swords represents clear thinking and truthful communication. The figure in the card confidently holds a sword, perhaps even with some defiance. The sword points to the right, the future. The Page of Swords cautions against being scatterbrained or making unrealistic promises, the shadow side of this card.

The owl seems to be presenting the sword for your use. I sense that cord cutting would be useful for you when you're ready, likely during the next 5 weeks.

Thurisaz, the Thorn or Thor's Hammer, represents the strength of giants, tools or weapons, and conflict and breakthrough. It paints a picture of a powerful warrior with awareness and wisdom for the battle. Further, this concept is best approached with

enthusiasm as it awakens one's will to action and breaks resistant blockages in the mind, body, and spirit.

This is another tool and weapon placed at your disposal. Even greater than the sword's ability to cut through barriers, Mjolnir employs supernatural strength to strike down enemies. I sense a person with a machete cutting through thorns and weeds to reach a better path.

Summary

Moving from the Sun's radiance into the cold darkness of the 10 of Swords feels defeating and deadening. The Page's sword and the Hammer present tools to break away from the heaviness though. Taking up the Knight's wand, you'll be revisiting earlier passions and creative pursuits you found fulfilling.

While your messages for this reading are brief, I feel they're touching on things you already knew, so they may not require detailed explanations.

Please save your reading to review again in 2 weeks to get the most benefit from your messages. Thank you for allowing me to read the Tarot for you!

Peace and light,



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PS. I also encourage you to try this [Star Bathing Meditation](#) from Rebecca Campbell, creator of the [Starseed Oracle deck](#).

Your Reading Photo



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