Quotes From Foundational Elements of Shamanic Astrology Online Webinar

It is better to do one's own Dharma (duty), however defective it may be, than to follow the dharma of another, however well one may perform it. It is better to do doing one's dharma, for to do the dharma of another is fraught with danger. Those who do their own dharma as their nature reveals it, never sin.

~Bhagavad Gita as share in "Origins of the Shamanic Astrology Paradigm"

When you don't follow your nature, there is a hole in the universe where you are supposed to be. ~Dane Rudhyar

Be Yourself, everyone else is already taken.

~unknown

Jung

"If I had ten years left to live, I would spend it studying astrology."

Dane Rudhyar

"The birth-chart has to be understood as the archetype or seed-pattern of one's individual being — as the 'symbolic' form of one's individuality, and therefore also of one's destiny, for the two are identical.

"The Zodiac sign on the Ascendant normally tells us much regarding the dharma of the individual, that is, the central potentiality which the person should seek consciously to actualize as a vessel or lens through which the Divine may act."

"The Self awakens only as it contacts the Earth"

"The essential purpose of astrology is not so much to tell us what we will meet on our road, as it is to suggest how to meet it – and the basic reason for the meeting. Which quality in us, which type of strength is needed to go through any specific phase of our total unfoldment as an individual person.'

"The goal of astrology is the alchemy of personality. It is to transform chaos into Cosmos, collective human nature into individual and creative personality."

"Astrology is a threshold knowledge. Those who are able to use such a knowledge possess the authority of the as-yet-incomprehensible. And this authority imposes upon the astrologer a heavy personal responsibility, whether or not they admit it, whether or not they care to act accordingly. All knowledge engenders responsibility for those who share, or else refuse to share it for fear of responsibility! But the imparting of 'threshold' knowledge, with its potent symbols and its mysterious entities and forces, produces far more responsibility, for those who receive the knowledge must accept it on authority and on faith - as a young child is taught by parents."

"The human being, within the limits of their natal chart, becomes the manifestation of a transcendent purpose, be it seen as a social, planetary, or divine purpose. The individual, self-consecrated and irreversibly committed to that purpose, becomes an agent of the Divine, of the eonic (something lasting for an eon) spiritual Reality in which we live, move, and have our human being. Some may call that Reality, God or Christ; others Buddha. Still others may speak of Great Mother, Earth, or now, if their vision is turned towards the sky, the Galaxy, in whose immense space we live as fish in the ocean."