

Card	Astrological attribution	Aspect of Mercury	Hermetic title
Magician	Mercury	All-around resourcefulness, wily strategy, deceptiveness as a skill, magical efficacy, salesmanship; medicine; skill with numbers. Traveling salespersons and performers.	The Magus of Power
Lovers	Mercury as ruler of Gemini	Gift of the gab, charm, unlocking of multiple choices, eloquence, doubleness, skill with the spoken word; gift of knowledge and education.	Children of the Voice Divine, the Oracles of the Mighty Gods
Hermit	Mercury as ruler of Virgo	Grasp of detail, focus and concentration, linguistic skill, divination, uncovering secrets, economy of expression, skill with the written word. Interpretation of all kinds.	The Magus of the Voice of Light, The Prophet of the Gods
5 of Pentacles	Mercury ruling Taurus I decan	Advance planning, anticipation and prevention of obstacles; afflictions of the joints.	Worry / Material Trouble
3 of Cups	Mercury ruling Cancer II decan	Easy communication between friends and family, bridgebuilding; performance.	Abundance
10 of Pentacles	Mercury ruling Virgo III decan <i>in rulership and exaltation</i>	Great money and resource management; wise investments, general prosperity, skill in trade/business, ancestor reverence.	Wealth
8 of Wands	Mercury ruling Sagittarius I decan	Removing obstacles and offering protection in travel, greater processing speed, carrying messages; letters and correspondence.	Swiftness
6 of Swords	Mercury ruling Aquarius II decan	Psychopomp functions; escaping a sticky situation; problem-solving; beginning of journeys. Fluidity of transactions, resilience.	Science, Earned Success