

Euphonia's Master List of Dice-Throw Meanings

One: Beginnings, initiation, launchings, striking out on one's own, standing alone. Traditionally, a meaning assigned to it is a family quarrel or family difficulties are coming. This throw is considered a bad sign, because if you are throwing two, three, or five dice at a time, this throw means one or more dice landed outside the circle, which is held to be a bad sign in dice divination. Also, a sign you need to work on your aim.

Two: Relationships, communications, cooperation, receiving messages. Traditionally, this throw encourages the thrower to take a good look at situations in their life at this time, because things may not be what they appear to be.

Three: The number of creativity, social life, sex, the written or spoken word, and the joy of living, throwing a three means a pleasant surprise is coming, your situation will change without warning, and very soon.

Four: The number of order, structure, foundation, work, laws, rules, and regulations, in dice divination, this is held to mean that misunderstanding, arguments, disagreements, or setbacks are in the near-future.

Five: The number of change, travel, technology, and expansion, in dice divination, it means unexpected information or assistance will come to you, possibly from a stranger. Plans or ambitions may bear fruit soon, a desire or aspiration may be fulfilled.

Six: The number of home, family, community, and karma, in dice divination, it means misfortune, quite possibly a loss is to come to the thrower of this number.

Seven: The number of study, scholarship, academia, and the occult, in dice divination, it means possible business or financial difficulties are ahead for the thrower; they may be the target of gossip, or be presented with a difficult matter to solve.

Eight: The number of success and prosperity, in dice divination, it is a caution to the thrower to be careful, for they may be tempted to act quickly and recklessly on something, and this will bring them criticism. The thrower of this number may find themselves the recipient of criticism anyway, fair or unfair. This number is also traditionally considered to be a sign the recipient may receive a gift of clothing soon.

Nine: The number of humanitarianism, culmination, endings, and burdens, in dice divination, this number means the thrower may reconcile with someone they value highly. They may experience a success in love or in some risk-taking venture, such as gambling. There could be a marriage coming with implications for the thrower.

Ten: The number of the Wheel of Fortune in the Tarot, in dice divination, it means some sort of success is coming the thrower's way. They may be in line to receive some sort of honor or promotion, or they could learn of the conception or birth of a child who will come to play a part in their life.

Eleven: The number of spiritual illumination, channeling messages from the Higher Realms, the Justice card in the Tarot, and also known as the 'lightning bolt' number, in dice divination, this number traditionally means the thrower will experience a separation from someone they value, and this separation could be either temporary, such as someone going on a trip, or permanent, such as a death, divorce, or relationship-ending argument and consequent separation.

Twelve: The number of the sacrifice, the victim, and the Hanged Man in the Tarot, and also councils, committees, and the like, in dice divination it traditionally means the thrower will soon receive a message of some importance or consequence, possibly life-changing, so if need-be, they should seek out advice in how to handle it.

Thirteen: The number of transformation, revolution, bad luck, and the Death card in the Tarot, in dice divination, this number means an incident which brings the thrower, sorrow, disappointment, misery, or grief is coming. They could meet with disappointment or unhappiness if they pursue a certain situation.

Fourteen: The number of danger from powerful outside forces in nature, the movements and various combinations of people, and also the number of the Temperance card in the Tarot, in dice divination, it traditionally means you will soon receive the assistance of someone in your environment, possibly a stranger. This may or may not lead to a friendship or romance.

Fifteen: The number of the occult, mysteries, and the Devil card in the Tarot, in dice divination, this card means begin no new projects for several days, take no unnecessary risks, and avoid being drawn into arguments or trouble. You may meet an interesting stranger, but don't be too-quick to trust them, because the chance exists they're deceiving you or keeping something from you.

Sixteen: The number of the quiet geeky loner, the defender of home and turf, the homebody, and the Tower card in the Tarot, in dice divination, it traditionally means a short trip is coming in the near future, which will be fun, pleasurable or profitable for the thrower.

Seventeen: The number of the innovative thinker who oddballs their way to success, and the Star card in the Tarot, in dice divination, this traditionally means that the thrower may soon find it necessary to change their plans, their opinion about someone, something, or some situation, or even their world-view. Others, even strangers, may have good advice for them. There could be dealings with people from far away, or dealings with or on water.

Eighteen: In dice divination, this number means pure success is in store. A wish may be fulfilled, a goal reached, or all things may be going your way. This is a very happy number to throw, and in three-dice divination, it is the *best* number one could throw, but there is a caution here against getting too proud of oneself, of getting a swelled-head. One plus eight equals nine, the humanitarian number, so the thrower is encouraged to remember to share their good fortune with others.

Nineteen: The number of the Sun card in the Tarot, in dice divination, to throw this number is another harbinger of pure, unadulterated success and happiness, but without the caution of the eighteen, for this number carries humane impulses within it (the nine). This number is a sign that *now* would be a good time to make plans for the future, as any plans made at this time are likely to have a successful result.

Twenty: The number of relationship and God (2 and 0 together), and also the number of the Judgement card in the Tarot, in dice divination, this number means either (1) there will be delays or hindrances to the thrower's plans, (2) they may soon take up a worthy cause or an absorbing new interest, or (3) a sudden revelation could occur to them, or an important decision with widespread implications could be handed down at this time. There is an 'Act of God' element to this number.

Twenty-Two: The number of the Master Builder in numerology, and in some Tarot decks, the number of the Fool card, in dice divination, this number can indicate some key development or crucial turning-point in one's life may be coming soon. They could become involved in some big, important project, of which they are only a small part. Or, it *could* be a warning that the thrower is headed for some cosmic pratfall. They need to take off the blindfold and look reality in the face, for they could be walking headlong into trouble!

Twenty-Three: Called the 'Royal Star of the Lion' number by the Chaldeans, in dice divination, this is a happy number to throw. It indicates successes ahead, both great and small. They may find themselves receiving assistance, protection, or even advancement or a gift by superiors who favor them. Fortunate future events and the success of one's plans.

Twenty-Four: Combine the number two, meaning relationships and things possibly not being what they seem, and the number four, meaning misunderstandings, arguments and disagreements, and you have 24. Since both add up to six, meaning home and family, it could mean domestic bliss for someone, but it could come at a price for someone else. This number is associated with the Cain & Abel story in the Bible. Someone's poor anger management skills could soon result in a passionate action with life-changing consequences for all concerned. The thrower of this number on the dice may soon be witness to an event they'll *long* remember.

Twenty-Five: This is the 'School of Hard Knocks' number, the 'gain-through-strife' number. When throwing this number in dice divination, it foretells that any gain which the thrower sees in their life, or in a particular situation, will come *only* after they have been through considerable hard-work, difficulty, tragedy, obstacles, challenges, and pain. The caster will have no choice but to show a quiet, passionless strength through the whole ordeal. There may be some injustice which they will have no choice but to accept. This may be a time to sit back and simply do nothing but observe and take notes. The one bit of good news is that, whatever happens, the lessons learned from this period, and the strength gained, will forever be the caster's own, and they will not forget.

Twenty-Six: In dice divination, this number means the caster is in danger of getting into trouble, disaster, or ruin as the result of their association with certain individuals and the endeavors these people may have gotten them to participate in. This number is the sure-fire, can't-miss investment opportunity which crashes and burns, that 'fun' friend who always seems to get you into trouble, the relative who always imparts what turns out to be bad advice, or the partner who is a genius at getting trouble started. In numerology, this number is associated with Jehovah—that's Yahweh, but in Angry Mode. Think Father-who-is-fed-up-with-your-friendship-with-that-damned-kid. It may be time to give some hard thought to the sort of people you hang-out-with when you roll this number.

Twenty-Seven: For some reason, the Chaldeans called this number 'the Scepter.' In dice divination, it means the caster of this number may soon be asked to take some position of power, authority, leadership or command. If the caster has a productive intellect or creative bent, this number can also indicate that they could see the rewards of their intellect or creativity coming in soon. Indeed, it could be that the position of power or authority which they may soon be asked to take could be in relation to the products of their intellect or creativity. Like twenty-one, this can be seen as another fruits-of-one's-labors number.

Twenty-Eight: Of all the thirty numbers which can be thrown by up-to five dice, this number is one of the worst. It's definitely in the bottom five. On the positive-side, in dice divination, this number can indicate a person of great promise and great possibilities. The danger is that through the caster's own carelessness, oversight, overly-trusting nature, over-estimation of the competence of others, or failure to accurately-gauge the opposition or competition of others who are greedy for what they have, the caster is in danger of losing everything they have, of having it all taken away. This number is a *strong* caution that the thrower needs to take *extra*-precautions and try to secure themselves against all conceivable forms of loss, for if they lose something in the near-future, it will be *gone*. They will have to start all over, from scratch.

Twenty-Nine: Two is the number of relationship. Nine is the number of endings and culmination. Add them together, and you get eleven, also known as the 'lightning bolt' number. In dice divination, to throw this number could indicate the caster is feeling uncertainty about someone or some situation at this time. There may be treachery and deception going on. Trials, tribulations, unexpected dangers, betrayal, or all of these may lie ahead. This number suggests a power struggle of some kind is coming in the caster's life, a power struggle which may soon come to a head, possibly resulting in violence. This may mean a break-up. At the very least, throwing this number can indicate some small degree of bad luck is coming, but if this is the case, it will be nothing of lasting importance. Whatever scenario plays out, the caster of this number is encouraged to persevere, for they *will* experience brighter days again.

Thirty: Three being the number of joy of living, sociability, creativity, verbal or written expression, and zero being the God number, if the caster has thrown this number, it could mean a divinely-ordained happy period in their lives coming just ahead. If there is a creative idea they want to pursue, a self-improvement program they're thinking about embarking-on, or something daring or risky they've been wanting to try, they are encouraged to go for it and do it, for the energies of the Universe are behind them in this, support them, and will not let them fail. Conversely, this number has *also* been associated with introspection and retrospection. If the caster has been considering going on some sort of spiritual retreat, this number indicates now would be a good time to do it, or to start planning for such a retreat.