Children

1. You mentioned that a very important rule for denial of childbirth is if the 1st, 5th, and 7th lords are with fewer points for the 5th house, then there is *very* little chance for childbirth. Could *any* one of the 1st, 5th, or 7th lords being with less points bring denial, or do they *all* have to be with fewer points for denial?

All three planets should have fewer points, at least less than 12 points.

2. If the woman does not want children by choice, could she *have* good indications for having children, but in this case her personal choice *overrides* the good indications, *or* should she *also* have indications of denial?

If a woman does not want children by choice, I am of the opinion that a person can change his fate by his/her efforts. In this day and age, everyone is following family planning, and they do not want more than one or two children. This is a perfect example of how a person can change his/her fate by his/her own efforts.

Such a woman can have indications of denial of a child, and in this case, it will be the effect of the planets. In some cases, if Venus is more powerful, and Mars is debilitated for the 3^{rd} , 6^{th} , and 10^{th} houses, the person does not want to take on the responsibility of caring for a child. The Moon should also be weak, or afflicted by Rahu/Ketu.

3. You mentioned a rule for denial of children for a woman. What about a man's chart?

For a male chart, we should consider the 5^{th} house, but for a female we should consider the 5^{th} house along with the 11^{th} house. The 10^{th} house also has importance. If the 1^{st} , 7^{th} , and 5^{th} are with less points in the 10^{th} house, this also leads to denial of a child.

In general, when Gemini, Virgo, Capricorn, and Aquarius are in the 5th house and aspected by Saturn with less points, while the 5th lord is also with or aspected by Saturn, it also denies childbirth.

For a female chart, if the 4^{th} lord and the 8^{th} lord are with fewer points in the 5^{th} and 11^{th} house, it also reduces the chances for childbirth.

As per Vedic Astrology, if retrograde Jupiter is situated in the 5th house, it will also deny childbirth. Other laws connected with Mars and Rahu are considered for abortion, scissoring, and miscarriage, particularly for a male child.

4. How do we look for adoption?

If any planet in the 5th house is with more than 4 points, and if it is aspected by the 5th lord with more points, the person adopts children. The marriage, when no child is there, generally happens in the sub of the planet having fewer points.