

### 8. Bradley Siderograph Model Trend Turn Dates (cont.):

The **Bradley Siderograph** is one of the most valuable tools of **stock market prediction** in the field of Financial Astrology. The siderograph is **typically used to identify turning points (i.e., trend reversals) in the market** over the medium term. Turning points include inversions, which occur when the stock market bottoms when the siderograph tops, or vice versa. Therefore, **turning points in the siderograph can indicate both tops and bottoms in the stock market.**

Siderograph turning points **typically indicate market turning points within 4-7 calendar days rather than being exact to the day of the turning point.** Sophisticated market professionals **use the Bradley siderograph in conjunction with other fundamental and technical market factors** rather than using it alone to inform their trading decisions. For example, if a trend is rising as it approaches a Major Bradley Model turn date, then the Market Professional Trader can consider with increasing confidence that this approaching turn date will be a top. And vice versa.

In 1948 Donald Bradley wrote a book called "**Stock Market Prediction: The Planetary Barometer and How to Use It.**" This book presented a tool known as the Donald Bradley Siderograph, which is intended to leverage "the potency of major planetary aspects to prove the correlation between planetary operations and market responses." The term "siderograph" means star graph. The experience of Dr. McHugh is that major Bradley turn dates in the past have generally been quite predictive a majority of their incidences. Variations arrive in the number of days from scheduled dates that the actual top or bottom occurs in the stock market. Most of the time, turns are within a week of scheduled dates, however on occasion they may occur as far as 2 weeks from scheduled dates.

The Bradley Siderograph is one of the most interesting and popular forecasting methodologies in the field of Financial Astrology. This field involves leveraging astronomical and astrological data to understand and forecast activity in the financial markets. Donald Bradley's siderograph is based upon major planetary aspects, and the declinations of Mars and Venus. The siderograph assigns varying weights to each planetary aspect depending on its exactness. For example, if two planets are 90 degrees apart they will receive the full weight for a square aspect (i.e., an aspect of 90 degrees). The siderograph allocates a lower weight to aspects that are close but not exact (e.g., an aspect of 88 degrees, which is close to a square aspect but is not exact).

Why do planetary aspects tend to identify market trend turns? Number one theory is the positions of the planets somehow affect human mood and behavior, and the collective mood and behavior of people all over the globe affects stock prices, with positive or negative outlooks. Just like the moon being full can affect the gravitational pull on our bodies, which can agitate mood, so too the positioning of planets can as well. Bottom line, the methodology works. "