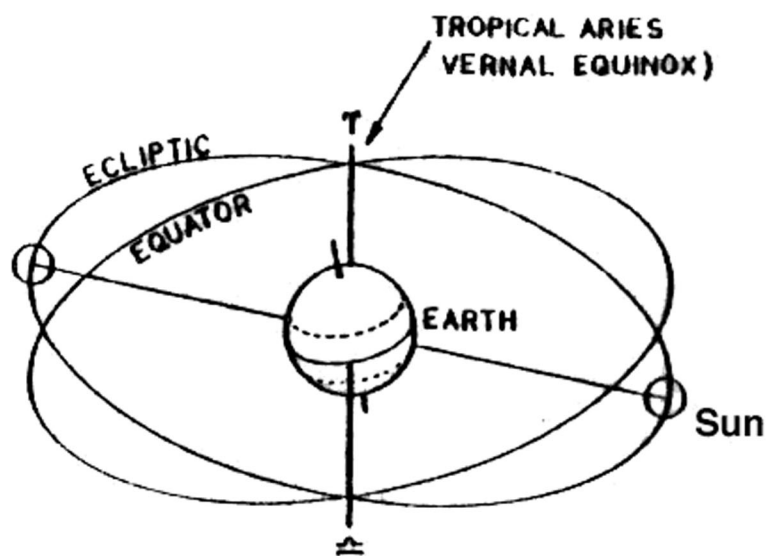


Side View

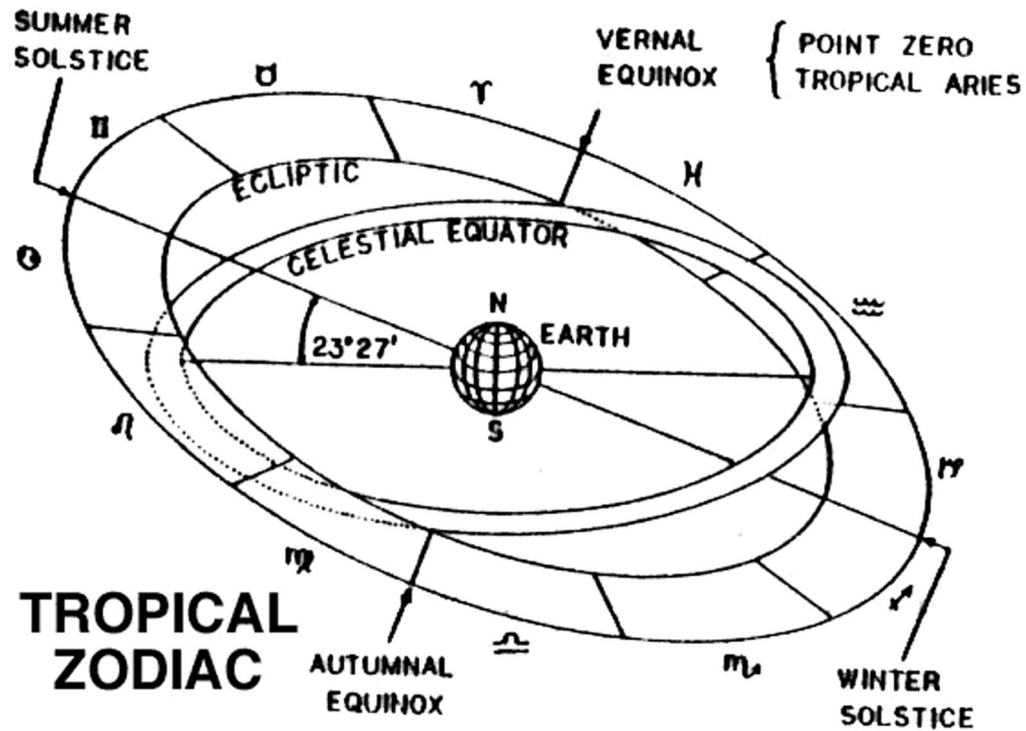


Oblique View

“There are two zodiacs in use today. One is the TROPICAL zodiac used by the western astrologers and the second is the SIDEREAL zodiac used by the Hindu astrologers. At one time both zodiacs were identical but over the centuries they have drifted apart. This drifting phenomenon is called the Precession of the Equinoxes and is caused by the two primary motions of the Earth.”

TROPICAL ASTROLOGY

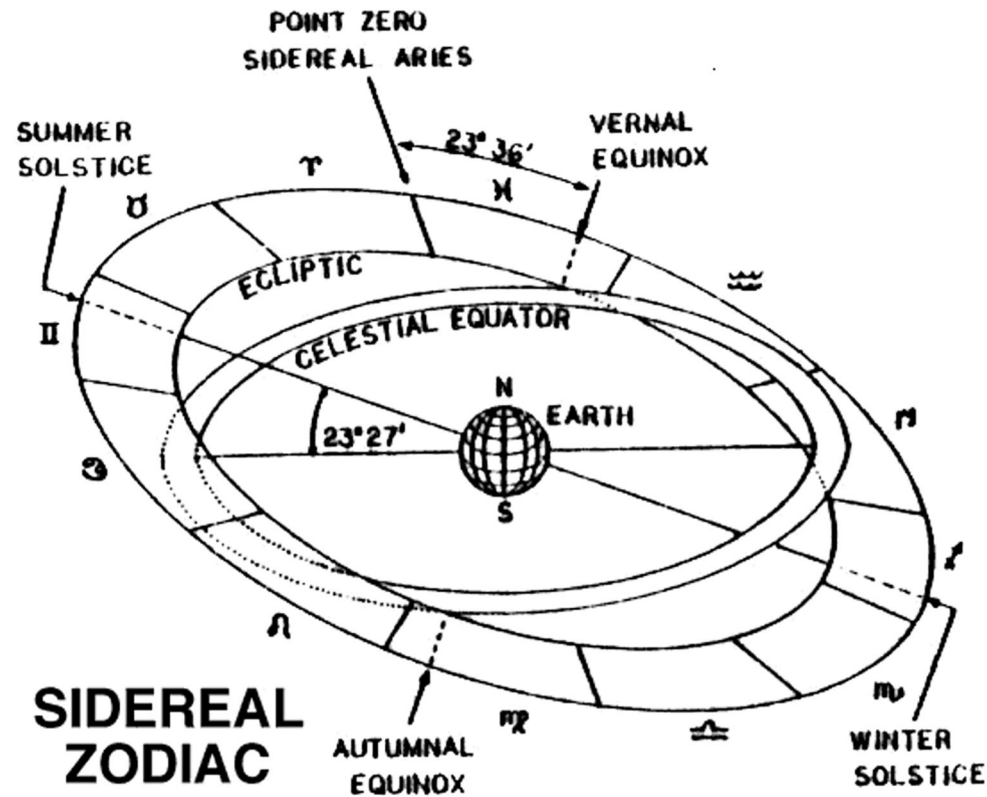
The Tropical zodiac or the Western astrological system is based upon the position of the Sun in relation to the Earth.



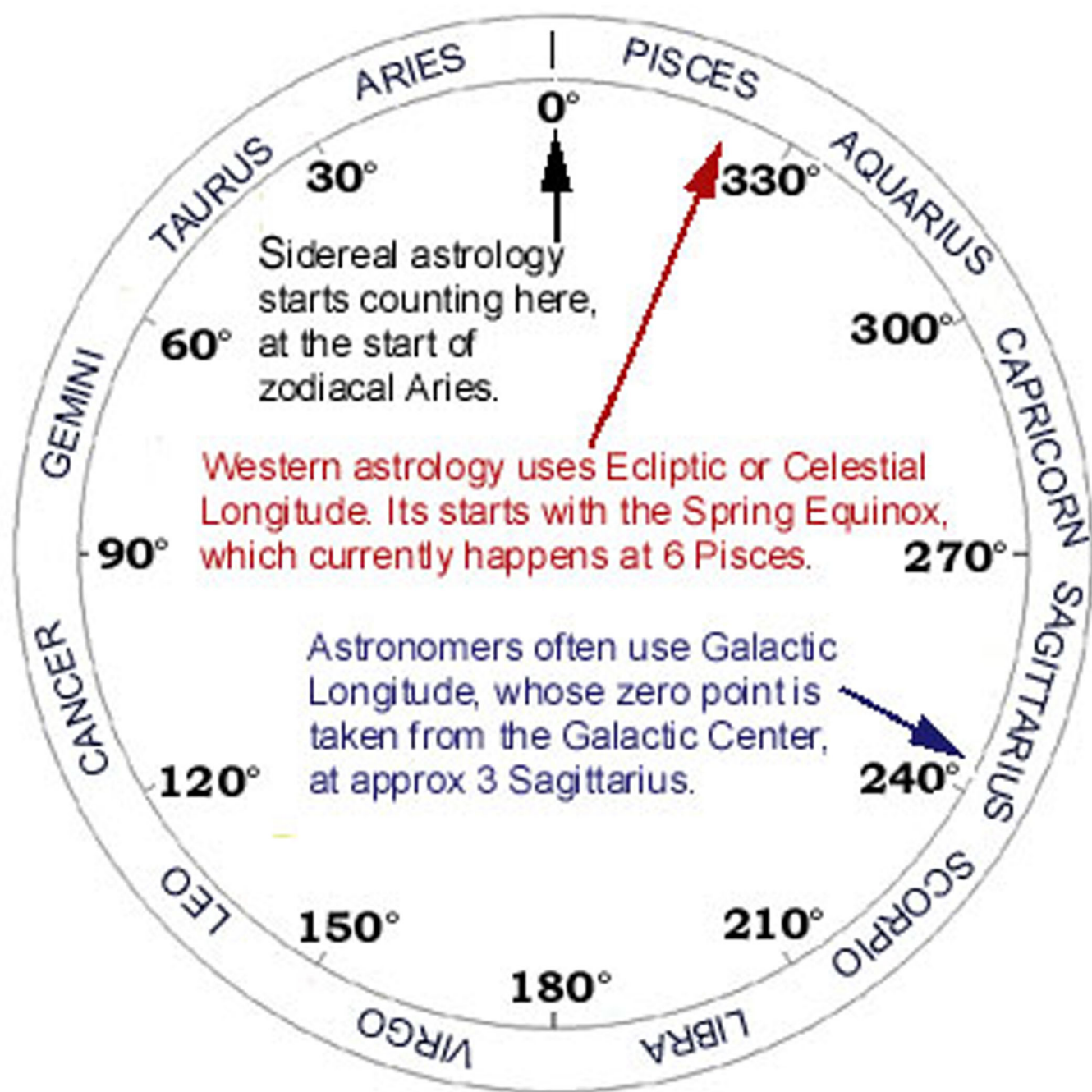
The TROPICAL ZODIAC is derived from these apparent turning points of the Sun which are based solely upon the secondary motion of the Earth.

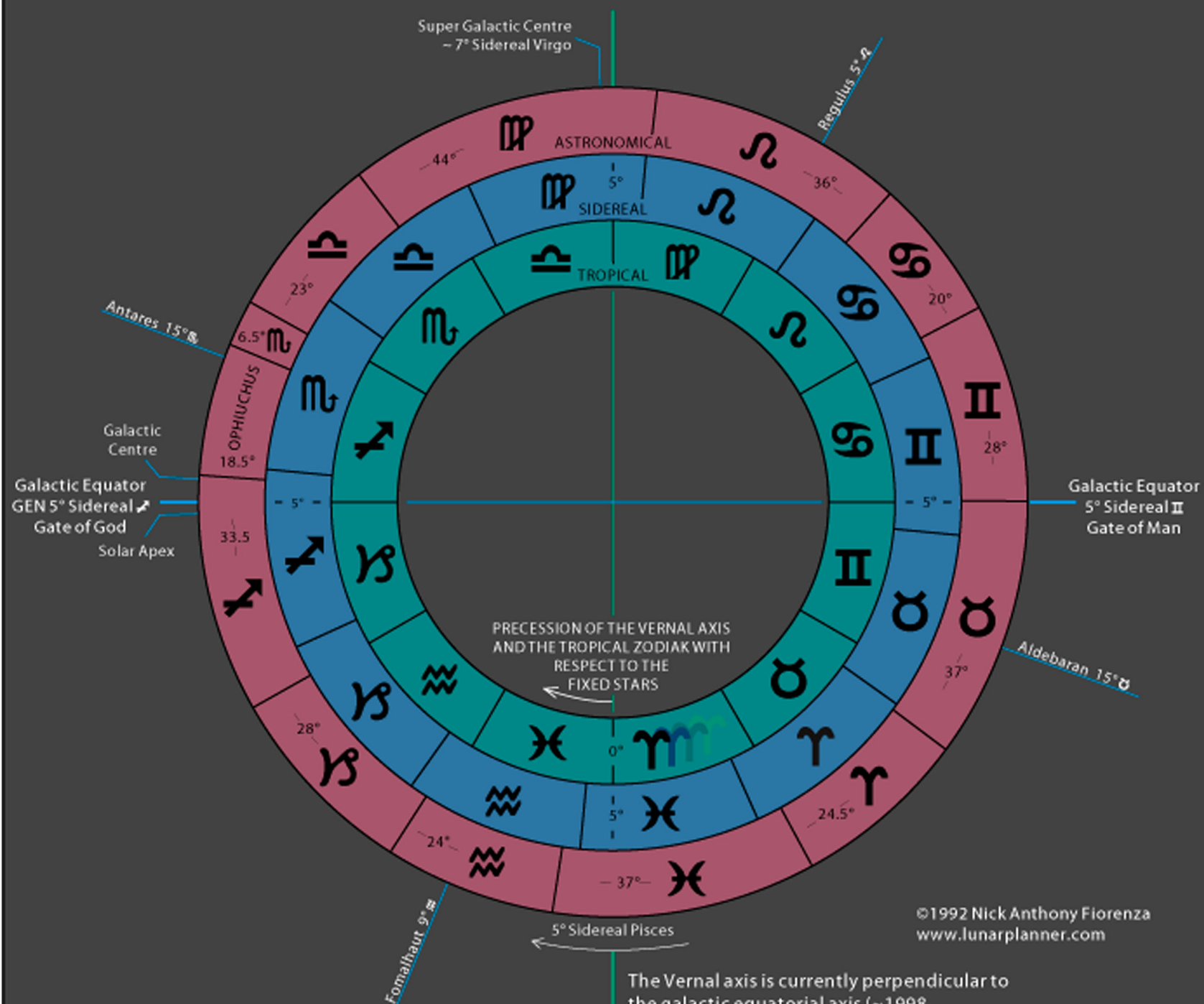
SIDEREAL ASTROLOGY

The Sidereal or Eastern system of astrology is based on the position of the belt of fixed stars and constellations in the heavens



The SIDEREAL ZODIAC is based solely upon the first primary motion of the Earth, that of its orbit around the Sun.





Constellation		Sidereal Date Cyril Fagan	Tropical date	IAU Definition Walter Berg
	Aries	April 15 - May 15	March 21 - April 20	April 19 - May 13 May 17 - May 18
	Taurus	May 16 - June 15	April 21 - May 20	May 14 - May 16 May 19 - June 19
	Gemini	June 16 - July 15	May 21 - June 20	June 20 - July 20
	Cancer	July 16 - August 15	June 21 - July 21	July 21 - August 10
	Leo	August 16 - September 15	July 22 - August 22	August 11 - September 15
	Virgo	September 16 - October 15	August 23 - September 22	September 16 - October 30
	Libra	October 16 - November 15	September 23 - October 22	October 31 - November 22
	Scorpius	November 16 - December 15	October 23 - November 21	November 23 - November 28
	Ophiuchus	N/A		November 29 - December 17
	Sagittarius	December 16 - January 14	November 22 - December 21	December 18 - January 17
	Capricorn	January 15 - February 14	December 22 - January 20	January 18 - February 15
	Aquarius	February 15 - March 14	January 21 - February 19	February 16 - March 11
	Pisces	March 15 - April 14	February 20 - March 20	March 12 - April 18

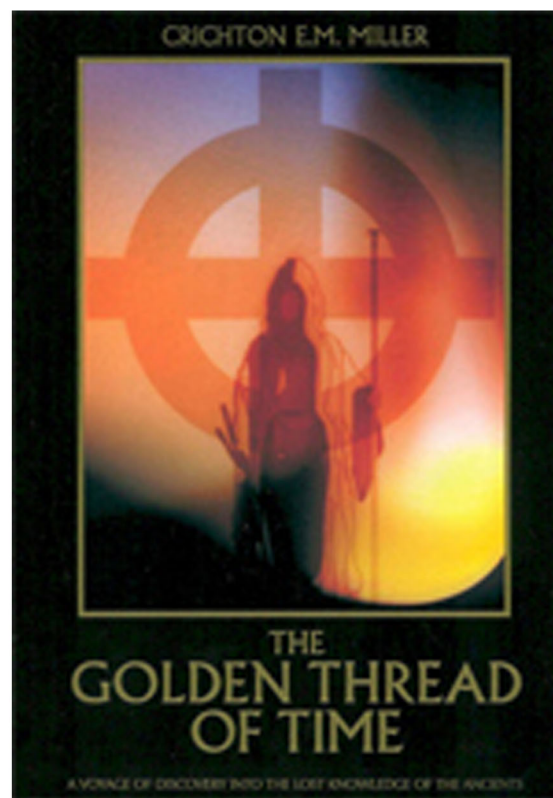


It has been stated by western scholars that the first person to make notice of the Precession of the Equinoxes was a Greek named Hiparchus (200 BC?). But we have shown ... that the Hindus preceded him by a few thousand years. The Hindu term for precession is AYANAMSHA. Ayana is the Sanskrit word for falling back and amsha is the word for portion. Ayanamsha therefore refers to the portion of measurement between the Tropical and Sidereal zodiacs.

SIDEREAL ASTROLOGY

There is a classic unresolved schism between Western and Vedic Astrology. This schism is based on a failure of understanding the phenomenon of the TROPICAL and the SIDEREAL Zodiac in their proper place, and demonstrates a Dis-INTEGRATED vision of both so-called "Western" and "Vedic" Astrologers. An Integral or True Vision of the Cosmic Realities of our existence demands that these Dis-Integrated Cosmologies be seen as only fragments of the Whole. An Integral or True Vision demands that the true roles of both the Tropical and Sidereal Zodiacs are taken into account, rather than claiming that one is false and the other as true. An Integral Cosmology demands that the true relationship of these phenomenon must be revealed.

TROPICAL ASTROLOGY



Crichton E. M. Miller, author of the 2004 book, "The Golden Thread of Time" brings to light very interesting truth about the astronomical origins of the Celtic Cross being astronomical. Yet he writes that using the Tropical Zodiac in the art of Astrology is a mass delusion. With this assertion, he widens the schism between the polarities of "Western" and "Vedic" Astrological arts, furthers our deep Ignorance of Cosmological Realities, reinforces our retarded Vision of an Integral Reality, and reinforces the false schism between Science and Spirit, Heaven and Earth, Energy and Matter.