

Control is the core of her personality



graphology

Lorene Green

Dear Ms. Green:

I am intrigued by your column, and would very much like to have my handwriting analyzed. I am 24 years old, right-handed, and am a full-time mother and part-time master's-in-business-administration student at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. I have tried to write this in my most natural handwriting.

I am especially interested in your observations because my French husband and I (I am American) plan to return to France in four-five years. Graphology is a highly respected discipline in France. There, all letters of application to schools or prospective employers must be hand-written. They are carefully scrutinized by graphologists to determine the applicant's "strengths" and "weaknesses," as called for by the position. As I hope to find a good job upon returning to France, I would like to know what my handwriting says about me. Hopefully, it will not deviate too far from how I view myself.

I am eager to hear from you. Thank you for your time!

J.L.
Redford,

Dear J.L.:

A woman of outward composure is quickly seen in your handwriting. Emergency situations are handled with a calm exterior.

Being somewhat cautious by nature, you do not enter into decisions without taking time to consider how the outcome will affect you personally. Decisions are predicted more on reason than feeling.

Control is the cornerstone of your personality. You are ever aware of how others view your actions and attitudes. And are watchful of how you react, what you say and what you display of your feelings. Although you can be a bit dramatic when you wish to be. Behavior is often defensive and self-protective.

You are a woman of education and culture. You enjoy some of the finer things of life.

YOU ARE ALSO an independent young woman. Probably became that way early in life. A strict

upbringing is suggested by this handwriting. The female influence was strong and some rebellion domination seems possible. The recentment I see suggests you may still have a problem with authority figures.

You are self-reliant and strive for perfection in everything you do. This need for perfection may also include a striving for parental approval.

Your goals appear to be at two levels. Most are practical and geared for the present. Others involve long-range planning and are at a level of challenge.

Discipline is much in evidence. You are duty-bound to carry out your responsibilities. Regardless of how you may be feeling, you will still get the job done. Your determination is an asset here. And there is a single-mindedness about you as you pursue a goal. There is some lack of fulfillment in your life at the present time, however.

You are a serious young woman with an innate curiosity that keeps you digging and delving for new information. Once in possession of this, you spend time analyzing and separating what you can accept from what you cannot. No quillibility here.

YOU ARE ABLE to concentrate for long periods of time on studies or projects. Obvious talents include organizing, details and getting to the bottom line. You can also be decisive and not waver once a decision is reached. All of these traits suggest leadership.

With all you are doing, you sometimes feel unappreciated and pulled in two different directions. Some fear of losing control is also suggested.

Friendships seem to be confined to a small number of people. You probably are attracted to those on your intellectual level. And you definitely feel that charity begins at home. Time, talents and resources are used wisely.

If you would like to have your handwriting analyzed in this newspaper, write to Lorene C. Green, a certified graphologist. Use a full sheet of white, unlined paper writing in the first person singular. Age, signature and handedness are all helpful. Feedback is always welcome.

Scouts do good turn for Goodwill

About 5,000 area Boy Scouts will once again "Do A Good Turn" for Goodwill Industries Saturday, April 19, when they collect clothing and small household items from more than a quarter of a million homes in metropolitan Detroit.

The drive to benefit the handicapped employees of Goodwill's Donated Goods Program will begin Saturday, April 12, when the Boy Scouts distribute 250,000 Goodwill bags to homes throughout the tri-county area. The following Saturday, the scouts will return to collect the filled bags from the porches of the homes. The bags will then be taken to trailers to be delivered to Goodwill Industries where handicapped employees will sort and process the items to be sold in Goodwill's Roseville Thrift Store.

The community's assistance in this cooperative effort is vital to its success. Local trailer companies have donated their trucks and drivers and local churches and businesses are allowing the trailers to be stationed in their parking lots. However, the project is most dependent upon the cooperation of the residents who are being asked to fill their bags with saleable, usable items.

This will be the 2nd annual "Good Turn Drive" the Boy Scouts have participated in since Goodwill resumed its retail operation in September 1984 with the Thrift Store in Roseville.

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