

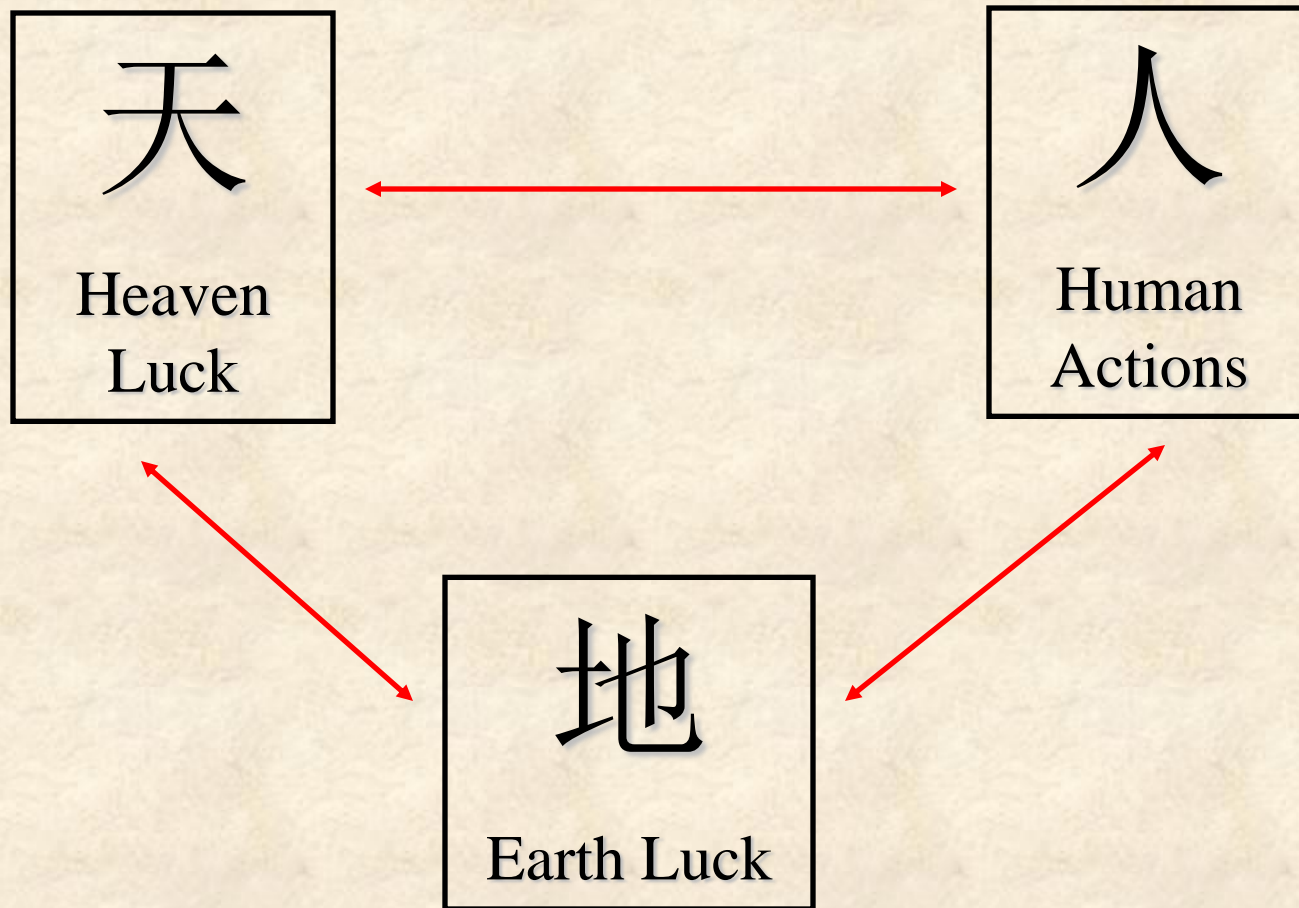


# Welcome the God of Wealth



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# The Cosmic Trinity





Welcoming the God of Wealth or *Cai Shen* at the Lunar New Year is an important event in the Chinese New Year Festival

In 2015 the first day of the first Lunar Month is the 19th of January and the God of Wealth arrives from the West ( $260^\circ$ ) between 12.00 am to 2.00 am DST



The most auspicious time to receive *Cai Shen* in Melbourne is 12.40 am on the morning of the 19th February, as we are currently observing Daylight Saving Time









- To invite the God of Wealth into your home simply follow these steps
- However it is unsuitable for you to personally welcome *Cai Shen* if you are born in the Year of the Tiger or Monkey, so just get a family member or friend to do it for you



- The first thing you must do is to clean your home
- This type of ***spring cleaning*** is best done during auspicious days leading up to the Lunar New Year



## Auspicious Dates for Cleaning

February 10th	Avoid cleaning if born in Pig Year	
February 11th	Avoid cleaning if born in Rat Year	
February 13th	Avoid cleaning if born in Tiger Year	
February 15th	Avoid cleaning if born in Dragon Year	
February 16th	Avoid cleaning if born in Snake Year	
February 18th	Avoid cleaning if born in Goat Year	



- Start at the main entrance and work your way around in a clockwise direction
- Pay particular attention to all the main Qi openings (windows and doors) which are located in the West, as this is the direction which *Cai Shen* is arriving from



Kaffir Lime juice or crushed leaves should be added to your bucket of water for extra cleansing properties



- Alternately you can use 9 drops of Kaffir Lime Essential Oil
- This product is very pure and does not contain any artificial fragrance
- Also the limes are sent for chanting and blessing by Buddhist monks



- Before 12.40 am on the morning of the 19<sup>th</sup> February shower and change into fresh clothes in order to demonstrate your sincerity
- Visualize very clear objectives & thoughts about what you hope to achieve in the coming year
- Products that contains Kaffir Lime have a lovely scent which refreshes and cleanses your energy and helps to attract auspicious Qi



- Light 3 tea-light candles and place them in the West sector of your home
- Open all West facing windows or doors in order to receive the auspicious Qi into your home



- At 12.40 am DST stand (or sit) next to the open window or in the door way of your home and face towards the West
- Inhale the prosperous influences, welcome them into your home and visualize the positive goals you wish to achieve this year in both your professional and personal life



- Alternatively you can burn 3 sticks of incense in the West sector of your home
- Bow three times and sincerely pray for well wishes whilst inviting *Cai Shen* into your home



- Kaffir lime is great for getting rid of negative energy
- The Orange is great for attracting prosperity
- In addition it's aroma is an anti-depressant so very good if you are feeling blue
- Hence the Orange essential oil adds 'happy energy' after cleansing with the Kaffir Lime





- Add a few drops of the cleansing Kaffir Lime essential oil and a few drops of the prosperity/uplifting Orange essential oil with water and spray the house
- Also you can disperse the essential oil via an aroma therapy burner near the entrance of your home or in the wealth sectors



So **Gong Xi Fa Cai** (恭禧發財) and I wish you much happiness, good health and prosperity in the Year of the Yin Wood Goat (乙未)

Thank You