

Lesson 9  
READ THIS STORY #2, Basic

## Predictions

Marilyn gazed at the woman who was holding her palm. She was young and pretty.

Marilyn was a reporter for the city newspaper. She was doing research for an article on paranormal abilities. The editor thought the subject would be interesting.

Marilyn had visited several people who claimed to be able to tell her about her past and predict her future. She had not been impressed.

But as she listened to the words of this particular woman, Marilyn almost lost her composure. She began to be fearful. How could this woman know about the secret problems in Marilyn's past? Marilyn was a private person who didn't talk about her troubles.

Yet the words of the young woman gave Marilyn the courage she needed to face her future. Perhaps this lady did have a paranormal gift. Marilyn decided to think over the predictions she had been given.