



I-Ching & The World of Metaphysics

陽宅大全-艮宅八門圖及艮宅九宮圖

A) Eight Doors Diagram (from Ancient Yang Residential Scripture)

Such technique and application is in relation with the 8 different directions or Guas together with the Yin and Yang as well as 5-elements theory. Nevertheless this does not take consideration of the vicinity topography. The important point is to preciously dictate the Mansion Gua direction that really matters.

KAN MANSIONS

1. Kan Mansion with Kin Door

Cow 丑(Yin Earth), 22.5-37.5 degrees NE1

Northeast 艮(Yang Kan 8),37.5-52.5 degrees NE2

Tiger 寅(Yang Wood), 52.567.5 degrees NE3

Ham 坎	KAN 艮	Chan 震
Kin 乾 (Door)		Shun 巽
Dui 兌	Kwan 坤	Lei 離

Analysis:

Kan mansion with Kin door is the creation of Earth and Metal. This setting is auspicious for both health and wealth. Nevertheless this is not a place for the wife of the house.

2. Kan Mansion with Ham Door

Cow 丑(Yin Earth), 22.5-37.5 degrees NE1

Northeast 艮(Yang Kan 8),37.5-52.5 degrees NE2

Tiger 寅(Yang Wood), 52.567.5 degrees NE3

Ham (Door)	KAN	Chan
Kin		Shun
Dui	Kwan	Lei



Analysis:

Kan mansion with Ham door is the not ideal for small children since the mismatch of Earth and Water would cause disturbances in the house. The middle son is a focal point where he would found that this living place is not suitable for him. Grievances and kinky behavioural of the inhabitants as a result of this setting.

3. Kan Mansion with Kan Door

Cow 丑(Yin Earth), 22.5-37.5 degrees NE1

Northeast 艮(Yang Kan 8),37.5-52.5 degrees NE2

Tiger 寅(Yang Wood), 52.567.5 degrees NE3

Ham	KAN (Door)	Chan
Kin		Shun
Dui	Kwan	Lei

Analysis:

Earth and Earth element together is not without limitation. Behaviour of Female of the house is rather unusual. But this is a decent house for middle class family.

4. Kan Mansion with Chan Door

Cow 丑(Yin Earth), 22.5-37.5 degrees NE1

Northeast 艮(Yang Kan 8),37.5-52.5 degrees NE2

Tiger 寅(Yang Wood), 52.567.5 degrees NE3

Ham	KAN	(Door) Chan
Kin		Shun
Dui	Kwan	Lei

Analysis:

This is not ideal for younger son, the wealth possess earlier would not be sustainable. Siblings are uneasy all the time, beware of pregnant woman would miscarriage if not careful.



5. Kan Mansion with Shun Door

Cow 丑(Yin Earth), 22.5-37.5 degrees NE1

Northeast 艮(Yang Kan 8),37.5-52.5 degrees NE2

Tiger 寅(Yang Wood), 52.567.5 degrees NE3

Ham	KAN	Chan
Kin		(Door) Shun
Dui	Kwan	Lei

Analysis:

This is even worse than the previous one. The Wood destructs Earth causing unnecessary emotional problems and health issues that related to cancer and stomach related problem.

6. Kan Mansion with Lei Door

Cow 丑(Yin Earth), 22.5-37.5 degrees NE1

Northeast 艮(Yang Kan 8),37.5-52.5 degrees NE2

Tiger 寅(Yang Wood), 52.567.5 degrees NE3

Ham	KAN	Chan
Kin		Shun
Dui	Kwan	(Door)Lei

Analysis:

This setting is often misjudged, many would believe that the Fire breeds Earth should be ideal but to the contrary this is an auspicious setting. Unfavourable for female (anger and emotional problem), female overrule male in this setting.



7. Kan Mansion with Kwan Door

Cow 丑(Yin Earth), 22.5-37.5 degrees NE1

Northeast 艮(Yang Kan 8),37.5-52.5 degrees NE2

Tiger 寅(Yang Wood), 52.567.5 degrees NE3

Ham	KAN	Chan
Kin		Shun
Dui	Kwan(Door)	Lei

Analysis:

Both Earth lives harmoniously that creates wealth. However, the mother of the house shows favouritism towards youngest son and females are in charge of this house.

8. Kan Mansion with Dui Door

Cow 丑(Yin Earth), 22.5-37.5 degrees NE1

Northeast 艮(Yang Kan 8),37.5-52.5 degrees NE2

Tiger 寅(Yang Wood), 52.567.5 degrees NE3

Ham	KAN	Chan
Kin		Shun
Dui(Door)	Kwan	Lei

Analysis:

This is good setting that result in fame and fortune. Since the Yin and Yang that matched overrule other shortfall, this is considering a good setting.



B) Nine Palaces Diagram (From Ancient Text on Yang residential)

The mother of Meng Zhe has shifted three times due to the fact that she wanted to have a good Feng Shui for her son to live and study with. Finally, she managed to search for ideal place that Meng Zhe did excelled as a scholar. The nine palaces method is with the merit that taking the Flying Star method into consideration. I am not convinced flying Star Method to be used in the Yin Feng Shui but I am rather confident to use such method in the Yang residential. (陽宅看一片 陰宅看一線)

Nine palaces with:

Ham 1 (Water), Kwan 2 (Earth), Chan 3 (Wood), Shun 4 (Wood), Center 5 (Earth), Kin 6 (Metal), Dui 7 (Metal), Kan 8 (Earth) and Lei 9 (Fire)

1. Kan facing direction that locates on the Ham Palace

Dog 戌 (Yin Earth), 292.5-307.5 degrees NW1

Northwest 乾 (Yang Kin 6), 307.5-322.5 degrees NW2

Boar 亥 (Yang Water), 322.5-337.5 degrees NW3

Shun	Lei	Kwan
Chan	Centre	Dui
Kan	Ham (House)	Kin

Analysis:

The Earth energy is weak but the earth destruct water to cause problematic to the middle son. Both Guas are Yang that bad for the wife of the house!

2. Kan facing direction that locates on the Kwan Palace

Dog 戌 (Yin Earth), 292.5-307.5 degrees NW1

Northwest 乾 (Yang Kin 6), 307.5-322.5 degrees NW2

Boar 亥 (Yang Water), 322.5-337.5 degrees NW3

Shun	Lei	Kwan (House)
Chan	Centre	Dui
Kan	Ham	Kin

Analysis:

Both Earth is conducive for wealth especially in favour for the youngest son. This setting is ideal for generating both fame and fortune provided there is a water element that embracing the front door.



3. Kan facing direction that locates on the Chan Palace (Metal destructs Wood)

Dog 戌 (Yin Earth), 292.5-307.5 degrees NW1

Northwest 乾 (Yang Kin 6), 307.5-322.5 degrees NW2

Boar 亥 (Yang Water), 322.5-337.5 degrees NW3

Shun	Lei	Kwan
Chan (House)	Centre	Dui
Kan	Ham	Kin

Analysis:

This is Wood-destructing Earth that is bad for all members. Accidents related to traffic and limbs are rampant. Misfortune, miscarriage and missing the target!!

4. Kan facing direction that locates on the Shan Palace (Metal destructs Wood)

Dog 戌 (Yin Earth), 292.5-307.5 degrees NW1

Northwest 乾 (Yang Kin 6), 307.5-322.5 degrees NW2

Boar 亥 (Yang Water), 322.5-337.5 degrees NW3

Shun	Lei	Kwan
Chan (House)	Centre	Dui
Kan	Ham	Kin

Analysis:

This is similar to the above setting that the Wood prevails to destruct Earth and causes unease to the family members. Poor for health and poor for wealth, It is a o poor house mind you!



5. Kan facing direction that locates on the Center Palace (Earth nurture element)

Dog 戌 (Yin Earth), 292.5-307.5 degrees NW1

Northwest 乾 (Yang Kin 6), 307.5-322.5 degrees NW2

Boar 亥 (Yang Water), 322.5-337.5 degrees NW3

Shun	Lei	Kwan
Chan	Centre(House)	Dui
Kan	Ham	Kin

Analysis:

Earth is in command in this setting and as such is conducive for wealth and fame and wealth. This will be complemented if the Kin and Dui sector equipped with water element.

6. Kan facing direction that locates on the Kin Palace (Too strong element)

Dog 戌 (Yin Earth), 292.5-307.5 degrees NW1

Northwest 乾 (Yang Kin 6), 307.5-322.5 degrees NW2

Boar 亥 (Yang Water), 322.5-337.5 degrees NW3

Shun	Lei	Kwan
Chan	Centre	Dui
Kan	Ham	Kin (House)

Analysis:

This setting resulted in offspring that show virtues of respect and camaraderie. This is also sustainable wealth setting. This setting is perfect should the Dui and Kwan sectors are with woods.



7. Kan facing direction that locates on the Dui Palace (supplement)

Dog 戌 (Yin Earth), 292.5-307.5 degrees NW1

Northwest 乾 (Yang Kin 6), 307.5-322.5 degrees NW2

Boar 亥 (Yang Water), 322.5-337.5 degrees NW3

Shun	Lei	Kwan
Chan	Centre	Dui (House)
Kan	Ham	Kin

Analysis:

This auspicious setting is favourable for younger son provided that the frontier of the house is embraced by water element.

8. Kan facing direction that locates on the Kan Palace (creation)

Dog 戌 (Yin Earth), 292.5-307.5 degrees NW1

Northwest 乾 (Yang Kin 6), 307.5-322.5 degrees NW2

Boar 亥 (Yang Water), 322.5-337.5 degrees NW3

Shun	Lei	Kwan
Chan	Centre	Dui
Kan (House)	Ham	Kin

Analysis:

Justice, peace and authority are the key words for this setting. Should the owner is searching for wealth; he or she should place emphasis on the ancestor's Yin Feng Shui.



9. Kan facing direction that locates on the Lei Palace (Destruction)

Dog 戌 (Yin Earth), 292.5-307.5 degrees NW1

Northwest 乾 (Yang Kin 6), 307.5-322.5 degrees NW2

Boar 亥 (Yang Water), 322.5-337.5 degrees NW3

Shun	Lei (House)	Kwan
Chan	Centre	Dui
Kan	Ham	Kin

Analysis:

Lei fire is not helping the Earth here that causes problems for older and middle son. The setting would generate wealth at the beginning but fail later on and women are in control of this house.

Note: Again this Nine Palaces reading must take into consideration the vicinity topography. To determine the right direction is important and this is not too difficult to dictate. The incoming of water elements as well as the mountain surrounding the site should have a much bigger impact.

After-words:

The observation of topographical such as the high and low of the area, together with the manoeuvring the 5-elements as well the matching of Yin and Yang should be used in flexibility manner. Again to emphasis the right measure of the house direction is critical first step. The ancient traditional houses vary from different walks of life. The higher end would have many rooms and many people to fit in. For the poor or lower end, the house is simply enough to fit smaller family. That is why the success of Feng Shui is how you create more people in the family. Any river, well, pond, lakes, school, temple or even a rock at vicinity have impact!

To determine the right place is none other than finding the balance or equilibrium state, anything that is tilted towards one end is not good. Excessive, Destruction and Nurturing are three key words here for analysing the site Feng Shui.

Example of Excessive:

When Metal is too much, rather than creating water, it would pollute the water.

When Water is too much, rather than nurturing wood, it would float the wood.

When Earth is too much, rather than nurturing metal, it would bury the metal.

When Wood is too much, rather than nurturing fire, it would halt the burning process.

When Fire is too much, rather than nurturing Earth, it would burnt the earth.

By Kerby Kuek kerbykuek@gmail.com

