

# Ten of Swords

«Endings, betrayal, and backstabbing.»



*Betrayal  
Closure  
Transformation*

## UPRIGHT MEANING

*A painful ending, betrayal, hitting rock bottom, and feeling defeated*

## REVERSED MEANING

*Recovery, rising after a fall, and seeing the worst is over*

## SYMBOLISM



### MAN LYING FACE DOWN

*Representing a betrayal, being backstabbed, or feeling utterly defeated*



### RED

*Pain, suffering, and intense emotions*



### DARK CLOUDS WITH A DAWN

*Indicating that even in the darkest moments, there's hope and a new beginning on the horizon*



### GOLDEN DAWN

*Hope, new beginnings, and the promise of a brighter day.*

## SUIT OF SWORDS

**ELEMENT:** Air

**KEYWORDS:** Intellect, logic, truth, ideas, communication

**ZODIAC SIGN:** Gemini, Libra, Aquarius

**DUALITY:** Active

**SEASON:** Spring

## NUMEROLOGY

**10**

*Represents completion, endings, and new beginnings. Associated with the end of a challenging cycle and the potential for a fresh start.*