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In the Osirian Mysteries you find the Egyptian God Osiris who represent the Lord of the Dead , Ruler of the underworld. Osiris is the dispenser of justice and in Masonic terminology the Zodiac is represented by an oblong square with the 4 Cardinal points in each corner and Osiris in the middle. Osiris is ruled by Saturn which rules the day Saturday and is represented by the Nile River. In the Osirian Mysteries the drama is always carried out between the waxing to the full moon on a sacred lake. Osiris is represented in several mythologies by either the Sun or the Moon. Osiris has been known to represent "the ruler of the dead" that is he judges the sinners and collects their souls for purification in the afterlife(they become his slaves). Many of Zodiac killings were on a Saturday or close to the midnight hour on Friday. He unconsciously or consciously choose to kill around bodies of water or references to water. He may have planned his killings between the waxing to full moon. If Zodiac were a Mason he may have identified himself with Osiris and may have felt protected by that identification.

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Osiris is also represented by the symbol of the circle with the cross in it. The same symbol Zodiac used. If you get a book on ancient symbols you can readily see that many of the Arcane symbols Zodiac used in his ciphers are a part of the Masonic mythology. The Osirian mysteries are included in the Scottish Rite in the acquisition of degrees. My point is I feel Zodiac was a Mason and choose his name based on the Masonic definition of the word "Zodiac" and that he distorted the Osirian mysteries to fit somehow his demented personality with the delusion that he was the reincarnation of Osiris in this particular lifetime. If Zodiac was a Mason this would have given him more access to information concerning the Zodiac case than your average individual.