### Reasoning the Lunar Month Start

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Full Moon + 14days:18hours:22 min = New Moon Junction
Or Full Moon +15 Days minus 5hrs:38 min = Junction (conjunction)
29 days, 12 hours, 44 minutes, 2.8 seconds = 29.53056 / 2 = 14.76528 Days
This always places Full Moon on 1<sup>st</sup> day of Passover & 1<sup>st</sup> day of Tabernacles
(Eclipse only on 1<sup>st</sup> or 15<sup>th</sup> Day)

- ( Last day of Moon Seen leading the sun
- (\* 1<sup>st</sup> day of Moon Dark **Last Day of** Yahshua's **Lunar Month**
- (\*) 2nd day of Moon Dark Moon Centered to sun 1st Day of Yahshua's Month
- \*) 3<sup>rd</sup> day of Moon Dark
- 1st day New Moon Sighted following sun 1st Day Tradition & Pharisee Month

An **offset of 2-Days** between (Conjunction–Centered) & Traditional (First Sighting) for Month Starts, Justify how Yahshua completed His Passover, Trial, & Death, **before** the Pharisee Priests started their Traditional **Day of Preparation before Passover** 

#### --- Outline of Yahshua's Passover ---

Tuesday – Yahshua's Day of Preparation - 14<sup>th</sup> day from moon centered, 12<sup>th</sup> day sighted On the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of teaching in Temple, John & Peter prepare Upper Room for Passover (At sundown Tuesday starts the Night of Wednesday)

Wednesday – Yahshua's 1<sup>st</sup> Day of Passover - 15<sup>th</sup> day from centered, 13<sup>th</sup> day sighted Yahshua has His Passover with Disciples

Arrest & **Pharisee Trial** before morning – Peter hears Crowing before sun-up.

3 Trials that day by - Pilate - Herod – Pilate; Scourged, Crucified & Death before Sundown

The Sun Darkened at Noon 3 hrs that day, 1<sup>st</sup> day of Pesach, 15<sup>th</sup> day of Moon Junction

This was not an Eclipse of the Sun & Moon – not possible on a full moon

(At sundown Wednesday starts the Night of Thursday, the Burial)

Thurs day – Yahshua's 2<sup>nd</sup> Day of Passover - 16<sup>th</sup> day from moon centered, 14<sup>th</sup> day sighted

Pharisee's insist that crucified men be killed and taken down

Buried before Morning, so as not to defile their Day of Preparation

(1<sup>st</sup> Night & 1<sup>st</sup> Day of burial)

Friday – Yahshua's 3<sup>rd</sup> Day of Passover - 17<sup>th</sup> day from moon centered, 15<sup>th</sup> day sighted Pharisee & Jews begin Traditional Passover

Pharisee ask Pilate to **guard** the Tomb, Pilate tells them to **use their own** watchmen (2<sup>nd</sup> Night & 2<sup>nd</sup> Day of burial) (Pharisee 1<sup>st</sup> day)

Saturday – Yahshua's 4<sup>th</sup> Day of Passover - 18<sup>th</sup> day from moon centered, 16<sup>th</sup> day sighted (3<sup>rd</sup> Night & 3<sup>rd</sup> Day of burial) (Pharisee 2<sup>nd</sup> day & 1<sup>st</sup> Omer)

(At sundown Saturday starts the Night of Sunday - arise)

Sunday – Yahshua's 5<sup>th</sup> Day of Passover - 19<sup>th</sup> day from moon centered, 17<sup>th</sup> day sighted

Great earthquake opens tomb before morning, & Yahshua is seen by many that day

5<sup>th</sup> day of Yahshua's Pesach (Pharisee 3<sup>rd</sup> day & 2<sup>nd</sup> Omer)

- 3 days later -

Wednesday (8<sup>th</sup> Day is Yahshua's 1<sup>st</sup> Offering of the Omer) (Pharisee 5<sup>th</sup> day & 4<sup>th</sup> Omer) On 8<sup>th</sup> Day, Yahshuah ate with Apostles breaking bread, walked out with them & was taken up.

#### --- Outline of Yahshua's Passover to Omer ---

Messiah ask Peter & John to Prepare upper Room for Passover Day of Preparation for Messiah 14th day from moon centered

Tuesday

After sunset

Night

Before Sunrise

centered 14 sighted 12 Morning Day

Sunset

Messiah Day-1 of Passover & Trial & Death on 15th day Eclipse of Sun Darkens Earth Eclipse not from Moon Not possible on Full Moon Pharisee bury their dead before morning centered 15 sighted 13 Wednesday Morning After sunset Day Night Before Sunrise Sunset

Messiah Burial & 1st night & day in tomb Pharisee Day of Preparation Messiah Pesach Day-2 Pharisee Pesach Prep Taken down wrapped & buried that night centered 16 sighted 14 Thursday Morning After sunset Day Night Sunset

Messiah 2nd Night & day in tomb Pharisee Day-1 of Passover. Messiah Pesach Day-3 Pharisee Pesach Day-1 Asked Pilot to set Guard. He said - Ye have guards. Set your own guard Friday centered 17 sighted 15 Morning After sunset Day Night Sunset Before Sunrise

Messiah 3rd Night & day in tomb Saturday - Pharisee day1 Omar offering count to Shavuot Messiah Pesach Day-4 Pharisee Pesach Day-2 Pharisee Omar-1 centered 18 Saturday sighted 16 Morning After sunset Day Night Sunset Before Sunrise

Tomb is open & Messiah is seen by 2 on a road, he ate with them & vanished Messiah Pesach Day-5 Pharisee Pesach Day-3 Pharisee Omar-2 Great Earthquake opens tomb before morning centered 19 Sunday sighted 17 Morning After sunset Day Night Sunset Before Sunrise

Ate with 11 & said go now to Gallilee, then wait in Jerusalem till things are fulfilled

Before Sunrise

Messiah Pesach Day-6 Pharisee Pesach Day-4 Pharisee Omar-3 centered 20 Monday sighted 18 Morning After sunset Day Sunset Night Before Sunrise

Gone Fishing Messiah 7th day of Passover Holy Sabbath day Messiah Pesach Day-7 Pharisee Pesach Day-5 Pharisee Omar-4 centered 21 Tuesday sighted 19 Morning After sunset Day Night Sunset Before Sunrise

Messiah appeared to the eleven fishing He took them as far as to Bethany & lifted hands & ascended Offering of Omar Day-1 of Omar Pesach Day-8 Phansee Pesach Day-6 Pharisee Omar-5 centered 22 Wednesday sighted 20 Morning After sunset Day Night. Sunset Before Sunrise

#### --- Determine the First Omer ---

Pharisee Traditions celebrate the first Sabbath (Saturday) during Passover as first Omer to renew eating of Leavened Bread.

Yahshua observed 1<sup>st</sup> day of the month at the moon center junction, and his 14<sup>th</sup> evening & 15<sup>th</sup> day was Passover on a full moon. He told his disciples to tarry in Jerusalem until the Holy Spirit Anoints them on 50<sup>th</sup> day Feast of Weeks. His wave offering and ascension was the First Fruits offering of the Omer on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of Passover. This timing always produces a full moon on 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> day of Savuot.

#### --- Leviticus 23:6-16 Begins the Omer ---

15<sup>th</sup> Day is the feast of Unleavened Bread. 1<sup>st</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> days are Holy. The morning after the 7<sup>th</sup> day bring first-fruits to priest, he shall wave the sheaf. Eat no bread or corn or green ear of first-fruit until you have brought that offering. In 50 days bring 2-leavened loaves to offer.

#### -- Some of the many Verses of Yahshua's Passover --

--- -- Matthew -- ---

Mat 27:62 Now the next day, that followed the day of the preparation, the chief priests and Pharisees came together unto Pilate, (on Pharisee sabbath day of Passover)

Mat 27:63 Saying, Sir, we remember that that deceiver said, while he was yet alive, After three days I will rise again.

Mat 27:65 **Pilate said** unto them, **Ye have a watch**: go your way, make it as sure as ye can. (Commonly taught as Roman Guards & Roman Seal)

Mat 27:66 So they went, and made the sepulchre sure, sealing the stone, and setting a watch.

(The Pharisees set their own Guards & Seal)

--- -- Mark -- ---

Mar 15:42 And now when the even was come, because it was the preparation, that is, the day before the sabbath, (that sabbath to come was the Pharisee passover)

(Evening of the preparation was sunset following day of trial & death on his Passover)

Mar 15:43 Joseph of Arimathaea, an honourable counsellor, which also waited for the kingdom of God, came, and went in boldly unto Pilate, and craved the body of Jesus.

--- -- Luke -- ---

Luk 23:53 And he took it down, and wrapped it in linen, and laid it in a sepulchre that was hewn in stone, wherein never man before was laid. (Burial before the daylight preparation day)

Luk 23:54 And that day was the preparation, and the sabbath drew on. (Burial before Pesach) --- -- John -- ---

Joh 19:31 The Jews therefore, because it was the preparation, that the bodies should not re main upon the cross on the sabbath day, (for that sabbath day was an high day,) besought Pilate that their legs might be broken, and that they might be taken away.

--- 1st Omer on 8th Day of Pesach taught in Luke -- ---

Luk 24:50 And he led them out as far as to Bethany, and he lifted up his hands, and blessed them. Luk 24:51 And it came to pass, while he blessed them, he was parted from them, and carried up into heaven. (Yahshua's 8<sup>th</sup> day of Pesach & 1<sup>st</sup> Omer, Pharisee 5<sup>th</sup> day & 4<sup>th</sup> Omer)

Using Calculations of the following pages

Moon is exactly full at 8:29 a.m. EDT, Thursday, August 15, 2019

Full moon to Dark moon centered is 14 days:18 hrs:22 min (15 days minus 5hrs:38min) Full moon to Junction = Lunar month start = Aug 30, 2019 at 2:51am EDT

Add 4 quarters of 29 days:12 hrs:44 min, OR (30 days minus 11hrs:16min)

Rosh Hashanah starts after 29 days:12 hrs:44 min = Saturday Sept 28, 2019; 3:33pm EDT Note: Israel is 9hrs ahead & thus after midnight their Sunday of Sept 29; 12:33am Israel (Two different days; two different hours; at the same Lunar instant)

Last day of Moon Seen leading the sun

- 1<sup>st</sup> day of Moon Dark **Last Day of** Yahshua's **Lunar Month**
- 2nd day of Moon Dark Moon Centered to sun 1<sup>st</sup> Day of Yahshua's Month
- 3<sup>rd</sup> day of Moon Dark
  - 1st day New Moon Sighted following sun 1st Day **Tradition & Pharisee** Month

(Eclipse will only occur on align of sun, moon & earth on 1st or 15th Day of Lunar Month)

#### Note: Pharisee Tradition & Islam start Month on New Moon Sighting – 2 Days Late

#### Full Moon + 14days:18hours:22min = New Moon Junction Or Full Moon +15 Days minus 5hrs:38min = Junction

## This always places Full Moon on 1<sup>st</sup> day of Passover & 1<sup>st</sup> day of Tabernacles (A Full moon may cover 2 days if time of align ment is near sunset)

29 days, 12 hours, 44 minutes, 2.8 seconds = 29.53056 / 2 = **14.76528 Days** Moon Angle changes 12.190761 degrees per day, or 1hr, 14 min per day

#### -- Sight the Moon & Calculate the Coming Month --

If your calculation places the Junction time after sunset, it is defined as the next day.

A Full Moon rises at sunset, or sets at sunrise within 74 min (180` offset)

If Full moon is determined greater than 37 minute offset, New Moon will span 2 days

- 1st day of month on Conjunction Moon, aligned to sun -not seen except sun eclipse Add 29 days:12 hrs:44 min to the next New Moon (30 days minus 11 hrs:16 min)
- 1<sup>st</sup> quarter Due to an Elliptical Orbit, a half moon will vary in time Add generally 22 days: & 3 hrs to the next New Moon junction
- **Deduce precise time of Full moon** rises or sets within 37 minutes opposite of Sun Add 14 days:18 hrs:22 min to the next New Moon (15 days minus 5hrs:38 min)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter Due to an Elliptical Orbit, a half moon will vary in time Add generally 7 days & 9 hrs to the next New Moon junction
- New Moon Junction starts First Day of the Month, aligned to the sun & not seen except when the sun is eclipsed

Observe the Moon & Stars for accuracy of a proper announcement. Obscuring by clouds, a lapse in observation, or a dispute of location, will not interfere with a precise prediction.

#### -- Sight the Stars to Recognize the Month --

These observances are made without equipment, and few skills are needed by those who live under the stars. The accounting is done to identify the 1<sup>st</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, & 8<sup>th</sup> months, by watching three star patterns in the sky, & Josephus observes a fourth.

The books of Job 9:9, 38:31, & Amos 5:8 recognize the importance of three stars that have names of Arcturus, Orion, and Pleiades. These bright points of light identify two feasts when they rise in the east, as the sky darkens at sunset. This method places the star and pattern overhead at the midpoint of the night, and setting in the west as sunrise lightens the sky. Josephus Antiquities 3.10.1 Aries is in the sun for the month of N isan.

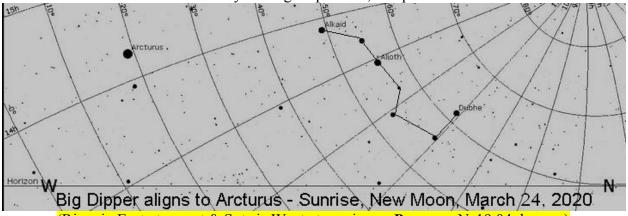
One month before the Feast. The alignment star is seen at Midpoint-of-the-Night at a 1-oclock position from the perspective of the North Star.

Stars pass over earth slightly faster than sun, as they rise & set 4-min earlier each night.

## Only when rising just as the sunsets and set before sunrise, is the month in effect. Observation of Arcturus for Nisan 1<sup>st</sup> Month

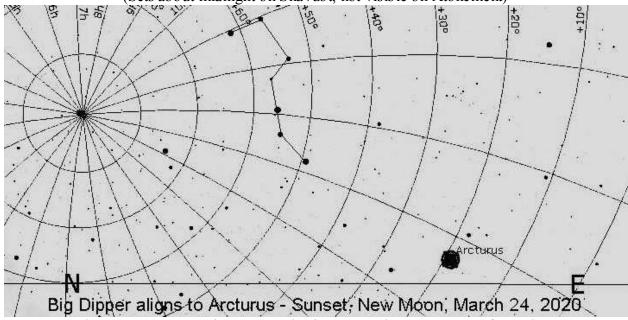
The **Double star of Arcturus** is recognized by the Big Dipper alignment for the **First Month** of **Nisan**, around our calendar Mar-Apr, & the 14<sup>th</sup> Lunar Day will be after the Equinox.

**Sunrise** about 6am, Arcturus is near West horizon on the New Moon of March 24, 2020. At New Moon February has higher position, at April is below horizon.



(Rises in East at sunset & Sets in West at sunrise on **Passover** N-19.04 degrees)

(Sets about midnight on Shavuot, not visible on Atonement)



**Sunset** about 6pm, Arcturus is near East horizon at on the New Moon of March 24, 2020. At New Moon February is below horizon, at April has higher position.

## --- -- Job was written before the appointed feasts -- --

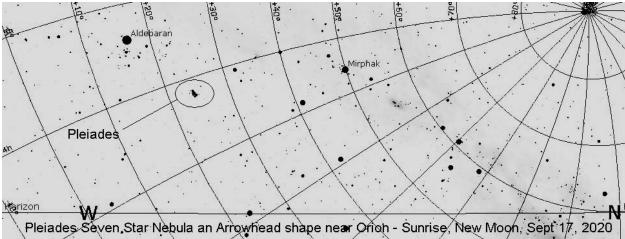
Job 9:9 Which make Arcturus, Orion, and Pleiades, and the chambers of the south.

Job 38:31 Can thou bind the sweet influences of Pleiades, or loose the bands of Orion?

Amos 5:8 Seek him that made the seven stars (Pleiades) and Orion, and turns the shadow of death into the morning, and makes the day dark with night: that calls for the waters of the sea, and pours them out upon the face of the earth: Yahweh is his name:

**Antiquities 3.10.5** When the **s un is in Aries** (by 7<sup>th</sup> month stars of Pleiades) is the month of Nisan that we were delivered from bondage under the Egyptians. (Passover) Note that Hebrews use the visible stars, Pharisees use the stars blotted by the sun.

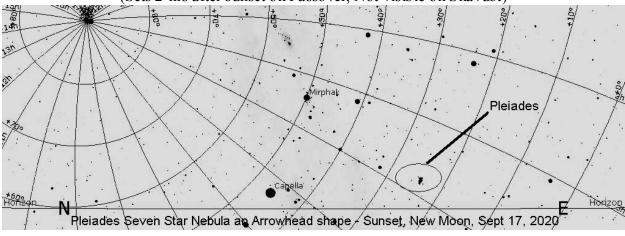
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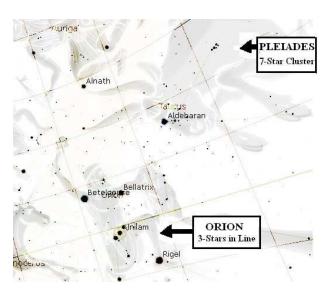


The 7-star Nebula cluster of Pleiades, beside Orion, identifies the 7<sup>th</sup> Hebrew Month, to our calendar 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> months of September and October.

## (Directly between North Star & due South on 7<sup>th</sup> month of **Atonement & Tabernacles**)

(Sets 2-hrs after sunset on Passover, Not visible on Shavuot)





The stars of **Orion** set the **Eighth** Hebrew Month, to our calendar  $10^{th}$  &  $11^{th}$  months of October & November. Direct between North Star & due South on  $8^{th}$  month

(Rises & Sets 2-3 hrs after Pleiades)
(Sets 3-hrs after sunset on Passover, Not visible on Shavuot)

Rises in East sunset, Sets in West sunrise on 8<sup>th</sup> Month (Amos 5:8, 18-20)

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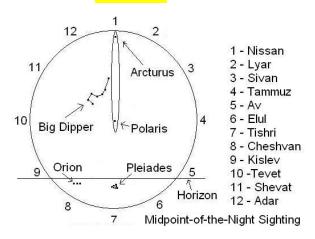
## -- -- Identify 1<sup>st</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> Month -- --

Tradition searches for Sprouts (Exodus 9:31 Barley was in the Ear & Fax in the Boll)

Celestial time & deciphering stars to tell seasons

Those in the northern hemisphere know the front end of the Big Dipper points to the North Star **Polaris**, that never moves position.

The Handle of that Big Dipper, if you extend double the length, points to the bright double star **Arcturus**.



Use **Polaris** aligned to **Arcturus** as a **clock hand** to tell the celestial time of the seasons

There are two hours of earth movement for every hour position of the clock hand.

Sightings are determined at Midpoint-of-night,

Each 2-hr offset from Midpoint-of-night moves one celestial clock-hand-hour. (2 hr before mid is 1-oclock position)

Rotate Entire clock to position Arcturus at Midpoint-of-the-night, the Top Number is the Month (Job 9.9, 39:31, Amos 5.6, Antiquities 3.10.1)

Double star **Arcturus** rises at sunset & sets at sunrise on 1<sup>st</sup> **Lunar Month.** If Arcturus is **12-oclock** position at Midpoint-of-the-night, then it is 1<sup>st</sup> **month** of Nisan, the month of Passover. Will be direct between Polaris & due South. If Arcturus is **1-oclock** position at Midpoint-of-the-night, then it is **12<sup>th</sup> month** of Adar, one month before first month Nisan.

If Arcturus is **6-oclock** position at Midpoint-of-the-night, then it is **7<sup>th</sup> month**, but below the horizon, & Dipper points Down. Will not be seen.

7-star cluster of **Pleiades** – shape of an arrowhead The 7-stars of **Pleiades** will rise at sunset & set at sunrise on the 7<sup>th</sup> **Lunar Month** (September - October). Will be direct between Polaris & due South. If Pleiades is at **12-oclock** position at Midpoint-of-the-night, then it is 7<sup>th</sup> **month** of Atonement & Tabernacles. Direct between Polaris & due South.

The 3-stars in **Orion's Belt** will rise at sunset & set at sunrise on the **8**<sup>th</sup> **Lunar Month** (October-November)

If Orion is at **12-oclock** position at Midpoint-of-the-night, then it is **8**<sup>th</sup> **month**, five months before Passover. Direct between Polaris & due South

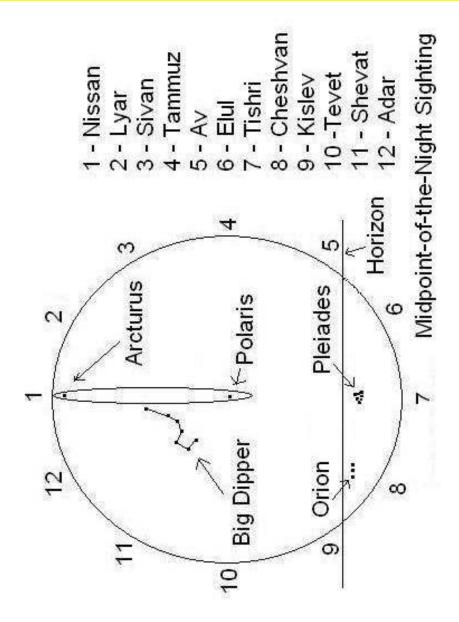
This 3-point arrangement can easily deduce a chart of seasons & adjust months to sighting periods of the Moon.

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# Use Polaris North Star aligned to Arcturus as a clock hand Direct between Polaris & due South

# Rotate Entire clock to the position of Arcturus at the Midpoint-of-the-night, the Top Number is the Month

## Midpoint of Sundown to Sunrise, is Midpoint of Night



There are 2-hours of earth movement for every 1-hour position of the clock hand.

Sightings determine the Midpoint-of-night position

Move 1-clock-hand-hour for each 2-hr from mid-of-night observation.

(2 hr before mid is 1-oclock position) (4 hr before mid is 2-oclock position)