

Feast Of Trumpets



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Idioms in Scripture about Yom Teruah:

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The day of the Awakening Blast- the day that Messiah will descend from heaven and the sky will roll back like a scroll, the dead in Messiah will rise first and then those that remain (alive) will be caught up with him in the air.

Yom hadin- Day of judgment when those that are called up will be judged by the blood of the Lamb. This is the “first resurrection” the one that we want to be a part of because the second death will not have power over us.

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HaMelech- The coronation of the king Messiah as He is crowned and honored as the king and savior of the world.

Yom HaZikaron- Day of remembrance as we listen to the sound of the shofar and trumpets. It is also a time for God to remember. The Torah portion read during this feast is the story of Isaac being offered up on the mountain and the angel cries out to Abraham to stop from sacrificing Isaac. It is at this time that a ram is caught in the thickets and God says that He will provide the sacrifice (Yeshua). It is tradition that tells us that it is the ram's horn that is blown and God remembers His covenant with Abraham.

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When was Jesus Christ Born? Dose The Bible Say Anything? Is It September 11, 3BC? Is it The Day of Trumpets?

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The birth of Jesus Christ is the one of the most significant events in all of history and when we understand the truths regarding the true date of his birth it will thrill and inspire your heart. Tradition has made December 25th the birthday of Jesus. but the Bible clearly reveals he was not born on that day. It was not until the 4th century after Christ that December 25th began to be celebrated as the day of Christ's birth. It was the old pagan holiday celebrating the winter solstice and the birth of the sun god and celebrated when the days began to get longer.

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In Rome it was the festival called Saturnalia and later the Roman Empire baptized it and began to celebrate it as the birth of Jesus. All biblical scholars know that Jesus was not born on December 25th. Tradition is never an accurate measurement for truth.

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God has a significant meaning in everything He does and this does not exclude the birth of His only begotten Son, Jesus Christ. The subject of the entire bible is Jesus Christ and his first coming was prophesied first in the book of Genesis right after Adam and Eve sinned in the Garden of Eden. This prophecy of the future coming of Christ became the polestar of the Old Testament. When it seemed that all was lost and the devil had succeeded in ruining Adam and Eve, God promised a coming Savior, who will redeem mankind from the penalty of sin and ultimately crush the devil into oblivion.

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This was a promise of hope, goodness, and salvation, as God would not leave the world helpless, but would give them His only begotten Son. What a God of love and goodness to promise this to His children who had just committed high treason against Him. God threw the glorious light of His Word right back at the serpent, as the coming redeemer would not only restore everything Adam and Eve lost in the garden, but utterly destroy the devil and all his works. This was the final death blow of the curse of God on the devil that was boldly pronounced in the garden.

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God heralded forth this good promise so every fallen angel, including the devil himself, would hear about His magnificent goodness and shudder about their ultimate defeat.

Genesis 3:15

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Genesis 3:

¹⁵ And I will put enmity
Between you and the woman,
And between your seed and her seed;
He shall bruise you on the head,
And you shall bruise him on the heel.”

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This man is the Savior, the Redeemer, the Liberator, the Messiah, the Second Adam, and the Conqueror over sin and death. This man is the Christ, the Son of the living God.

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Can We Know When Jesus was Born?

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Perhaps we cannot be absolutely sure, but there are some clues which give us an opportunity to make an educated guess.

Jesus was born in Bethlehem because Caesar Augustus had ordered a census in connection with his Silver Jubilee which would be celebrated in 2 B.C. People were ordered to register in their own city so Joseph traveled to Bethlehem because he was of the house of David. These registrations were generally ordered in the fall when the weather was fair.

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Now notice these Scriptures,

"The heavens are telling of the glory of God; And their expanse is declaring the work of His hands. Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night reveals knowledge." (Psalm 19:1-2)

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A Psalm of David who as a young lad gazed upon the stars each night as he watched over his father's sheep. David meditated on all that he saw and concluded that the heavens tell of the glory of God and that knowledge is revealed in them night to night.

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"The heavens declare His righteousness, and all the peoples have seen His glory." (Psalm 97:6) This could mean also that the heavens declare His righteous *One* and all peoples see His glory in the heavens.

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"He counts the number of the stars; He gives names to all of them." (Psalm 147:4) Here we see that God knows each star and has a name for each one of them.

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There is Scriptural evidence that many, perhaps all constellations were known by name during ancient Bible times. God asked Job -"Can you bind the chains of PLEIADES, or loose the cords of ORION? Can you lead forth a constellation in its season, and guide the BEAR with her satellites?" (Job 38:31-32)

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The second half of Revelation 11 we see that the Seventh Angel sounded the Seventh Trumpet which signifies the coming of the Lord.

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Now notice what took place in Chapter
12 immediately following that blast

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Revelation 12:1-5

12 A great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars;
2 and she was with child; and she *cried out, being in labor and in pain to give birth.

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³ Then another sign appeared in heaven: and behold, a great red dragon having seven heads and ten horns, and on his heads *were* seven diadems. ⁴ And his tail **swept* away a third of the stars of heaven and threw them to the earth. And the dragon stood before the woman who was about to give birth, so that when she gave birth he might devour her child.

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⁵ And she gave birth to a son, a male *child*, who is to rule all the nations with a rod of iron; and her child was caught up to God and to His throne.

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"A great SIGN appeared in HEAVEN; a WOMAN clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars; and she was with child; and she cried out, being in labor and in pain to give birth."

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Now this sign in heaven certainly represents the virgin Mary and also natural Israel and later spiritual Israel. (the Church)

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On September 11, 3 B.C. the constellation Virgo (the virgin) appeared in Israel clothed with the sun and the moon at her feet from 6:18 pm to 7:39 pm. This happened to occur at the beginning of the Feast of Trumpets which is on the 1st day of the 7th month on the Hebrew calendar

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The priests were commanded to sound the horn on the 1st day of every month so the Feast of Trumpets begins with the seventh trump of the year. As the sun was in Virgo and the moon at her feet the priests were sounding the trumpets throughout the land. Since it is reasonable to believe that Jesus was born in the fall then it is possible that the sign which appeared and the star which the Magi followed was Virgo, the virgin. If this is correct then we could see that Jesus may have been born between 6:18 and 7:39 on the Feast of Trumpets, September 11th, 3 B.C.

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The annual Holy Day Festivals of God (Leviticus 23) picture God's plan of salvation. They are held in three seasons, spring, summer and fall. On the 14th day of the 1st month (spring) is the Passover. Paul tells us that Jesus Christ is our "Passover" (Lamb/sacrifice) (1 Corinthians 5.7b) For Christ our Passover also has been sacrificed.

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This is immediately followed by the seven days of the Feast of Unleavened Bread. After we receive Jesus as our "passover" we are "unleavened", meaning we are without sin. Seven days is a number of completion or perfection. We are to keep ourselves "unleavened" and walk uprightly before the Lord the rest of our life. The Passover and Unleavened Bread is a harvest festival, the barley harvest which represents all the faithful from Abel to those yet to receive Christ. The barley harvest represents a harvest of souls, the church, spiritual Israel.

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Then First Fruit which is the Resurrection of Christ

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The next feast day is Pentecost which represents the eventual salvation of natural Israel. This is depicted by two leavened loaves which are symbols of the house of Israel (ten lost tribes) and the house of Judah (Jews and Benjamin). This festival is connected to the wheat harvest, so the wheat represents natural Israel. The date for Pentecost is counted from the weekly Sabbath during the Feast of Unleavened Bread. Fifty days are counted.

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Then come the fall Festivals of the Lord. These are in connection with the harvest of the fruit and vine and represent the harvest and salvation of souls during and after the Millennial reign of Jesus.

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The first is the Feast of Trumpets representing the coming of the Lord. This is why a Jesus birth on this day would be so significant. Primarily, it looks to the second coming of the Lord in all His might and glory and in great wrath toward the lawless and ungodly. Trumpets is on the 1st day of the seventh month (Hebrew calendar)

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Exactly 10 days later is the Day of Atonement, a fast day when the High Priest of Israel would enter into the Holy of Holies, into the very presence of the Almighty and offer blood for the sins of the people.

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Then 5 days later on the 15th day of the seventh month begins the seven days of the Feast of Tabernacles. This pictures the millennial reign of Jesus.

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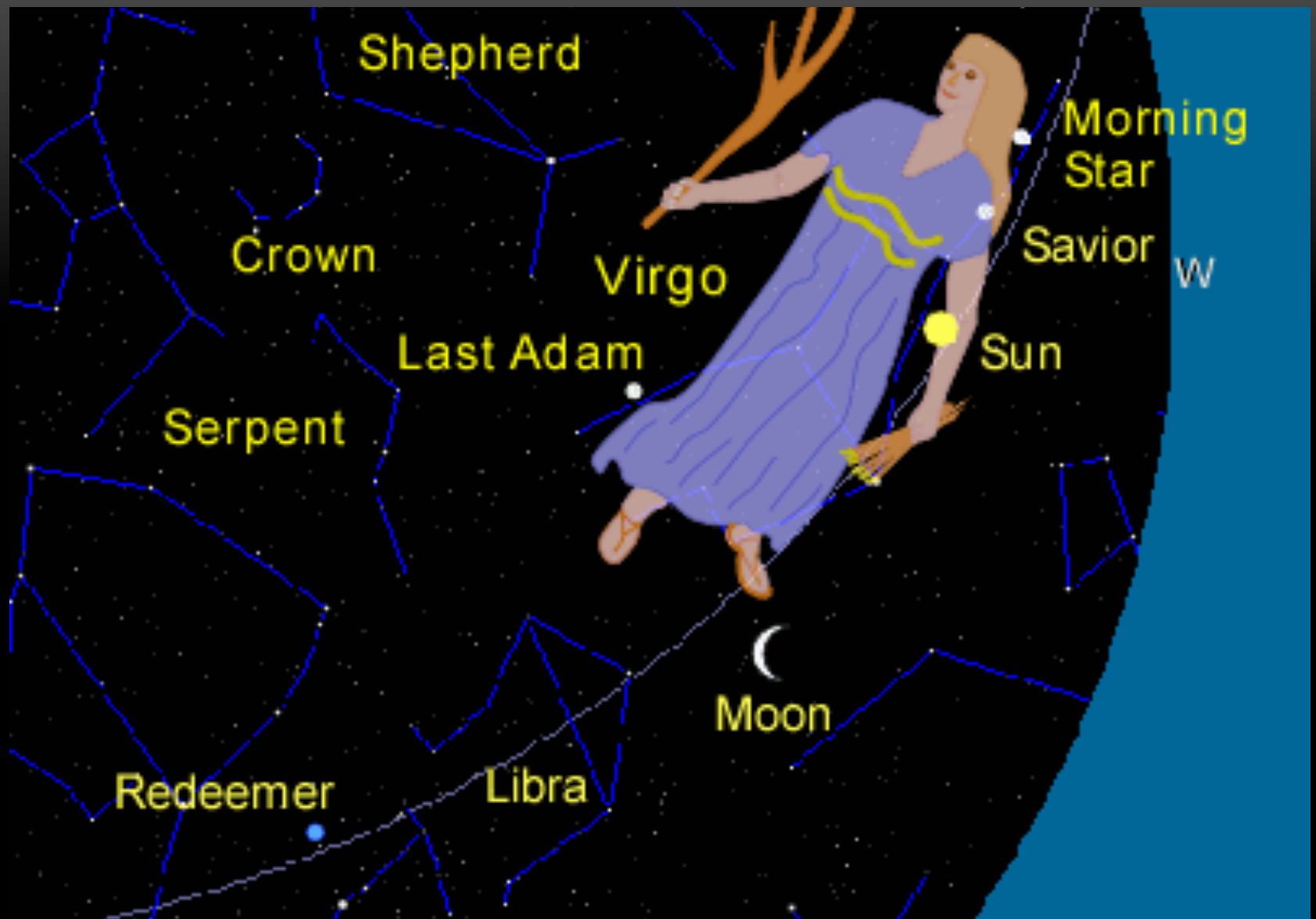
God's Word declares that there will be a sign in the heavens when Mary went into labor and gave birth to Jesus Christ. The Word of God is written across the heavens and in the stars.

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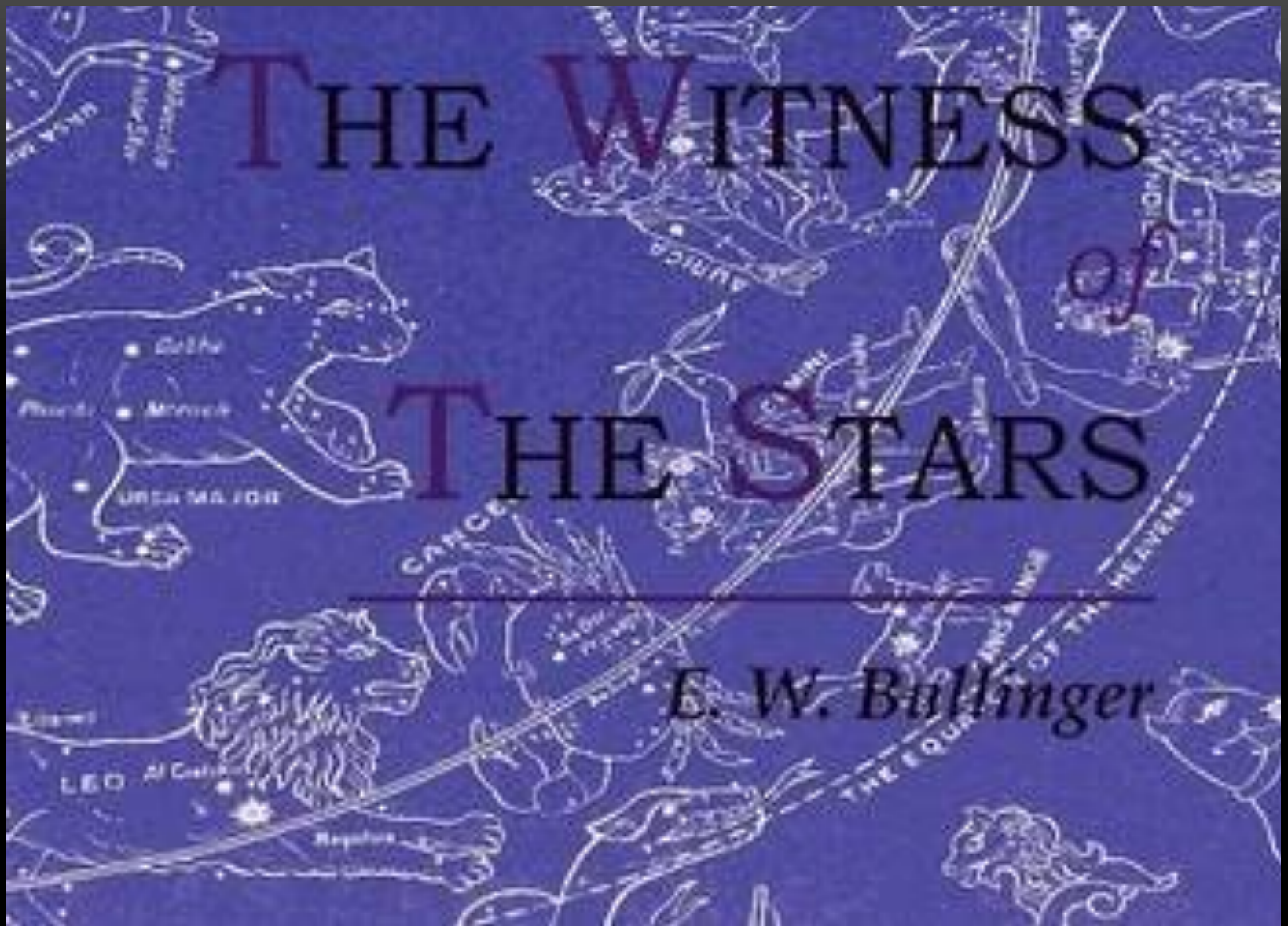


Virgo -"The Virgin" on September 11, 3 B.C. clothed in the sun and the moon at her feet. This was viewable in Palestine between 6:18 pm and 7:39 pm. September 11, 3 B.C. was the 1st day of the seventh month on the Hebrew Calendar which is the Feast of Trumpets.

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So on September 11, 3 B.C. Jesus Christ, God's only begotten Son was born in Bethlehem. Unknown to the people, the trumpet sounds which blew from morning to evening in Jerusalem heralded the birth of the King of Kings and Lord of Lords. What a glorious day in the redemption of mankind for unto this world a Savior was born.

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The final conjunction in Leo with its massing of planets convinced the Magi that a king had been born in Judea. They began to journey to find the king of the Judeans shortly after this last event. The Bible makes one breathless in its accuracy and integrity.

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Daniel 2:48

48 Then the king promoted Daniel and gave him many great gifts, and he made him ruler over the whole province of Babylon and chief prefect over all the wise men of Babylon.

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Romans 10

14 How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? . . .

18 But I ask, have they not heard? Indeed they have, for

“Their voice (LXX) has gone out all the earth, and their words to the ends of the world.”

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Psalm 19

1 The heavens declare the glory of God,
and the sky above proclaims his handiwork.

2 Day to day pours out speech,
and night to night reveals knowledge.

3 There is no speech, nor are there words,
whose voice is not heard.

4 their voice (LXX; MT = "their line")
goes out through all the earth,
and their words to the end of the world.

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Revelation 12:1-5

1 And a great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars. 2 She was pregnant and was crying out in birth pains and the agony of giving birth. 3 And another sign appeared in heaven: behold, a great red dragon, with seven heads and ten horns, and on his
Heads seven diadems.

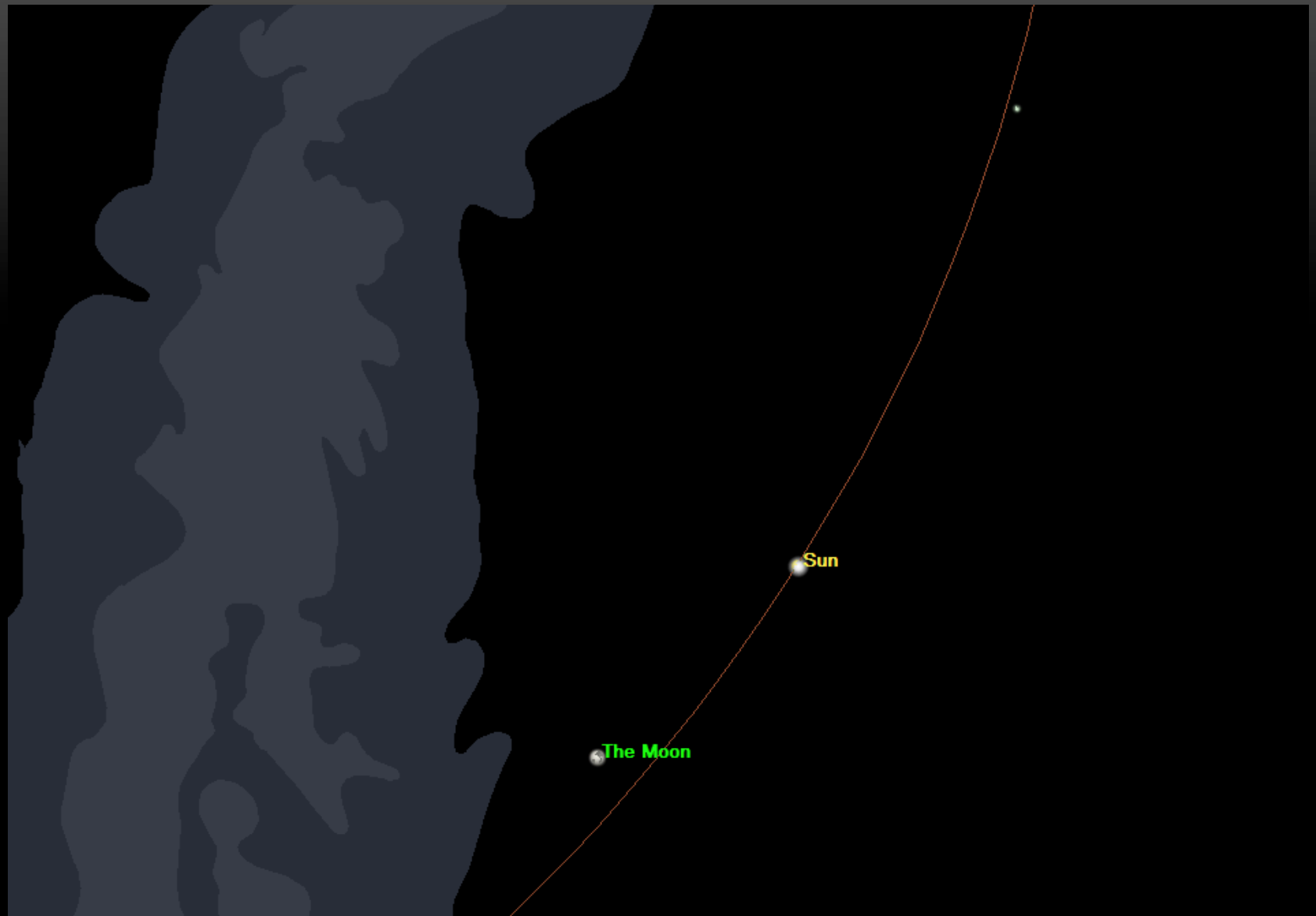
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4 His tail swept down a third of the stars of heaven and cast them to the earth. And the dragon stood before the woman who was about to give birth, so that when she bore her Child he might devour it. 5 She gave birth to a male child, one who is to rule all the nations with a rod of iron, but her child was caught up to God and to his throne ...

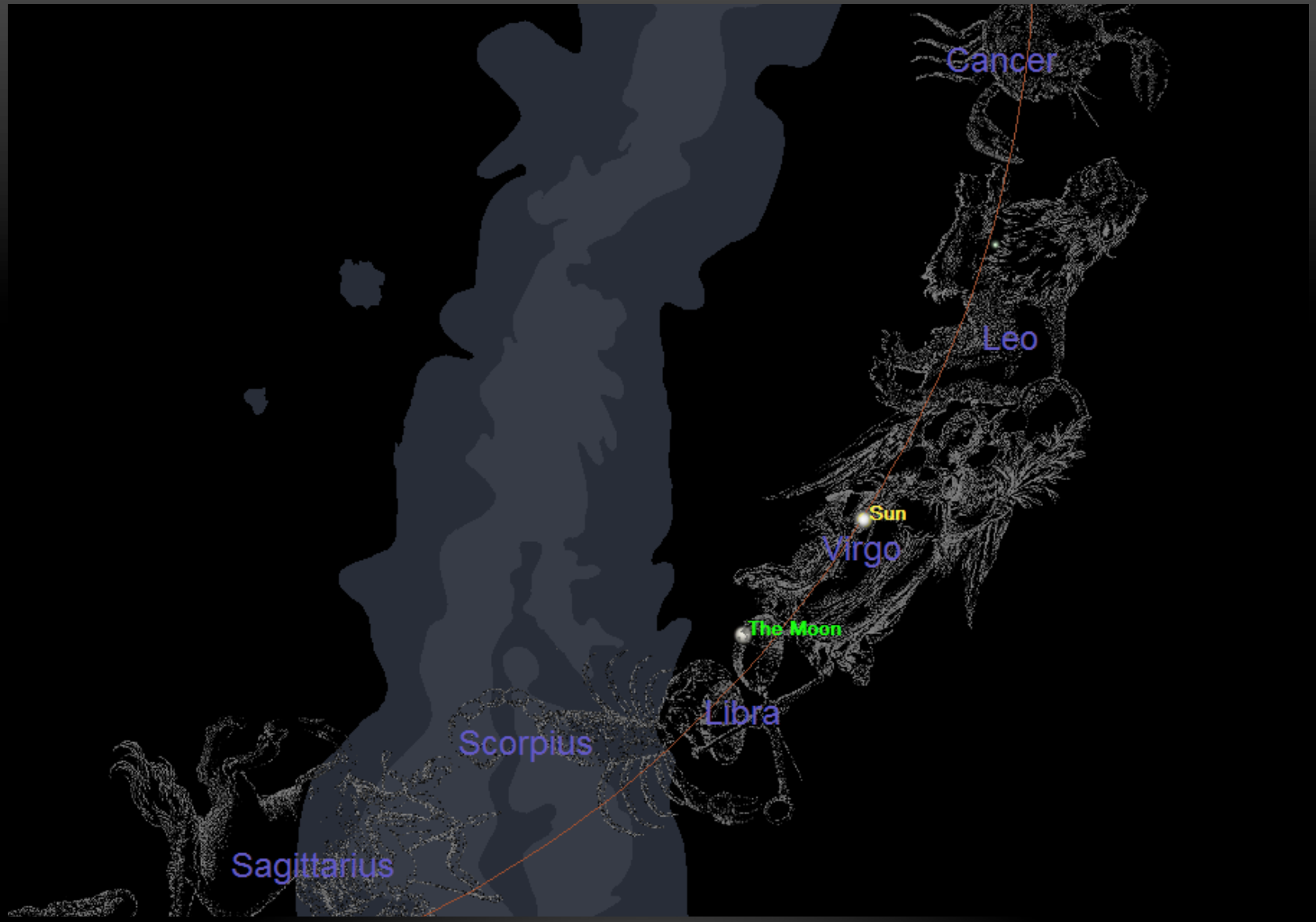
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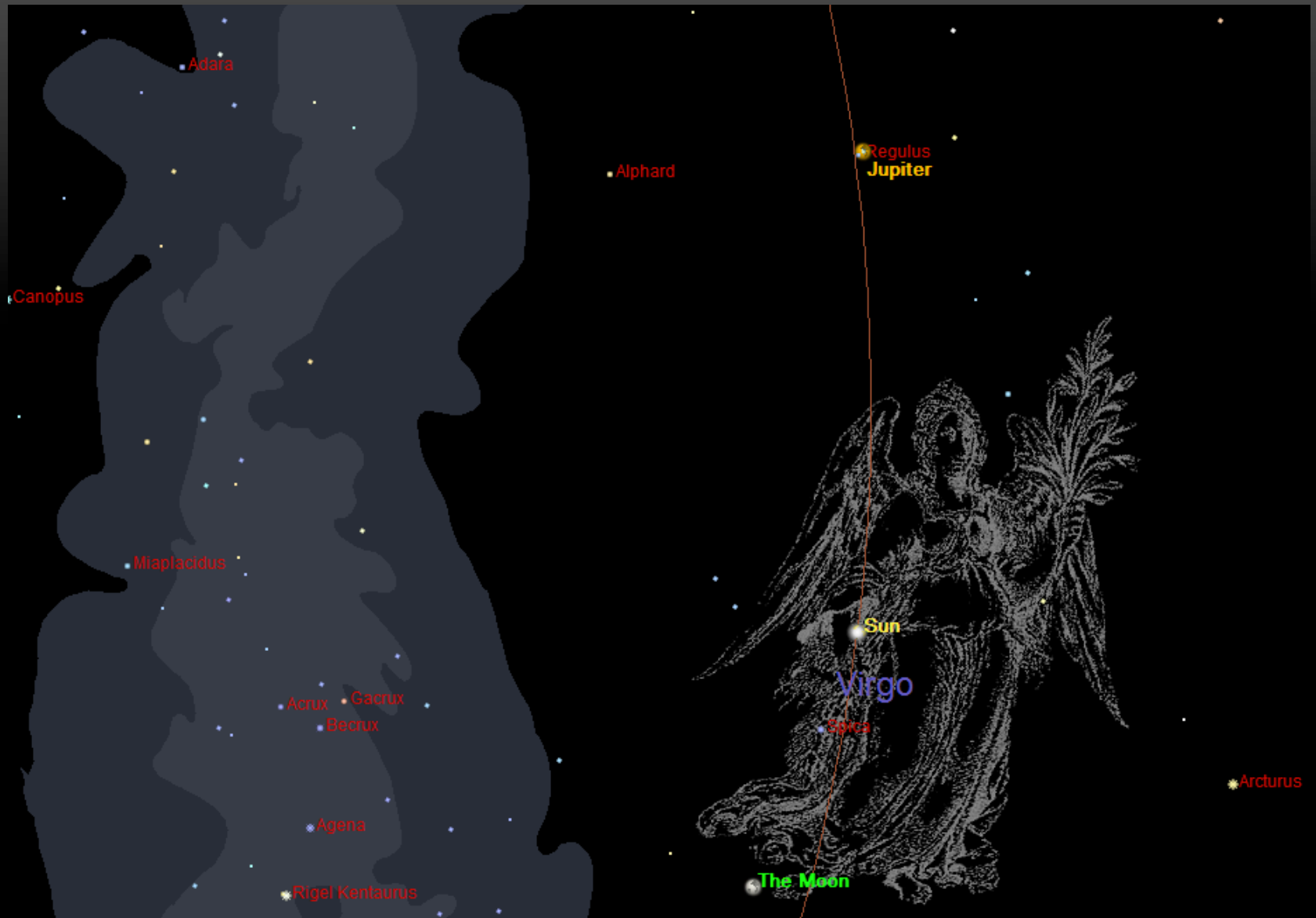
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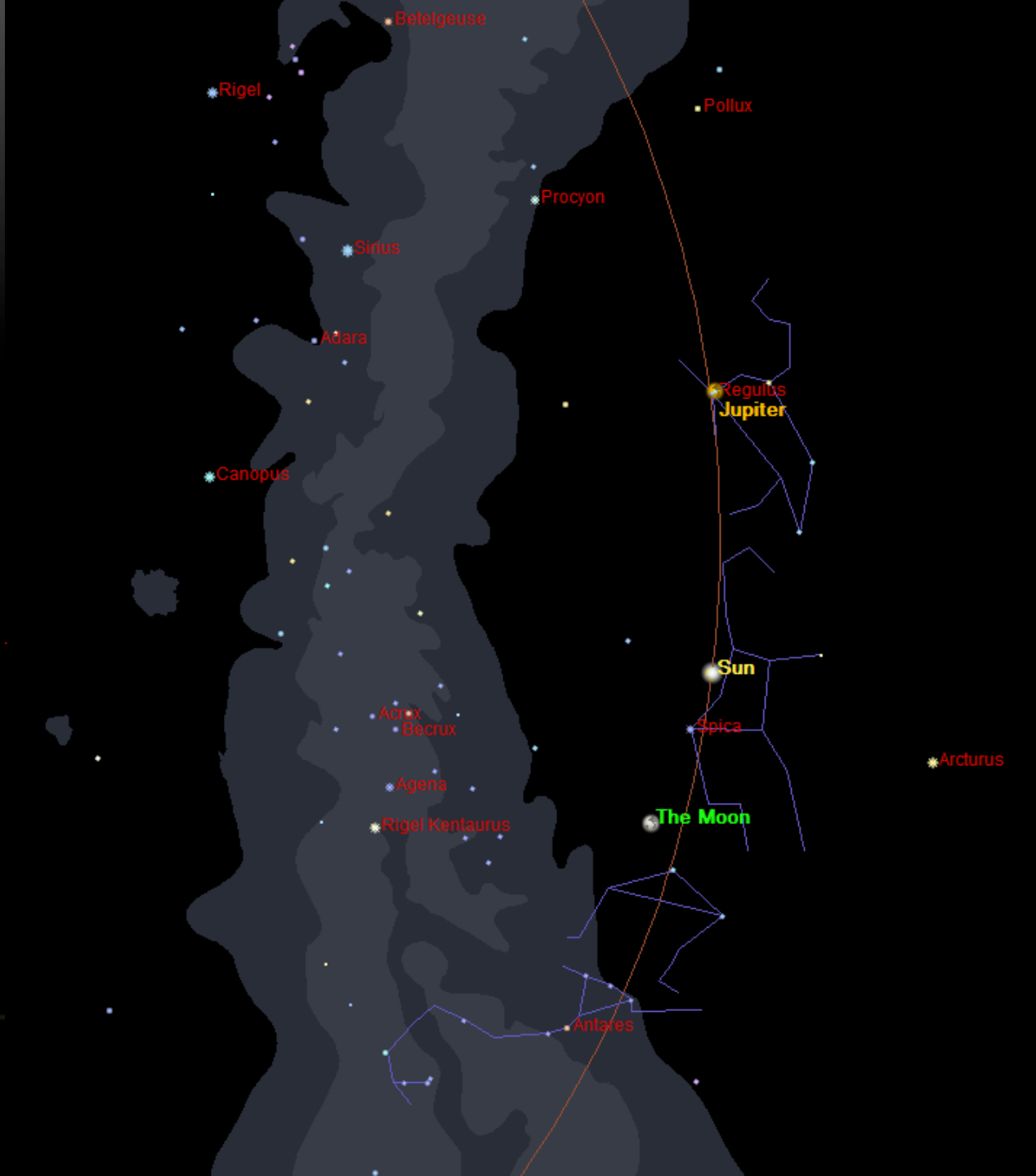


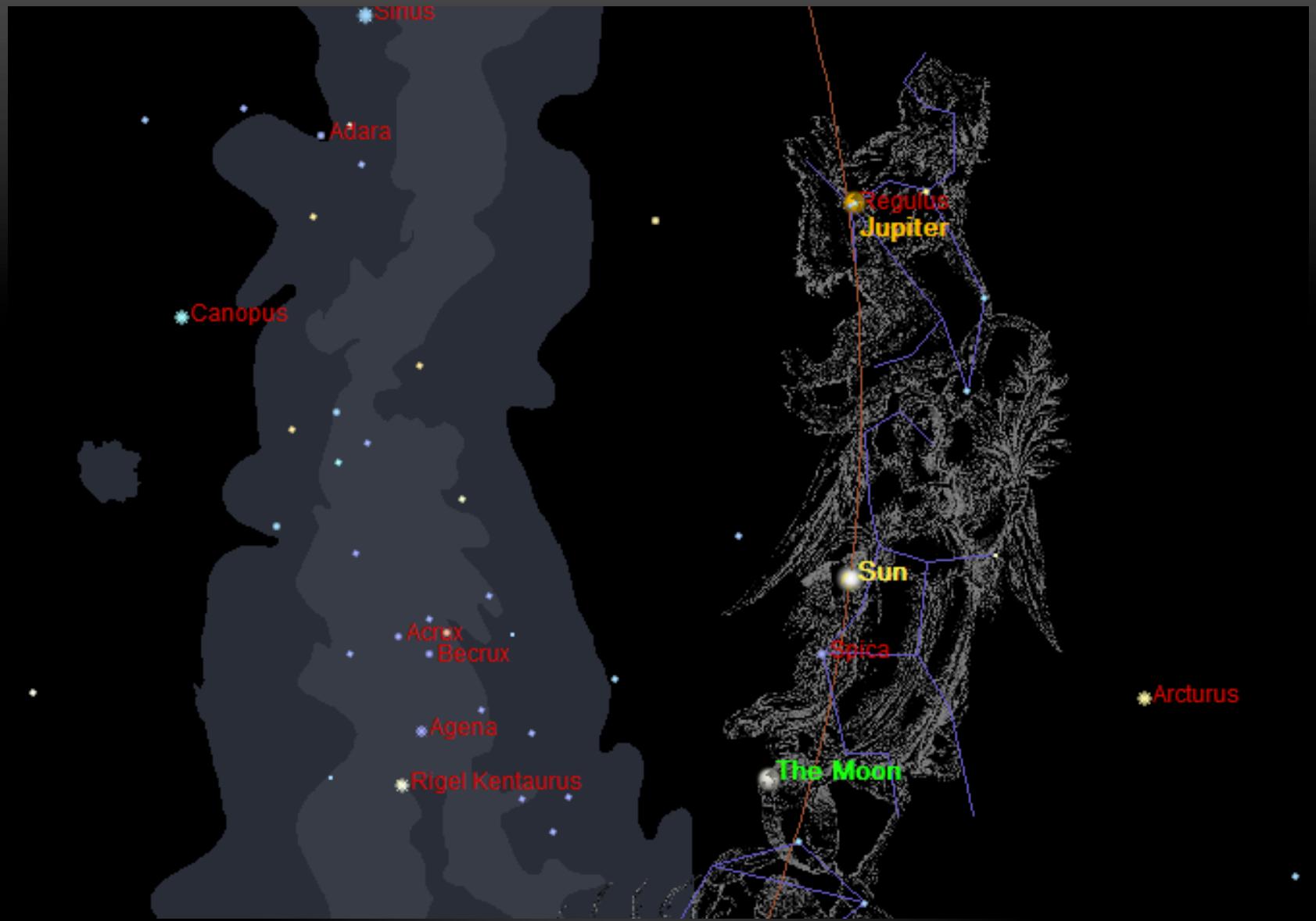
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The constellation Virgo is the only constellation that represents a woman. For 20 days Virgo was “clothed” with the sun, but the exact day when “the moon was under her feet” could only occur during an 80 minute period within that span of days.







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The Sept. 11, 3 B.C. date also corresponded to Rosh-Hashanah (Tishri 1), New Year's day for Jews and the Day of Trumpets.

Tishri 1 was also the “New Year's Day” of the civil calendar according to the calendar accepted in Judah during the divided monarchy (Thiele). That is, it marked the first day of the reign of every new Davidic king.

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*Jesus Was Born on
the Day of Trumpets*

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If one can realize that the New Testament shows Jesus born on the Day of Trumpets (the first day of Tishri) an impressive amount of symbolic features emerge on the biblical and prophetic scenes.

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