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The First Stargazers
Serengeti: Journey to
the Heart of Africa
Call of the Dolphins

DECEMBER 2025

STARRY NIGHTS



HOW TO USE THIS MAP

MPM's star map shows the night sky as it appears on various dates and times. It is designed to be held above your head. Compass directions are indicated along the edge of the circle. Turn the map around its center so the compass direction that appears along the bottom of the map is the same as the direction you face.

BEST VIEWS

December 1 at 9 p.m.,
December 15 at 8 p.m., and
December 31 at 7 p.m.
Best to use the chart within
an hour of the times listed.
This chart is drawn for
43 degrees latitude but
may be applied throughout
the continental USA.

DECEMBER MORNING SKY

The Moon passes the bright star Spica from
December 13-16 in the ESE morning sky.
Look for the Big Dipper high overhead and
Leo high in the south.

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