

## **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**

March 1 around 9 p.m.; March15 around 9 p.m.; March 30 around 8 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.

## **MARCH MORNING SKY**

The Summer Triangle shines high in the east. The Big Dipper is high in the northwest. Low in the south, the moon passes by the bright red star Antares on March 20-the first night of spring!

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