

The New Moon was sighted from Israel this evening.

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And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for appointed times, and for days and years. (Gen 1:14)

# New Moon Observation

27 September 2022



Photo: Devorah Gordon

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Dear Friends,

The New Moon was sighted from Israel this evening, Tuesday, 27 September 2022!

\* From Jerusalem at 6:42pm by Devorah Gordon, followed by Gil Ashendorf, Tchiya Jenkins, Egel Osmundsen, Joy Collins Lyle, Andreas Wasty, John Grant, James Kennedy, Batel, and 2 other people.

\* From Tiberias at 6:40pm by Dennis Chkolnik, followed by Maureen Chkolnik.

\* From Maale Adummim at 6:45pm by Roy Hoffman, Misha Shpitz, and Josh Becker.

This means that sunset on September 27, 2022 marks the beginning of the new month. Be sure to keep track of what number month this is, based on when you started the new year.

The photo at the top of this report was taken from our observation point in Jerusalem this evening.

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# 2022 HOLIDAY DATES

*All holidays begin at sunset the previous evening and end at sunset.*

## 1<sup>st</sup> MONTH HOLIDAY DATES

1 <sup>st</sup> Day of the Year	April 4, 2022
1 <sup>st</sup> Day of Chag HaMatzot	April 18, 2022
Yom HaNafat HaOmer	April 24, 2022
7 <sup>th</sup> Day of Chag HaMatzot	April 24, 2022
Chag HaShavuot	June 12, 2022

## 7<sup>th</sup> MONTH HOLIDAY DATES

Yom Teruah	September 28, 2022
Yom Kippur	October 7, 2022
1 <sup>st</sup> Day of Chag HaSukkot	October 12, 2022
Shemini Atzeret	October 19, 2022

*The above dates are based on the year beginning with the month in which the earliest fields in the Land of Israel are harvestable by Chag HaMatzot, the New Moon being sighted in the Land of Israel, and Yom HaNafat HaOmer being the Sunday during Chag HaMatzot (see Joshua 5:10-12). It will be impossible to sight the new moon with the naked eye on September 26<sup>th</sup>, but it should be easily visible on September 27<sup>th</sup>.*

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On behalf of all of us who are trying to keep the Biblical Calendar, we wish to thank everyone who looked for the new moon from Israel this evening and sent in their observations in a timely manner, and everyone who is supporting this important effort from afar.

If reliable New Moon and Barley Inspection reports from Israel are of value to you, please [support](#) our efforts. We could really use your help to restore the

Biblical Calendar.

Chodesh Tov! Make it a great month!

Devorah Gordon  
Jerusalem, Israel

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