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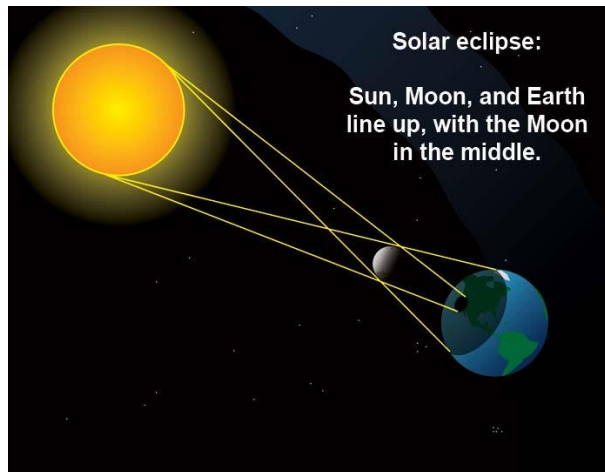
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# "The Great American Eclipse!" ACROSS THE

## USA 2017 AUGUST



**How many states does the total eclipse touch? How will this influence you personally? What does it mean?**



"Nothing can be sworn impossible since Zeus made night during mid-day, hiding the light of the shining Sun."  
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Archilochus  
648 BC

## August 21, 2017

A total solar eclipse will track from the Pacific coast to the Atlantic. The shadow of the moon will begin over Oregon and move east to Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, and South Carolina. Totality will begin over the US in Newport, OR at 10:16 PDT and will end near Charleston, SC at 11:48 PDT. A partial solar eclipse will be viewable over the rest of the US. Totality will track directly across north central Oregon. At the center of totality, the moon will block out the sun completely for approximately 2 minutes and 40 seconds. The net gravitational force exerted on the Earth's water bodies results in a pull known as the tidal bulge, which always exists in two places, and this major Eclipse will be just that,



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the Pacific and Atlantic Coasts; and an event of this magnitude will not occur again until the year 2045.

There was a first total solar eclipse on America in 1991 so what happened then? Totality began over the [Pacific Ocean](#) and [Hawaii](#) moving across [Mexico](#), down through [Central America](#) and across [South America](#) ending over [Brazil](#). So it was a different path even though it did hit the USA. The path clipped [Washington State](#) and then moved across the whole of Oregon.

Events from the year 1991 in the United States:

- The Cold War ends as the and USSR dissolves by the end of the year
- “War & Peace” was written by Leo Tolstoy
- 1991 was the year the first GSM call was made
- 1991 was the year when the World Wide Web came to life
- 1991 was also the year the Linux kernel was conceived and created by Finnish computer

In 1991, those innovations were independent of each other. Today they are intertwined into something really amazing that is changing our world with even more science. These are the positive happenings of the day.

The path of totality for the 2017 eclipse passes over the continental USA from coast to coast – the first time this has happened since **1918**! Major events in 1918: The influenza or flu pandemic of 1918 to 1919: More than 25 percent of the U.S. population became sick. In many victims, the influenza virus had invaded their lungs and caused pneumonia. Some 675,000 Americans died or reported. *(I’m an advocate of holistic medicine to prevent illnesses of any kind)*



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Twelve – I mean, fourteen – I mean, essentially 12; realistically 12 – but no – REALLY 14!



Looking at the map above, as well as the great maps hosted by Xavier Jublier and Michael Zeiler

You can easily see that the path cuts through major portions of [Oregon](#), [Idaho](#), [Wyoming](#), [Nebraska](#), [Missouri](#), [Illinois](#), [Kentucky](#), [Tennessee](#), and [South Carolina](#). You can also see that it skims over the NE corners of [Georgia](#) and [Kansas](#), and a bit of the western tip of [North Carolina](#). And those are the 12 “obvious” states that will see totality. This path misses the NE corner of Colorado; it also misses the far SW tip of Indiana: the path just barely misses the SW corner of South Dakota (by only about 10 miles or so!).

But now, look at Montana and Iowa. The path looks like it misses them, too – until you zoom in – WAY in! At first glance, it looks like the Hawkeye State misses out on the show completely but let’s take a closer look at that far southwestern corner of the state: and northwest of that round piece of Nebraska that sticks itself into Missouri River. on the west, the Missouri border on the South, and the Red line to the North (that’s the northern limit of the path). No more than 450 ACRES of Iowa is included in the path of totality! However, this eclipse is so close to Yellowstone National Park which has been very much more active lately and eclipses can be powerful triggers in whatever area they come close to. To be fair, this “piece” of Montana only sticks into



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the path about 15 *yards* or so. But if true, it would make Montana the only state in the



USA where totality touched its territory, then left it completely, then touched it again. And THAT would be explosive indeed - So, yeah – 14 states it is!

If you consider that the local terrain elevation is key to any location, it doesn't change the fact that both Montana (where Yellowstone National Park is located) and Iowa do get to witness totality in 2017.

Eclipses have can produce profound psychological effects. For millennia, solar eclipses have been interpreted as portents of doom by virtually every known civilization. These have stimulated responses that run the gamut from human sacrifices to feelings of awe and bewilderment. Although there are no direct physical effects involving known forces, the consequences of the induced human psychological states have indeed led to physical effects. It is important to drink lots of water to help process these high frequency vibrations. We humans receive these highly volatile vibrations through our nervous systems. If we are not prepared we will be stimulated in either negative or positive ways. Be aware that these induced heightened states can be dilutional so be prepared for consequences and/or major life changes.



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## MEANINGS OF ECLIPSES

What is the meaning of a solar eclipse? To the ancient Chinese, solar eclipses meant that dragons were devouring the sun. To the Czechoslovakians, they meant that ice giants, bitter enemies of the sun, were conquering it. To the Romans, they meant that the sun was poisoned and dying; to Jews, solar eclipses meant that the moon was passing between the sun and the earth, thereby blocking the sun's light.

Notwithstanding ancient beliefs and the physical explanation of a solar eclipse, there is also spiritual significance to it. At the time when the sun is eclipsed, it is a change period for the world. How many times have we heard "Prepare for Change? What do you want to change?"

Collectively Eclipses bring up areas of tension throughout the world and can also include the financial, political and physical areas of our lives here in the good ole USA. Eclipses in your personal life bring things to a head to move forward in whatever you are currently involved in, career, finances, family. *(continue reading for personal events)*

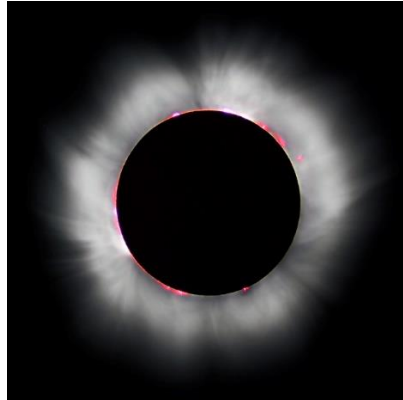
August 7th is a powerful day in the heavens. Not only do we witness a luminous Full "Grain" Moon in Aquarius, but we welcome an ecstatic double eclipse portal, opening with a Full Moon Lunar Eclipse (that won't close until the New Moon Solar Eclipse on 8/21 in Leo. This is a potent time for healing, manifesting, and clearing away toxic energies. Reach out to the Universe for support because this can be a trying time as emotions and past challenges bubble up to the surface, competing for your attention. If you can keep clarity and focus, there'll be no stopping you from achieving positive transformation!



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## The deeper message of a Solar Eclipse



Many observers of a solar eclipse often describe the diminished light from this cosmological event as being *eerie and magical*. Why should this physical event produce such a psychological response?

One of the superstitions and mythology of more “primitive” peoples concerning the solar eclipse described such an event as “a dragon swallowing the sun.” Modern astronomy dispelled such silly superstitions. Astronomy proved that a solar eclipse was merely a cosmic event where the trajectory of the moon sometimes crossed the plane of the sun. How could anyone with similar eyes and human brains mistake the moon for a dragon? The Dragon swallowing the Sun comes from the Chinese that is why it holds an orb in its claws. The orb or ball is the Sun and not a pearl as it is said now. The Dragon happens to be red in color and is very symbolic. Our Moon is not red except when within this last few years they called it the Blood Moons. All ancient stories, myths or legends have deeper, symbolic meaning. Emanuel Swedenborg claimed that in more ancient and remote ages, humans perceived that all phenomena in nature symbolized psycho-spiritual realities, and therefore, contained more elevated information for the human mind to distil. (This mechanism of “sameness” is how God-Creator-Source is intimately connected with physical creation and process.) for instance, the “sun” symbolizes God’s love (heat) and truth (light). In other words, in the same way that the astronomical sun provides the energy and thermodynamics for sustaining physical and terrestrial life, God’s spiritual energy gives life to human souls.



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Swedenborg made the claim that this kind of symbolism (correspondences) is also hidden in the deeper structure and spiritual architecture in the Holy Scripture. In Revelation, a dragon is used to convey the idea of false reasoning against God. That this “Great Red Dragon” threatened to devour a pregnant woman (clothed in light and standing atop the moon) and later her newborn child symbolized a terrifying false belief-system attempting to devour the birth of any new appreciation and perception within the human intellect of God’s true spiritual importance. The ancient superstition of a solar eclipse representing a dragon devouring the sun was indeed true—but on a deeper symbolic level that addresses the human spirit (and transcends the operation of the human corporeal/sensual mind).

The eerie feeling experienced from the diminished light of such a solar event reminds us of a similar effect when our inner reality is suffering from the mistakes and flawed thinking we’ve made from relying on self-intelligence, rather than higher wisdom. Ancient cultures knew all this!

Modern astronomy has put all its focus on the literal meaning of physical events “up there” in the sky. But ancient cultures looked beyond the phenomena occurring in time and space or from mere visual observation. The human mind was created to probe realities beyond physical matter to discover spiritual truth that is sacred, deep and profound. You now have that opportunity to raise your vibrations or consciousness or stay in the denial of truth. This is the time to open your heart for love is in the air; choose wisely.

While some cultures have interpreted eclipses as symbols of disaster, clarity is the symbol of reflection. The moon is a feminine symbol, the soul, the unconscious aspect of ourselves. The sun is the masculine, the physical, what is visible and alive. When these two bodies meet, it is the meeting of two different aspects. The fact that the Moon’s distance to the Earth and the Sun allows it to completely occult the Sun is part of the Creator’s handiwork in every single part of the Universe.

I study the stars not only for their brilliance, but for their meaning. Maybe our world would not be so confused if we took more time to listen to ourselves, the stars, the wind...? Nature is a reflection of Creator Source, everything we see came from Source, the moon, the stars, the sea, the air, the earth, the fire. When you witness an act of Nature, you’re also witnessing an act of the Divine.



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## HOW DO THESE ECLIPSES PERSONALLY EFFECT YOU?

### AN ASTROLOGICAL VIEW

#### **Lunar Eclipse on August 7, 2017**

A Lunar Eclipse occurs on August 7, 2017, at 15 degrees of Aquarius (opposite the Sun in Leo), affecting people born with personal planets and points at approximately 10 to 25 degrees of the Fixed signs (Taurus, Leo, Scorpio, and Aquarius) most significantly.

#### **Solar Eclipse Chart for August 21, 2017, in Leo**

A Solar Eclipse occurs on August 21, 2017, at 28 degrees of Leo, affecting people born with personal planets and points at approximately 24 to 30 degrees of the Fixed signs (Taurus, Leo, Scorpio, and Aquarius), and approximately 0 to 4 degrees of the Mutable signs (Gemini, Virgo, Sagittarius, and Pisces) most significantly and if you have a Leo Ascendant. (*The star that is rising at the time of birth*)

How will the solar eclipse affect your zodiac sign? Each star sign will respond differently to these influences. On that day, the Sun will be in Leo and the Lion roars!

Both lunar and solar eclipses are noted to bring about awareness and change for signs in the zodiac.

Some astrological star signs will feel the effects in their energy—especially the Fire signs: Aries, Leo, Sagittarius

Other star signs, such as the Water and Air zodiac signs, might feel pulled towards adventure, or creativity. Water signs: Cancer, Scorpio, Pisces Air: Gemini, Libra, Aquarius

Earth signs may sense an increased sense of being more grounded and reserved. Earth signs: Taurus, Virgo, Capricorn





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### **This Year's Outer Planet Position Signs (General Trends):**

**Jupiter in Libra** The ties that bind, the harmonious integration of opposites, the perfect balance: these are the keys to your greatest opportunities now. Marriage and other close personal relationships tend to offer bright prospects, and you have a deep yearning to experience the fulfillment they can bring.

**Jupiter in Scorpio** The phase now beginning for you emphasizes fixing what is broken or unhealthy, thereby giving it a new lease on life. This is more than one person alone can handle, so the cooperation of others is essential. You give up something in order to get or create something, and you may not understand the reasons why at the time. Sex, money, power, and vitality become key issues.

**Saturn in Sagittarius** the new phase now beginning in your life brings a need to break out of narrow concepts and legalistic philosophical or religious ideas. Remember: "A foolish consistency is the hobgoblin of small minds." Opportunities to broaden your mental horizons may not come with ease, but they are essential if you are to avoid a kind of spiritual stagnation.

**Saturn in Capricorn** Responsibility, hard work, ambition, and achievement: these are the foundations you need to build on now, as a new cycle dawns in your life. And yet, there is a tendency to be a little too hard, perhaps a bit cold, in your approach to these things. Let ambition take you to the top, but don't let it lull you into thinking that the end justifies the means.

**Uranus in Aries** A clean break with the past in some respects is signaled by the cycle you have just begun. What YOU need, YOUR freedom and independence, shattering old molds: these are the things that energize you and take priority in your life. Uniqueness and originality set you apart.

**Neptune in Pisces** Things spiritual and psychic take the driver's seat of your imagination as you begin a new cycle. The fine arts and all manner of fantasies assume a larger-than-life importance. Surrendering to fate, karma, and other powers greater than merely being mortal may clarify as the ultimate liberation. If all is maya (illusion), what is the reality that gives rise to the world of appearances? You CAN overcome past misdeeds and create a better newer life.

**Pluto in Capricorn** As this new phase dawns for you, the pursuit of social/political power and status has a way of seeming necessary and inevitable – and let nothing stand in its way. It starts out small, but has bigger consequences than you'd think. Ambition, responsibility, a place for everyone and everyone in



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## ZODIAC SIGNS



ARIES (March 1 – April 19)

Aries, attitudes related to the areas of freedom, relationships and learning from failure are most affected. You will realize that you have the power to create your own happiness. You'll desire to attract those who feel the same. Past mistakes of poor judgment are resolved. So, live and learn and try to do better this new solar cycle.



TAURUS (April 20 - May 20)

Taurus, attitudes related to the areas of patience, purpose, and loss are most affected. Practice patience over life's circumstances and forgive yourself. There will be an openness to change and this will make you desire to discover what that is. So, live, learn and love this new solar cycle.



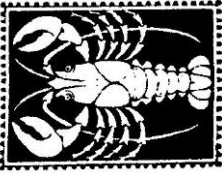
GEMINI (May 21 - June 20)

Attitudes related to the areas of happiness, freedom, and growth are most affected. You'll desire to attract joy. There will be a greater sense of responsibility when it comes to creating your own happiness and a desire for growth in this area. So, focus and decide to pursue your goals this new solar cycle.



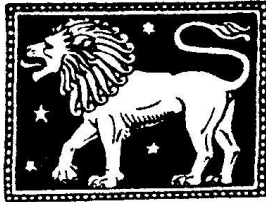
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### CANCER (June 21 – July 22)

Cancer, attitudes related to the areas of insecurity, choice, and gratitude are most affected. You'll desire to let go the need to know what will happen next before making decisions and learn to trust your instincts more. There will be a greater sense of thankfulness for what you have and your surroundings in this area. So, smile and be happy this new solar cycle.



### LEO (July 23 – August 22)

Leo, attitudes related to the areas of humor, worry, and limiting beliefs are most affected. You'll desire to stop worrying. There will be a greater sense of discipline when it comes to faith in the universe and a desire to focus on the lighter side of life in this area. So, learn to laugh and lighten up to experience hope this new solar cycle.



### VIRGO – (August 23 – September 22)

Virgo, attitudes related to the areas of courage, honesty, and pride are most affected. You'll desire to turn your attention to your inner voice instead of letting others direct your choices. There will be a greater sense of courage when it comes to setting boundaries. You will take ownership of your life when it comes to relationships that threaten your freedom and independence in unhealthy ways. So, tune in and get quiet and listen to your inner voice this new solar cycle.



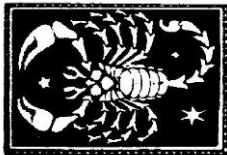
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LIBRA – (September 23 – October 22)

Libra, attitudes related to the areas of health, growth mindset, and service towards others are most affected. You'll desire to be more open minded when it comes to your future. There will be a greater sense of self-care when it comes to possibilities and you'll have an awareness of the mind-body-spirit connection in this area. So, meditate and get your sense of earthiness on and enjoy this new discovery during this solar cycle.



SCORPIO – October 23 – November 21)

Scorpio, attitudes related to the areas of self-esteem, imagination and inner peace are most affected. You'll desire to become more creative and open your imagination. There will be a greater sense of connection with others and your surroundings when it comes to nourishing your mind and a desire for creative experiences in this area. So, be a vessel of love and release negative energy; connect with your higher-self through stillness and meditation this new solar cycle.



SAGITTARIUS – (November 22 – December 21)

Sagittarius, attitudes related to the areas of forgiveness, accepting your role, and releasing regret are most affected. You'll desire to let go of obstacles to love. There will be a greater sense of responsibility when it comes to the forgiveness. So, ponder where you may harbor resentment and forgive yourself so you can be free to pursue joy and love highlighted in the solar cycle.

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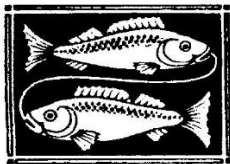
### CAPRICORN – (December 22 – January 10)

Capricorn, attitudes related to the areas of how you judge others and their choices when those decisions affect you are most affected. You'll desire to control your destiny. There will be a greater sense of responsibility when it comes to your role in how things affect your life. There is a desire to let others be their own persons while loving them anyway. You can replace fear with insight committing to love and growth in this area during this solar cycle.



### AQUARIUS – (January 20 – February 18)

Aquarius, attitudes related to the areas of friendship, connection with others, attitudes toward lessons in life most affected. You'll desire to use failure to motivate positive change. There will be a greater sense of responsibility when it comes to how mistakes are more like blessings and a desire to help others in this area. So, hang out with some friends and realize you're not alone and learn with others this new solar cycle.



### PISCES – (February 19 – March 20)

Pisces, attitudes related to the areas of relationships, empathy, and success are most affected. You'll desire to pursue a goal. There will be a greater sense of attraction towards people of success when it comes to creating influence and a desire to use the power of good will and service to others in this area. So, embrace love and decide what organizations are doing great work and get involved this new solar cycle.



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