



# Aquarius (Water Bearer)

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### Did you know?

- Aquarius is best seen in the evening sky during autumn in the Northern Hemisphere or during spring in the Southern Hemisphere.
- It is one of the oldest constellations.
- It consists of 22 main stars and the brightest is Staris Beta Aquarii. It is also known as Sadalsuud. It is 600 light years away.
- Aquarius was catalogued by Greek astronomer Ptolemy in the 2nd century, as one of the then-known 48 constellations.
- It is the 10th largest constellation, occupying an area of 980 deg<sup>2</sup>.
- This constellation is home to the Eta Aquarid meteor shower that runs annually from mid April to mid-May.



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