In the early morning on October 10, try this challenge:

Castor

Pollux

Gemini

Procyon

Oct 8

M44

Regulus

Oct 10

Venus

East

**View to the east
on October 10
90 minutes before sunrise**

Crescent
Moon
10/10
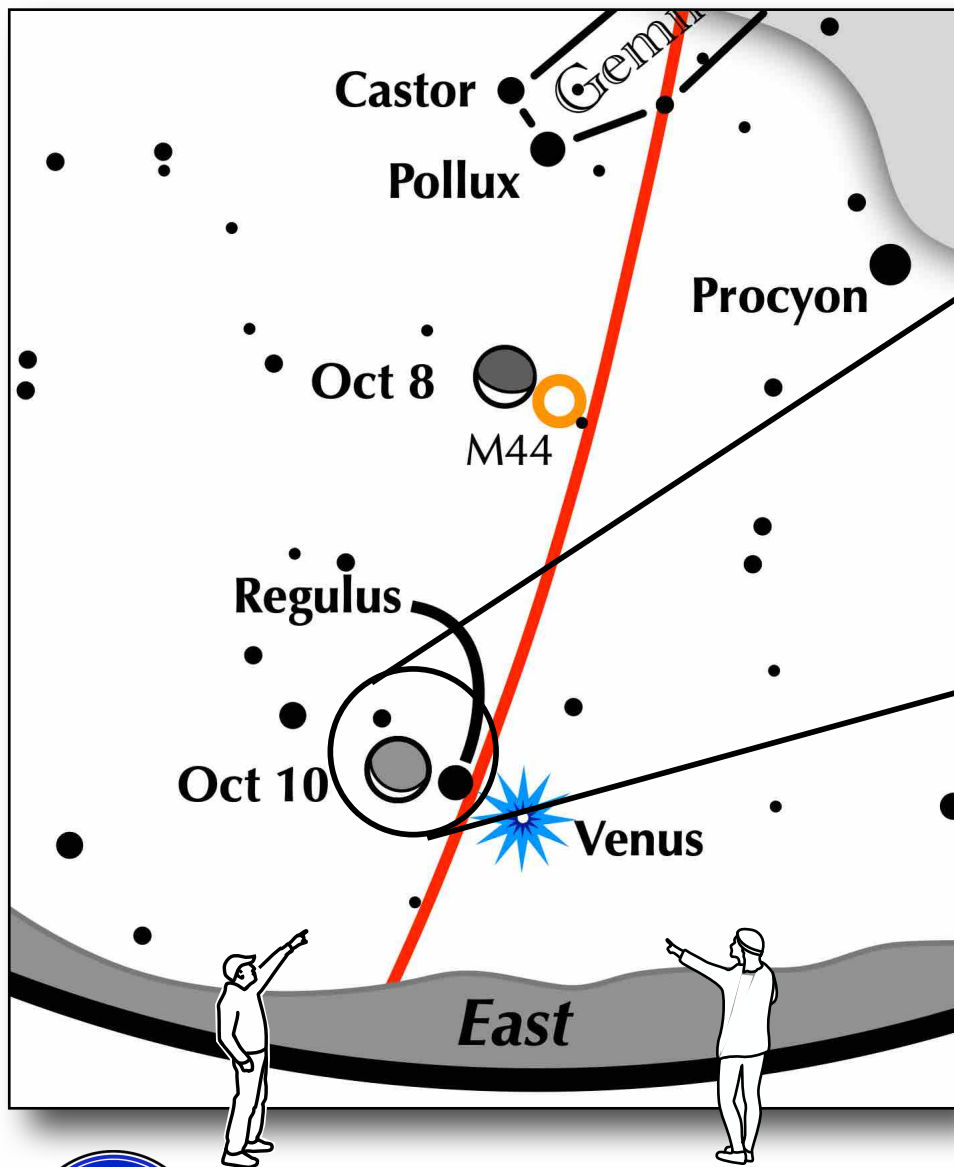
Regulus

**View
through
binoculars**

Venus

Crescent moon meets Venus and Regulus

On the morning of October 10, the crescent moon, glowing full with earthshine, floats left of brilliant Venus. Look 90 minutes before sunrise.

Between them, shines Leo's brightest star, Regulus.

Two mornings earlier a thicker crescent moon was near M44, the Beehive star cluster.

The meeting of the crescent moon and Venus also occurs on the mornings of November 9 when the moon nearly covers Venus, and of December 9.