

1st Rajab 1426

Saturday 6th August 2005 for Mu'mineen residing in the Caribbean, Southern belt of North America, Central America and Northern South America.

Sunday 7th August 2005 for Mu'mineen in the rest of the world.

Based on our community sighting criteria, the first sighting of the crescent should InshaaAllah occur in Central America on Friday 5th August, 2005. Mu'mineen in Houston should be the first to be able to sight the crescent.

Should the crescent be sighted as expected, in accordance with the rulings of Ayatullah Seestani (based on the Theory of Differing Horizons), 1st Rajab 1426 will be on Saturday 6th August, 2005 for Mu'mineen residing in the Caribbean, Southern belt of North America, Central America and Northern South America.

Sunday 7th August, 2005 for Mu'mineen in the rest of the world.

Calculations for determining the possibility of crescent sighting in London for Rajab 1426. (All times are local London time.)

Astronomical new moon: Friday 5th August 2005 at 04:06 (a.m.)

Sunset on Friday 5/08	8:42 p.m.
Crescent age at sunset	16hr 37min.
Moonset on Friday 5/08	9:21 p.m.
Duration	39 min.
Elongation at sunset	8.0 degrees
Moon Altitude at sunset	4.7 degrees

NO POSSIBILITY of the crescent to be sighted on Friday 5th August 2005.

Sunset on Saturday 6/08	8:40 p.m.
Crescent age at sunset	40hr 35min.
Moonset on Saturday 6/08	9:34 p.m.
Duration	54 min.
Elongation at sunset	18.3 degrees
Moon Altitude at sunset	7.3 degrees

POSSIBILITY of crescent to be sighted on Saturday 6th August 2005.

