The 2024 Harvest Moon is Full and partially eclipsed on the night of September 17th

On the night of **September 17th**, this year's **Harvest Full Moon** will brighten our evening skies from dusk to dawn.

The "Harvest Moon" is defined as the full Moon that occurs closest to the northern hemisphere's autumnal equinox. This year's fall equinox occurs at 8:44 a.m. EDT on September 22nd. Although this year's Harvest Moon occurs before the autumnal equinox, it can also occur after the equinox.

Something special about this year's Harvest Full Moon: Beginning about 10:14 p.m. on Sept. 17th from the Asheville area, the top portion of this full moon will pass through the Earth's umbral shadow creating a very partial lunar eclipse that will last about 62 minutes.

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