Answer: Let’s explore the Scriptures for understanding…

Isaiah 13:10 (ESV) says:

> “For the stars of the heavens and their constellations will not give their light; the sun will be dark at its rising, and the moon will not shed its light.”

The word “constellations” here refers to groupings or arrangements of stars in the night sky that form recognizable patterns. These have been named and categorized by ancient astronomers and astrologers, often based on the shapes they appear to make like a scorpion (Scorpius), a lion (Leo), a bear (Ursa Major), or twins (Gemini).

To the natural eye, these are merely stars in the sky. But over time, humans connected these stars with lines and gave them symbolic meanings, creating a system known as the Zodiac. This is where astrology comes in.

Constellations and Astrology: A Biblical Warning

While astronomy (the scientific study of celestial bodies) can glorify God by revealing His handiwork (Psalm 19:1), astrology is something entirely different. It is the interpretation of celestial movements to predict or influence human affairs and Scripture strictly condemns it.

The practice of using constellations or “reading stars” to predict the future is part of astrology or, in some cultures, called “Falaki.” This is not a neutral science—it is spiritually dangerous. Astrology is rooted in paganism and occultism, and God repeatedly warns His people against such practices.

Isaiah 47:13–14 (ESV) says:

> “You are wearied with your many counsels; let them stand forth and save you, those who divide the heavens, who gaze at the stars, who at the new moons make known what shall come upon you. Behold, they are like stubble; the fire consumes them...”

Here, God mocks the astrologers of Babylon, saying their predictions are worthless and will not save them from His judgment.

Similarly, in Deuteronomy 18:10–12 (ESV), God declares:

> “There shall not be found among you anyone who… practices divination or tells fortunes or interprets omens… For whoever does these things is an abomination to the Lord.”

Astrology does not reveal your God-ordained future it entangles people in demonic deception. Instead of prophecy, people are unknowingly submitting to spiritual manipulation by the enemy.

Why Will the Constellations Go Dark?

In Isaiah 13:10, God speaks of a time when the stars and their constellations will no longer give their light, and the sun and moon will be darkened. This is a prophetic declaration of divine judgment a theme repeated throughout Scripture, especially in the Day of the Lord passages.

This cosmic imagery appears again in:

> *Joel 3:15 (ESV):*
> “The sun and the moon are darkened, and the stars withdraw their shining.”
>
> *Mark 13:24–25 (ESV):*
> “But in those days, after that tribulation, the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, and the stars will be falling from heaven...”
>
> *Matthew 24:29 (ESV):*
> “Immediately after the tribulation of those days the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, and the stars will fall from heaven...”
>
> *Revelation 6:12–13 (ESV):*
> “...the sun became black as sackcloth, the full moon became like blood, and the stars of the sky fell to the earth...”

In all of these passages, God is showing that the very things humans have trusted in the heavens, the constellations, the sun

and moon are under His authority. He will turn them off like lamps to show that He alone is sovereign.

A Loving Warning: Do Not Trust in Stars Trust in Christ

Many people today turn to horoscopes, astrologers, or spiritual “cleansings” to try to find hope or direction in life. But this is a false hope. God calls it an abomination (Deuteronomy 18), and it opens the door to spiritual bondage.

You do not need your “star read” or your “destiny unlocked” through mystics or astrologers. You need Jesus Christ.

Only Jesus can reveal your true purpose, cleanse your life from sin, and lead you into God’s will. He is the light of the world (John 8:12), and through Him, we are no longer in darkness.

Instead of seeking stars, seek the Savior.

Final Encouragement

Do not read horoscopes. Do not seek out spiritualists or astrologers. These practices are spiritual traps. Instead, turn to

the Word of God, repent, and follow Jesus Christ. He is the only one who knows your future and He is the one who holds it.

May the Lord bless you.

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