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Night Sky 4

Launches App Updates Exclusively for iPhone, iPad and Apple Watch including iMessage App and GPS-functionality for Apple Watch Series 2

iCandi Apps®, the creators of the Night Sky stargazing apps are set to release **the most beautiful and advanced stargazing app ever created - Night Sky 4**, exclusively for iPhone, iPad and Apple Watch.

This powerful new version of Night Sky has been totally rewritten from the ground up to take advantage of **all the new technologies in iOS 10 and watchOS 3**.

An all new Power Sky View, totally re-engineered in Metal contains beautiful **Glass Constellations**, a **Milky Way texture** with eight colorful light spectrums, the ability to **Space Travel**, high resolution animated planet textures, and **over 115000 more objects** over the previous version!

The feature set continues to amaze; users can **land on the lunar surface** and explore the Apollo 11/15 landing sites **in Moon Tours**. Community features, Light Pollution mapping, **Astrophotography** tools and Latest News from **iCandi's own astrophysicist**, extend the experience to appeal to everyone. You can even share elements of the Night Sky with your friends with the **Night Sky 4 iMessage app on iOS 10!**

Night Sky 4 becomes truly magical on Apple Watch. Using the **built-in GPS in Apple Watch Series 2** and access to the gyroscope with watchOS 3, you can **simply raise your wrist to the sky** to identify stars, planets, constellations and even the International Space Station! As you lower your wrist you're presented with a beautiful **Celestial Compass** giving you an overview of the Night Sky around you.

US Astronaut Cady Coleman who spent 159 days on board the International Space Station tweeted **"Hey #NightSky & #AppleWatch: Thanks for helping earthlings keep an eye on our @Space_Station!"**

Night Sky 4 is one of the most magical experiences anyone can have with an iPhone, iPad, or Apple Watch.

*"We're over the Moon to at last release **Night Sky 4**, the most beautiful and advanced version of Night Sky. We've been working on Night Sky 4 for over a year, and we're so excited to see it in the hands of users! The new **Power Sky View is a work of art**, and the all new experience on **Apple Watch is set to provoke the 'WOW factor' in everyone!**"*

- Andy Weekes, Founder & Company Director – iCandi Apps.

iCandi Apps® was founded in 2008 by Andy Weekes, after he was inspired by the **App Store introductory keynote by Steve Jobs**. Andy went from being a school teacher to creating one of **the most successful reference apps in the world**. With accolades including **three number one hits** and even having **Night Sky preinstalled onto iPhone and iPad in Apple Retail Stores worldwide**, Andy has **seen success he couldn't have even dreamed of**. With the launch of Night Sky 4, iCandi Apps® is set to take things to the next level.

Night Sky 4 is available to download on the App Store from September 13th 2016.

NOTES FOR EDITORS

- For further details on Night Sky 4 visit the iCandi Apps® website at <http://iCandiApps.com>
- For further information, interview, or promotional copies of Night Sky 4 please contact Enquiries@iCandiApps.com
- Free to use copy, images, logos, and further information can be found in the Night Sky 4 Press Kit which can be downloaded here - <http://www.icandiapps.com/icandiapps/press/>
- Night Sky 4 iMessage app is available on the App Store for iMessage. Apple's newest App Store launched with iOS 10. iPhone and iPad users will see an App Store icon alongside the text field within their Messages app; they'll simply click through to the App Store to download these new iMessage apps.
- Night Sky 4 for Apple Watch is available to download on iPhone via the main App Store or the App Store for Apple Watch, located within the Apple Watch app.
- Night Sky 4 will be a free update to existing users of The Night Sky on iOS, with Moon Tours, Latest News and Night Sky Tonight (community and light pollution services) available as a regularly updated Premium subscription. Available on the App Store.
- Night Sky 4 is compatible with the following hardware: iPhone 5S or above, iPad Air or above, iPad mini 2 or above, iPod touch 6th generation or above, and all versions of Apple Watch. Night Sky 4 requires iOS 9 or above, and watchOS 3.