



Alpenglow

Sunrise & sunset forecasts for photographers, hikers and sky watchers

Built in Marin, California

Alpenglow forecasts how good each sunrise and sunset will be, and pairs that with golden hour, blue hour and sun-direction tools that make it easier to be in the right place at the right time.

AT A GLANCE

LAUNCHED

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DOWNLOADS

1.7M+

RATING

4.5 / 5 (10,000 ratings)

LANGUAGES

40+

PLATFORMS

iPhone, iPad, Mac, Apple Watch, Apple TV, Vision Pro, Android, TRMNL

DEVELOPER

**Andrew Yates,
Marin, CA**

PRICE

Free, optional Pro

FEATURES

- Sunrise & sunset quality forecasts
- Golden hour, blue hour and twilight times
- Sun direction map
- Alarms and reminders for sunrise, sunset and magic hours
- Lock Screen & Home Screen widgets, StandBy
- Live Activities on iPhone, iPad and Apple Watch
- The sun's path in augmented reality, for any place, date and time
- Forecast sharing with App Clips
- Dark mode and Dynamic Type

PRICING

Alpenglow is free to download, with times and forecasts for today and tomorrow. Alpenglow Pro unlocks longer forecasts and the features above for \$1.99 a month, \$14.99 a year, or \$24.99 once for lifetime access. Subscriptions include a free trial, and Pro can be shared with up to five family members through Family Sharing.

ALPENGLOW PRO

- Forecasts up to 7 days ahead
- Forecast notifications and alarms at your quality threshold
- Forecast maps for today and tomorrow
- Interactive forecast widgets and Apple Watch complications
- AR sun alignment tool
- Vantage: stand anywhere on the map and see the land, sun and sky from that spot
- Custom locations for notifications and alarms
- Nautical and astronomical twilight
- Elevation-aware times
- Custom app colour and icon

REQUIREMENTS

iPhone & iPad	iOS 18.6 or later
iPhone Duo	From v12.1 (Oct 23, 2026)
Mac	macOS 15.6 or later
Apple Watch	watchOS 10 or later
Apple TV	tvOS 18 or later
Vision Pro	visionOS 2 or later

ABOUT

Alpenglow started in 2016 as a passion project, born from looking out of an office window and realising the peak of sunset had been missed. What began as a personal tool has grown into a trusted forecast app used by more than a million photographers, hikers and sky enthusiasts across eight platforms.

Alpenglow is available in every App Store and Google Play territory, localised into more than 40 languages with help from its community of translators.

ABOUT THE DEVELOPER

Alpenglow is built in Marin, California by Andrew Yates, a solo developer who combines a love of chasing sunsets with years of mobile development. By day he is a Staff iOS Engineer at Buffer, building its Webby Award-winning iOS app; evenings and weekends go to Alpenglow and its sibling app Starglow, for planning stargazing. Originally from Birmingham, UK, he has been shipping side projects since the early days of the App Store. More at ay8s.com.

AWARDS



w3 Awards – Gold
Mobile – Best Practices



w3 Awards – Silver
Mobile – Best User Interface

MEDIA

This press kit includes the Alpenglow icon and award badges, App Store Screenshots (as they appear on the App Store, in English, for iPhone, iPhone Duo, iPad and Mac), and Raw Screenshots straight from the app for iPhone, iPhone Duo, iPad, Mac, Apple Watch, Apple TV, Vision Pro, TRMNL and Android, with and without device frames.

Press releases are in the Press Releases folder, including the 2026 w3 Awards (September 30, 2026), Alpenglow v12.0 (September 21, 2026) and the 10th anniversary update (April 20, 2026), plus **Alpenglow v12.1 with iPhone Duo support and Vantage Point, launching October 23, 2026**. Promo images are in the Graphics folder.



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