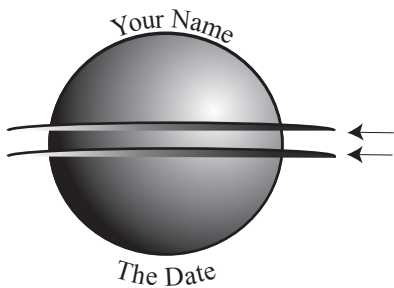
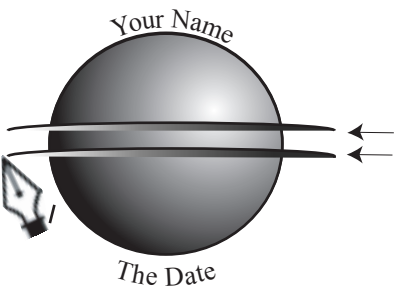


7) Group and lock these objects.  
Draw two ellipses on top of them,

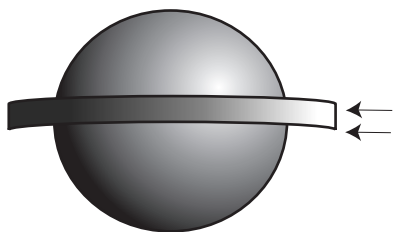


8) Using the scissors ('c' on the keyboard)  
cut each ellipse at the edges on both sides.

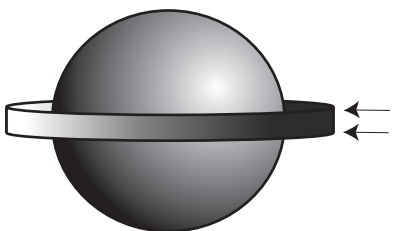
Cut from the same side on each ellipse  
(both times from right to left or from left to right)  
and press Command 3 to hide the active half as  
soon as the object is cut.



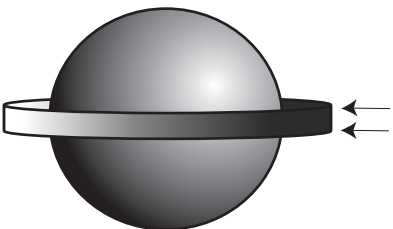
9) Using either the pen tool or command - J,  
join the sides together.



10) When you finish joining the top  
curved pieces, select arrange > Move to back  
Command - Option - 2 to lock



11) Command - Option - 3 to 'unhide'  
the hidden line and join them as well using  
either pen or Command - J.



12) Command - C to copy the top part of the ring  
and then type inside of it using the 'Path Type Tool'  
as before, altering the baseline as necessary.  
Command - B to paste in back.

