

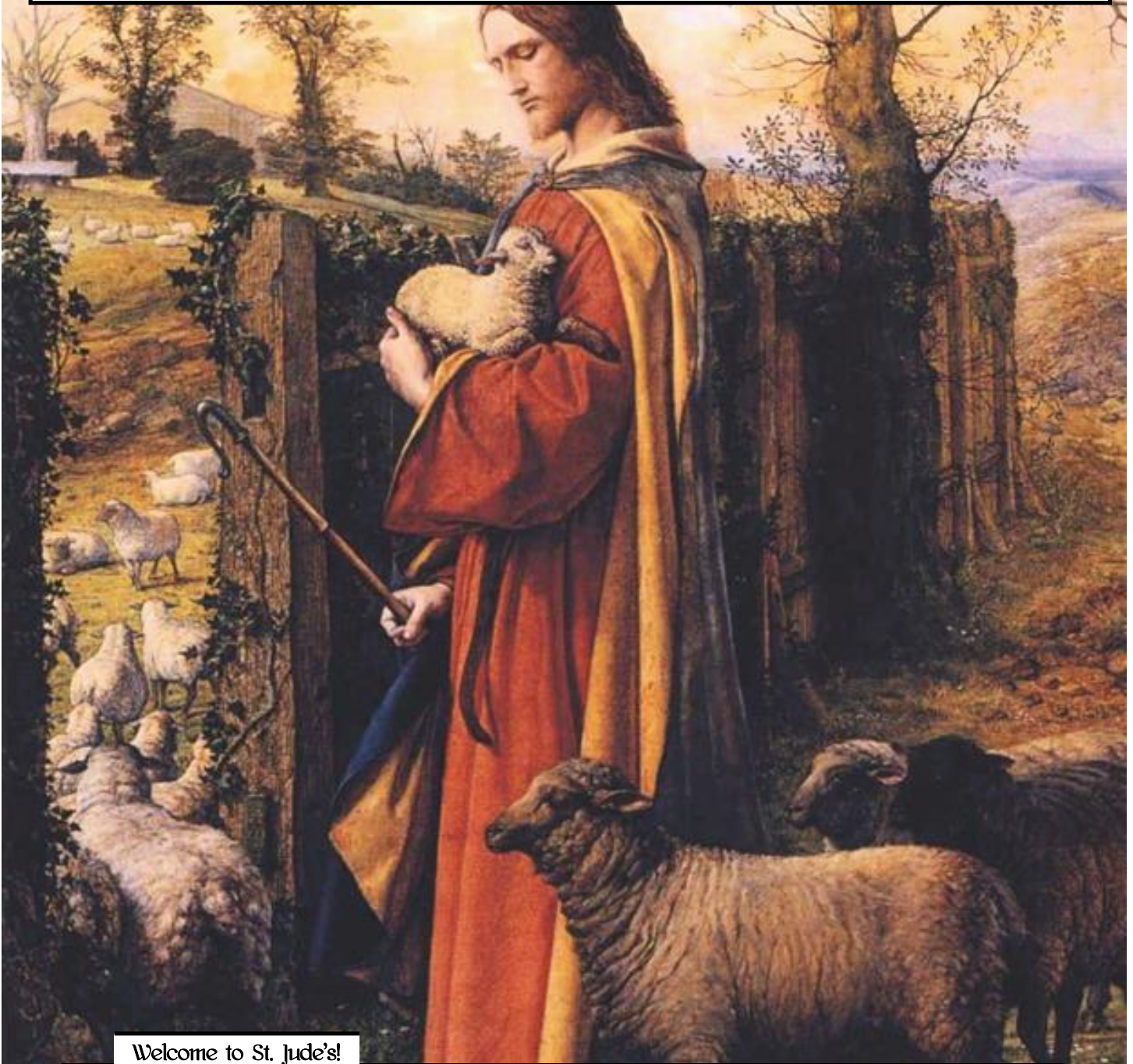


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Welcome to St. Jude's!

We are a Roman Catholic Parish, which gathers believers in Jesus Christ in Hopatcong and surrounding areas. Our Pastor is **Fr. Peter Wierzbicki**. We belong to the Diocese of Paterson, New Jersey. Our Bishop is **Bishop Arthur Serratelli**.

If you are moving to the Hopatcong area, we cordially invite you to make St. Jude your parish.





FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 3, 2020



MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

SATURDAY 10:00 AM 1	MAY 2 People of Saint Jude Lynn McDonald
SUNDAY 10:00 AM 2 3 4	MAY 3 Alice, Richard & Joan Hoer Joseph E. Blood People of Saint Jude
MONDAY 10:00 AM	MAY 4 Michele Aue
TUESDAY 10:00 AM	MAY 5 People of Saint Jude
WEDNESDAY 10:00 AM	MAY 6 Roseann Katchemarc
THURSDAY 10:00 AM	MAY 7 Herbie Miller
FRIDAY 10:00 AM	MAY 8 Joseph McGarry
SATURDAY 10:00 AM 1	MAY 9 John Hopka Alice Beach
SUNDAY 10:00 AM 2 3 4	MAY 10 All the deceased mothers in our parish family People of Saint Jude People of Saint Jude

Pope Francis Accepts Resignation of Bishop Arthur J. Serratelli; Names Father Kevin Sweeney of Diocese of Brooklyn as Successor

April 15, 2020

Pope Francis has accepted the resignation of Bishop Arthur J. Serratelli from the pastoral governance of the Diocese of Paterson and has named Father Kevin Sweeney, a priest of the Diocese of Brooklyn as Bishop-elect of Paterson. He will become the Diocese of Paterson's eighth Bishop. Archbishop Christophe Pierre, apostolic nuncio to the United States, publicized the appointment in Washington, D.C. on April 15, 2020.

Bishop Serratelli was installed as the Diocese of Paterson's seventh bishop on July 6, 2004 and served as Bishop for nearly 16 years.

Bishop-elect Sweeney was born on Jan. 17, 1970 in Elmhurst, Queens and grew up in Whitestone, Queens. His parents, the late James P. Sweeney and the late Agnes Blewitt were both born and raised in County Mayo, Ireland. Agnes came to New York in 1951 and James in 1963. They were married in St. Bartholomew's Church in Elmhurst, N.Y. in 1967 and moved to Whitestone in 1971. Bishop-Elect Sweeney attend-

ed St. Luke's Parochial School in Whitestone and Cathedral Preparatory High School in Elmhurst. He graduated from St. John's University in Jamaica, N.Y., with a bachelor's degree in Philosophy in 1992 and received a master's degree in Divinity from the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington, Long Island in 1997. Bishop-Elect Sweeney was ordained a priest for the Diocese of Brooklyn by the Most Reverend Thomas V. Daily at St. James' Cathedral on June 28, 1997. He was assigned as Parochial Vicar to St. Nicholas of Tolentine Parish in Jamaica, where he served until June of 2003. He was then assigned to Our Lady of Sorrows Parish in Corona, where he served for a year. Rev. Sweeney was named as the Vocation Director of the Diocese of Brooklyn by Bishop Nicholas DiMarzio in June of 2004. In January 2010, he was named Pastor of St. Michael Parish in Sunset Park, Brooklyn, where he continues to serve. The date of Bishop-elect Sweeney's episcopal ordination as the eighth Bishop of the Diocese of Paterson has not been scheduled due to the pandemic. Bishop Serratelli will serve as Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese of Paterson until that time.



Peter Wierzbicki
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MASSES ONLINE

In our parish all the masses are celebrated privately by Fr. Peter.

They are streamed online at 10:00AM every day.

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Because we use YouTube as the streaming platform, you can find my account on YouTube.com by searching „Peter Wierzbicki”.

It is also a very versatile website. You can watch the streaming of the mass from St Jude, on almost any device with the screen and connected to the Internet.

First Reading: Acts 2:14a, 36-41

With great authority, Peter proclaims to the people that the Christ who was crucified is indeed the Messiah. Urging them to reform and be baptized in the name of Christ, three thousand responded to his words and were baptized.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 2:20b-25

This is a strong exhortation from Peter to the people to endure suffering for Christ as he did for them. Healed by his wounds, they have "returned to the shepherd."

Gospel: John 10:1-10

Christ uses the beautiful image of the shepherd to describe his care for his sheep. He also says he is the sheepgate and promises that "Whoever enters through me will be safe."

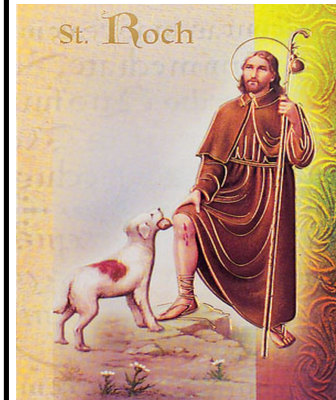


This year, the encyclical Evangelium Vitae (The Gospel of Life) is 25 years old. It was issued by St. John Paul II on March 25, 1995, the Feast of the Annunciation, because that was the event in salvation history in which Jesus became an unborn child. The encyclical draws on biblical sources to make clear the historic Chris-

tian teaching on the sanctity of life, and the obligation of families and governments to protect the smallest and weakest human beings, the children in the womb. Please be sure to read this document, and use the study guide created by Priests for Life, at

www.GospelofLife.org.

Saint Roch - Patron of Pandemics



Said to have been born in 1295, St. Roch was born to a noble family at Montpellier, France. Orphaned at age 20, he made a pilgrimage to Rome where he cared for plague victims. Taken ill with the plague, Roch recovered with the aid of a dog who took food from his masters table to feed him. This led to his being named the patron saint of dogs. Roch then performed miracles to

help the afflicted.

Returning to Montpellier, Roch was accused of being a spy and imprisoned for five years by an uncle who didn't recognize him. He never revealed his true status as son of the former governor. The story of the ultimate discovery of his identity varies with some stories saying it was prior and some saying upon his death that his birthmark cross was discerned.

Patron saint of invalids, Roch, known as Roque in Spain and Rocco in Italy, was followed by a popular cult responding to reports of his miracles performed for plague victims. He is also the patron saint of dogs and frequently is shown in the company of a dog. His feast day is Aug. 16.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE
ON THE SUNDAY READINGS
"HIS WORD TODAY"
by Rev. William J. Reilly

"Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart, and they asked Peter and the other apostles, 'What are we to do, my brothers?' Peter said to them, 'Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.'"

It is exciting to read the sermons of Peter and Paul in the Acts of the Apostles. They call our attention to the fundamental teaching of Jesus' dying and rising for the love of us. When was the last time the words of a preacher, a spiritual book or magazine, or a conversation with a friend or teacher led you to ask 'What am I to do?'

If I follow the teaching of Peter, I will become more aware of the gift of the promised Spirit to form and transform my life. We are told not to stifle the Spirit, yet sometimes we do a good job at it. We have been baptized, but can always do more in the area of repentance. What am I going to do?

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SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST

Any High School Senior who is a practicing Catholic at St. Jude's Church is invited to submit an essay for consideration in our annual Scholarship Contest.

The topic of the essay is:

“What my Catholic Faith means to me”.

The essay should be at least 250 words and answer the question raised in the topic. If you have any questions or when you are ready to submit the essay, please contact Mike Coolican, Scott Cawood or Manny Fernandes.

The deadline for entering your essay is
Sunday May 31, 2020.

Mike Coolican 973-229-9881
Scott Cawood 908-684-2467
Manny Fernandes 973-398-5534

A prayer to Our Lady of Guadalupe for protection against Coronavirus

Holy Virgin of Guadalupe,
Queen of the Angels and Mother of the Americas.

We fly to you today as your beloved children.

We ask you to intercede for us with your Son,
as you did at the wedding in Cana.

Pray for us, loving Mother,
and gain for our nation and world,
and for all our families and loved ones,
the protection of your holy angels,
that we may be spared the worst of this illness.

For those already afflicted, we ask you
to obtain the grace of healing and deliverance.

Hear the cries of those who are vulnerable and fearful,
wipe away their tears and help them to trust.

In this time of trial and testing,
teach all of us in the Church
to love one another and to be patient and kind.

Help us to bring the peace of Jesus
to our land and to our hearts.

We come to you with confidence,
knowing that you truly are our compassionate
mother,
health of the sick and cause of our joy.

Shelter us under the mantle of your protection,
keep us in the embrace of your arms,
help us always to know the love of your Son, Jesus.

Amen.



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A Plenary Indulgence

The Apostolic Penitentiary, through the authority of the Supreme Pontiff, has granted a Plenary Indulgence to all of those who are suffering from the coronavirus or those who are caring for those who are ill, and additionally to all those subject to quarantine during this time of grave difficulty. In order to obtain the Indulgence, which is the remission before God of guilt for sins already forgiven, the faithful are to observe the devotions and disposition outlined in the decree:

The Plenary Indulgence is granted to the faithful suffering from Coronavirus, who are subject to quarantine by order of the health authority in hospitals or in their own homes if, with a spirit detached from any sin, they unite spiritually through the media to the celebration of Holy Mass, the recitation of the Holy Rosary, to the pious practice of the Way of the Cross or other forms of devotion, or if at least they will recite the Creed, the Lord's Prayer and a pious invocation to the Blessed Virgin Mary, offering this trial in a spirit of faith in God and charity towards their brothers and sisters, with the will to fulfil the usual conditions (sacramental confession, Eucharistic communion and prayer according to the Holy Father's intentions), as soon as possible.

Health care workers, family members and all those who, following the example of the Good Samaritan, exposing themselves to the risk of contagion, care for the sick of Coronavirus according to the words of the divine Redeemer: "Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends" (John 15: 13), will obtain the same gift of the Plenary Indulgence under the same conditions.

The Holy Father has provided this Plenary Indulgence in order for the suffering and those who selflessly labor in the care of the sick are united ever more closely with Christ the healer and reliant on the all-powerful and never failing mercy of God.

Bishop Arthur Seratelli

Coronavirus

Lockdown Haircuts

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1. YouTube lied to me



2. Cheap clippers broke



3. "I'm never gonna financially recover from this"



4. The Crystal Maze



5. "Sick fade bro!"



6. The Wife had a go..



7. Christ has risen!



8. Robocop

My dog walking himself since he can't get Coronavirus:



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Kathleen Alarcon, Peter Alles, Lucy Astore, Ann Bauer, James Bonavota, Ann Bonda, Kyle Bussey, Jordyn Cameron, Toni Castoro, Amanda Church, Lenny & Lil Colello, Cathy Collins, Sean Conyngham, Peggy Coolican, Linda Corcoran, Shannon & Reggie Crowley, Claudia Davis, Betty DeKleine, Liliana DiFillippi, Richard Ferris, Dylan Flinchum,

Andy Gervasi, Jessica Gonzales, Katie Gowey, Jodie Grillo, Herbert Grobe, John Hayes, Susan Helfrich, Mary Hussenius, Linda Hill, Irene Hogan, Mark Joanna, Terri Kellerman, Charlie La Capria, Cheryl Lotito, Theresa Leggio, Tanya Lewit, Erin Loescher, Joan Major, Peggy McGarry, Anthony Monetti, Maryann Moore, Arthur & Barbara Morelli, Joe Nandor, Kim

Olenic, Joanne Orr, Yvonne Paquing, Richard Ratti, Donna Ross, Mary Rushka, Paul Sansevere, John Scala, Catherine Sorace, William Stelmach, Nancy & Tom Tevis, Anne Marie Truncali, Katherine vonEhr, Grzegorz Wierzbicki, Florence White, Joyce Williams, Yvonne Zaccone.

Please Remember are dearly departed this Easter

Rudy Astore, Michelle Aue, Thomas & Margaret Barger, Warren & Angela Barootjian, Bill Bartley, Bill Bartley, Jr., Brenton Bassin, Edward & Ann Cafferty, Jimmy Cafferty, Sylvia & Josephine Cancelleri, Patrick & Mary Caruso, Joe Castoro, Vito Castoro, Michael Castoro, Sheila Cronin, Dorothy & Lester Coale, Josephine & Leonard Colello, Sr., Edward & Jeanette Connaughton, Ann Conway, Charles & Catherine Conzelmann, William & Josey Cooper, William Cooper, Jr., Ida & Sal Cucinella Sr., John & Mae Cure Sr., John Cure, Louis & Louise D'Amelio, Rose & Joe Davi, Bob & Betty DeKleine, Jonathan & William DeLucchi, Pat DeMarino, Edward Devine, Tom & Ethel Devlin, John & Mae Di Gangi, Joseph & Josephine DiGangi, Maureen Fajfer, Benjamin & Sylvia Fernandes, Joseph & Mary Gallagher, Dolores Gen-

siak, Lorenzo & Anna Ghiggini, Antoinette & Anthony Grillo, Grace & Lawrence Grillo, Florence & Herbert Grobe, Sara & Loretta Hanley, Anna Mae Halupka, George & Mary Hatton, John Herman, Nora Hunker, Patricia Darcy Jones, Roseann Katchmaric, Ricky Kavanaugh, Bob Kenna, Jack Kenna, Michael Kierney, Kilmurray Family, Frank & Mary Korec, Richard Koppinger, Damiano & Lydia LaPlaca, Sylva & Mary Lio, Dominick & Lucia Loffredo Sr., Annette Loffredo, Diane Lounsbery, Mary Lyons, Wladyslaw & Helena Maciorowski, Lech Maciorowski, Kay McAdams, Joe McCabe, Joseph & Agnes McGarry, Father John McGuigan, Jack McNamara, Michael & Marie Meola, Alice Moran, Herbie Miller, Leone & Giacinta Monzeglio, Robert & Loretta Newman, Frank Nutley, Patricia & Emmett O'Brien, Elizabeth & Jo-

seph O'Connor, Santa & Salvatore Oliveri, Agnes & Wayne Orr, Barbara & Bill Perrin, Carol Perrucci, Margaret Pizzamenti, Theresa Pompa, Dave Quigley, John & Dorothy Quirk, Bob Rankin, James & Dorothy Reilly, Margarita Rivera, Antoinette & Joseph Romano, Margaret Rosania, Alyssa Ruggieri, Rose Sammaro, Pat Sammaro, Joseph & Adele Sandulo, Maureen Schmidt, Steve Schmidt, Philip & Anna Schmidt, Henry & Lucy Scala, Philip & Henrietta Scully, John & Anna Sobosky, Carol Strasser, Jim & Cita Sullivan, Pat Swanson, Zofia Szymanski, Trippodo, Wladyslaw & Marianna Wierzbicki, Geraldine Woodard, Robert Woods Sr., Percy & Rose Yates, Marie Yates.

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All the masses in our diocese are celebrated by priests in private, without people.

private masses. Some of these masses are going to be streamed live over the Internet using the YouTube.com platform.

On top of that, since April 1st all the buildings are going to be closed for the public, and the public adoration will be no more.

All the intension listed on the left are going to be invoked during these

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Rev. Peter Wierzbicki.....*Pastor*
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 Mrs. Kathleen Barger.....*Administrative Assistant*
 Mrs. Lillian Colello.....*Coordinator of Religious Education and Confirmation Program*
 Mrs. Lillian Colello Liturgy Coordinator
 Mr. Henry Schmidt.....Parish Trustee
 Mr. Sylvester Plewa.....Parish Trustee
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 John Armino.....Cantor

How to register:

If you are new to the parish or have not previously registered in the parish, please do so by calling the office at 973-398-6377 for a registration form. Also, if you are not receiving collection envelopes, we can arrange to have them sent them to you.

Our Parish Family invites all of its members to share fully in our spiritual and social life.

If you change your address or telephone number, please contact us. All parishioners are requested to use the regular Sunday envelopes or our Online Giving. If you are not receiving them,

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Parish Center Rental

If you would like to rent a Parish Hall, please call the Parish Office.

The typical maximum head count is 225 people for dinner seating.

For more information email our hall rental committee: rental@stjudehopatcong.org

Eucharistic Liturgies

Sunday Masses 5:00 p.m. (Saturday Vigil Mass) 7:45 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses (Mon - Sat) 8:30 a.m.

Holy Days of Obligation To be announced

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

4:00 - 4:45 p.m. or by appointment

Novena to St. Jude: Wednesday after the Mass

Adoration: every Thursday after the mass until 8PM

Litany to Our Lady: after every morning Mass in May

Litany to the Heart of Jesus: after every morning Mass in June

Rosary: after each daily Mass and 9:15AM Sunday Mass during the month of October

Remember to always check the bulletin and

listen to the announcements for any changes and times for special liturgies.

Sacraments:

BAPTISMS are usually celebrated on the 3rd Sunday of the month after the 11AM Mass. Parents are asked to call the rectory about the Baptismal preparation meeting on the first Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m.

MARRIAGE - Arrangements should be made at the Rectory no less than 6 months before the marriage date and prior to any social planning. To arrange for Pre-Cana instructions, please call the Rectory.

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