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FROM OUR SYNOD BISHOP

AN APPEAL FOR AID TO HAITI

The horrific earthquake in Haiti, the resulting deaths and injuries, the heart-ache of families around the world not knowing the fate of their loved ones in Port Aux Prince, the images of battered children, women and men

– it's all too much.

Suffering on this scale is incomprehensible; it numbs us in our bodies, minds and spirits. This is all compounded by the well-known fact that Haiti is the poorest nation in the western hemisphere. Our Lord Jesus was never quiet about the poor and broken; he always had a heart for the last, least and lost. We recall these momentous words: "Inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these members of my family, you did it to me". [Read Matthew 25:31-46.]

I was moved by the words of Roman Catholic Archbishop Timothy Dolan of New York who describes going to pray in the cathedral church before the Pieta, the statue of the Virgin Mary holding the dead Christ in her arms. Dolan declares: "Haiti is the broken bloody body of Christ." This is most certainly true at this moment in time. As a Church In Mission For Others we dedicate ourselves to seeing and serving Jesus in our brothers and sisters. Today, and in the coming weeks and months, Haiti is the place where Jesus can be most obviously (and necessarily) seen and served.

I thank God for the many nations who are mobilized to offer aid and support. I thank God for Canadian Lutheran World Relief (CLWR) and the many ways CLWR enables us to be tangibly involved in the relief of Haiti and its people.

I encourage you to be in concerted prayer for Haiti. I also encourage you to be part of the solution by making donations in support of Haiti through CLWR.*

So as the dust of the earthquake settles over Haiti and her people, we await Ash Wednesday, the imposition of ashes on our foreheads, and the words: "Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return". But thanks be to God who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ!

*+Ronald B. Mayan, Bishop
Synod of Alberta and the Territories*

** Please, see page 4 for information about how to give through CLWR and a glimpse of some of the work your donations are helping to achieve.*

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Families fill their buckets with water from a truck in the Bel Air neighborhood of Port-au-Prince, where the ACT Alliance is setting up water treatment and distribution systems. © ACT/Paul Jeffrey

SUPPORT REACHING HAITI

(This is a January 21, 2010 news release from Lutheran World Information.)

In the chaos of aid distribution, ACT Alliance (partnering with CLWR) members are managing to get food, temporary shelter, water cleaning materials and expertise to the Haitian capital. The streets are still thronged with homeless people, walking for hours to find food and water. As well as widespread destruction of homes, schools and other buildings, major damage has been done to key water, electricity and road systems. Port-au-Prince's heavily congested airport is finally allowing some aid to get through, however it comes as Haitians turn on each other, increasingly desperate for food and water.

One of the largest alliances working on relief in Haiti, ACT Alliance has four members working in-country and is being supplemented by relief from others. From the January 17 ACT teleconference:

Christian Aid reports it has started distributing food and tents, hygiene kits, blankets, jerry cans and water purifiers to 15,000 people in eight communities, targeting areas getting little help from other agencies. It has also sent in a medical team through a specialist healthcare organization. CA hopes to source food from markets in Haiti if possible, but all other items will definitely need to come in from outside. The team in Haiti is coordinating with colleagues in the Dominican Republic to source materials there where possible.

Lutheran World Federation is constructing a camp for ACT members at its compound, with additional space for member staff. Cooking facilities are provided, and Internet connection is good. Water supply is problematic. LWF plans to recruit supplementary staff.

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Diakonie Katastrophenhilfe has programmed delivery of 15 tonnes of food relief together with Caritas Germany.

Lutheran World Relief plans to send a shipment of food products.

Church World Service and Christian Aid offices are ready to serve as a base for receiving emergency items. ACT member staff in St Domingo are on the way to Haiti.

Norwegian Church Aid is prioritizing water sanitation equipment and psychosocial work. It has sent a team of water engineers, a communicator and a logistician. Two Norwegian advisors with expertise in gender and children's protection are also going.

ACT members report that buildings remain very fragile and continue to collapse. Rain has compounded the situation of the million people without shelter. The border with the Dominican Republic remains insecure. Health risks of contagious diseases are getting serious. Other towns are also badly affected and many areas outside Port-au-Prince remain unexplored. A number of staff from ACT members in the country remain unaccounted for.

NO-ONE IMMUNE FROM THE DEVASTATION

The earthquake has affected every part of society, including the people normally in charge of vital services, ACT's Christian Aid reports. The UN chain of command was badly hit by the loss of staff, although MINUSTAH started collecting dead bodies from the streets on Friday. The Government had already started putting bodies into mass graves. Some people in Port-au-Prince have lost all their money because it is in their collapsed homes.

Phones have not been working although Irish telephone company, Digicel, said that it has got its network going again and that calls were free, to allow people to call their families and let them know they are alive.

There has been a lot of social solidarity, with people helping rescue each other from the rubble. A large number of people, perhaps 100,000, have left the city to stay with friends and family in other parts of the country.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

Canadian Lutheran World Relief (CLWR) is working with other members of Action by Churches Together (ACT) Alliance **to respond to the needs in Haiti.**

Contributions for this emergency response can be made in the following ways: Online at www.clwr.org/donate. By calling CLWR's toll-free number: 1.800.661.2597. By sending a cheque made payable to CLWR to CLWR, 302-393 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, MB R3B 3H6. Please indicate in your correspondence that you wish to contribute to the Haiti Earthquake Appeal. Or through Messiah by giving an offering designated to CLWR for the **Haiti Earthquake Appeal.**



CLERGY CORNER

Return to the Lord, your God, for He is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love ... (Joel 2:13b).

Travel seems to be the norm in the lives of many in my family. As a pilot, my husband travels all over the world taking different types of cargo to wherever they are needed. At the moment, he is in Miami shuttling relief supplies into Haiti; next week he could be back in the Northwest Territories flying equipment and supplies into the diamond mines. Our eldest son, a soldier, travels worldwide too. His job entails both peacemaking and peacekeeping. Our youngest son also travels occasionally in order to educate individuals and organizations about HIV/AIDS. I, too, travel every week, back and forth to all of you here in Camrose.

Perhaps some of you can relate to our itinerant lifestyles, but others may not. Many of you only travel for holidays or personal needs. But no matter what job or lifestyle we have we all share the same journey, the journey of faith.

During this time of Lent our common journey takes us in two directions, but always with the same goal in mind. The first direction is a looking back at our lives — a time of reflection and change — when we look at our attitudes and actions and then take time to confess our sins and to repent.

The other direction is a looking forward to what Jesus' life, death, and resurrection means for us today and tomorrow — forgiven, redeemed, and one with God forever, eternal life — God's free gifts to us through his gift of faith in Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior.

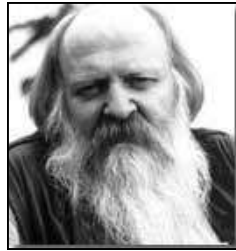
This is also a time to think about all that God continues to do with and for us every day. So, it is a journey about relationships: our relationship with God and our relationship with one another. No matter where we are in the world, our attitude affects our choices and our actions, which in turn, affect our relationships with those around us. Of course, this also reflects and affects our relationship with God.

So, Lent is a time when we return to the Lord our God, when we recognize our need for a Savior, and when we acknowledge all that separates us from a right relationship with God and with one another. This journey of the heart and mind turns us from what leads us astray and points us, again, to the One who is the Way, the Truth, and the Life.

"Return to the Lord, your God" is our common goal at Lent and every time we stray. And the wonder of it all is the gracious and loving attitude of God who is always waiting for us and always willing to forgive us and receive us back, no matter what we have said or done. As we make this journey of faith together we can rest secure in the knowledge that God, who is faithful, will help us to be faithful by turning our hearts and minds to Him and then to one another.

*Rev. Judy Jarvis,
Interim Assistant Pastor*

THE GENIUS OF PIETISM AND THE CHALLENGE OF MODERNITY



*TWO MORE MONDAY EVENINGS
WITH DR. DAVID GOA*

Monday, February 1

**PIETISM AND THE BIBLE IN THE
NEW WORLD: READING FOR
FRIENDSHIP, READING FOR PROOF**

Monday, February 8

A GLORIOUS AND SAD SONG: THE LAST PIETIST TO BE BURIED ON THE PRAIRIES

There will also be an opportunity at this session for people to tell their own stories and learn from each other.

*You can listen to this series on the web or download it at
<http://www.crcaudio.ca/Talks/10-2010-Winter/2010-Winter.html>
It will eventually be available in print form as well.*

MIDWEEK LENTEN SERVICES

WEDNESDAYS AT 7 P.M.

*EXPLORING RELATIONSHIPS
WITH LUTHER'S SMALL CATECHISM*



Martin Luther encouraged preaching on the catechism, especially during Lent. This provides an opportunity to revisit some of the basic teachings of the Christian community.

This year we will explore what the catechism teaches us about our relationships with God, each other and ourselves.

February 17	Ash Wednesday	<i>Confession</i>
February 24	Lent 1	<i>The Ten Commandments</i>
March 3	Lent 2	<i>Apostles' Creed</i>
March 10	Lent 3	<i>Lord's Prayer</i>
March 17	Lent 4	<i>Holy Baptism</i>
March 24	Lent 5	<i>Holy Communion</i>

NEIGHBOR AID AND MARTHA'S TABLE

One of the programs under Neighbor Aid's umbrella is Martha's Table. Martha's Table, which is subsidized by the Food Bank, offers hot soup and sandwich lunches four days a week for everyone in the community to access and enjoy.

Lunch is served by volunteers from many of the churches, including Messiah, from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday at St. Francis Xavier Church; Wednesdays at the United Church of Canada; and Saturdays at Pleasantview Alliance Church (behind Fas-Gas).

The soup for this ongoing and long-standing endeavor is donated by the Norsemen Inn and is fresh daily. The bread for the sandwiches is donated by Sobey's and Safeway and the sandwich fixings are donated by different churches, individuals and the Food Bank.

So, if you find yourself rushing around during your workplace lunch hour, with little time to go home and make something to eat, consider dropping in and checking this out. Alternatively, you may be shopping and want a quick lunch. What a wonderful way to meet new people and meet the volunteers who make all this happen.

You may have read that there is food in abundance at the Food Bank at the present time, but remember, anything given to those in need has to be replaced. The next date chosen by the Service Committee as Food Bank Sunday at Messiah is February 21. I am sure this will be as successful as the previous ones.



Non perishable foods are always needed, but as well as food, there are other items that are equally important. Things we often take for granted are needed as well. For example: toothpaste, toothbrushes, men's shaving cream & razors, personal toiletries, soap, toilet tissue, shampoo, to name but a few.

The previous Food Bank drives have been outstanding, and as Messiah's representative on the Neighbor Aid Board, a huge thank is warranted.

Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need. (Hebrews 4:16).

*Until next time,
Carol Cherry*

**OUR NEXT
FOOD BANK SUNDAY
FEBRUARY 21**

PASTORAL ACTS

Funerals

Robin Berg
Marlene Brausen
Don Mohler

Marriages

Jill Lamb & Brad Felzien
Katelyn Reimer & Kyle Gallagher
Angela Desjardins & Greg Johnson

ELW HIGHLIGHTS

Our Circles have begun the 2010 Bible Study, *The Word Made Flesh*. If you're not doing so, please consider attending one of our Circles (morning, afternoon or evening). You would be most welcome.

Upcoming dates to keep in mind are:

- **Quilting:** Feb. 3, 17, March 3, 17, 31, April 21
- Our regular **Bible Study Briefing** will be held on Thursday, February 4 at 7 PM, downstairs in room A007. We encourage those of you leading the study in your Circle to attend, for helps and insights and sharing.
- The Lenten season begins with **Ash Wednesday** on February 17.
- The annual **World Day of Prayer Service** will be hosted by First Baptist church (6406 - 44b Ave.) on Friday, March 5 at 1:30 PM

Submitted by Eleanor Kopperud

FEBRUARY YOUTH EVENTS

Fri, Feb 5 - Bigger and Better Scavenger Hunt 7-9pm. If you're willing to drive, please let Dorina Brown know.

Sat, Feb 6 - Mustard Seed. Meet at 5:50pm at Bethel in Duggan Park. Expected return between 11:30pm-12:00am.

Sun, Feb 7 - Sunday Spirit - Baking and Games - 7-10pm

Fri, Feb 12 - Tobogganing - 7-9pm. Please bring your sleds

Fri, Feb 19 - Joint Worship - 7-9pm. If you'd like to help plan and lead worship, let Dorina know.

Sun, Feb 21 - Sunday Spirit - The Amazing Race; Messiah Style.

Fri, Feb 26 - NO YOUTH

Sun, Feb 28 - Joint Event - Bowling. Details to come.



BENEFIT CONCERT RAISES \$6,650

Messiah's FaithLife Chapter was able to raise \$5,150.80 through the Benefit Concert with the Rawlings Brothers for Hastings Lake Lutheran Bible Camp on Sunday, January 10. There were 231 people at the event. With FaithLife's grant of \$1,500, the camp will now have 6,650.80 to use to build a new cabin.



SPECIAL BENEVOLENCE AND MISSIONARY SUPPORT

Because our current budget did not make provision for a tithe to our synod and our national church, the Special Congregational Meeting created two Support Funds to try to top up our giving so that we could achieve the same goal.

We are seeking an additional \$5,500 beyond regular through a **Missionary Support Fund** so that we can top up our support for Brian Rude's ministry in El Salvador to a total of \$20,500.

We are seeking an additional \$11,800 beyond regular through a **Benevolence Support Fund** so that we can top up our support for the ministries of our synod and our national church to a total of \$42,300.

When you contribute to either of these funds, please use one of the pew envelopes and write the amount and the fund to which you are contributing on that envelope.



REVERSE THE CUTS TO KAIROS

KAIROS is an ecumenical agency (of which the ELCIC is a part) which works to promote social justice throughout the world. In the January issue of *Messiah Messenger*, we reported how its funding from the Canadian government was suddenly, and without notice, terminated at the end of November.

Although part of its work is funded by the participating churches, a significant portion of its operating budget comes from the government. As a result, the churches are currently engaged in an effort to convince the Federal government and CIDA to restore this funding so KAIROS can carry on its very important mission.

Please add your voice and demonstrate your support by signing the congregational letter, which we will then be forwarding to Kevin Sorenson, our local Member of Parliament, expressing our concern. The letter is at the Information Desk for you to sign. Thanks!

The Service Committee



MISSIONS FEST
A L B E R T A

February 19 - 21, 2010
Shaw Conference Centre, Edmonton

***“From Every Tribe,
Tongue & Nation”***

www.mfest.ab.ca

**For information, see the World Mission Bulletin Board
in the Messiah Link or call: 780-451-0080**

MISSION ENDOWMENT FUND SUGGESTIONS

Members of Messiah Lutheran Church may suggest to Church Council in writing at least four months in advance of the annual meeting, June 13, 2010, about how the earnings of the Mission Endowment Fund should be spent. The purpose of the Fund is to enhance the mission of the church by funding new ministries. It is estimated that about \$4,500 will be available. About \$1,000 remains unspent of last year's designation.

EGG SALAD, CHEMICALS AND SOUP

We are reminded as followers of Jesus Christ to extend hospitality to one another and strangers (Romans 12:13; 1 Peter 4:9). To faithfully follow these instructions, our faith community has directives regarding the use of our facilities by us and others who are given permission to use our facility for non-commercial purposes. Since food is served in our facility, the government does have the responsibility to visit our food preparation areas to ensure that we are following food safety and sanitation procedures. We may not agree with facility use policies or some directives given by the health inspectors but, let us cheerfully observe the directives and extend hospitality so that all may enjoy the fellowship of the table. Therefore, please read the following information before beginning preparations.

SANITATION OF KITCHENS

1. Check posted directions before using dish washers in both kitchens. Note that the downstairs dishwasher requires 20 minutes to heat the water.
2. When dishwashing is done manually, bleach test strips must be used. They are located in:
 - a. the Fellowship kitchen - in the towel drawer, and must be kept away from dampness under the sink
 - b. downstairs kitchen - on counter near the microwave oven
3. Soap dispensers must be accessible on each side of the counter. Paper towels should be kept near the sinks so that they will be seen and used.
4. When kitchen supplies are low, eg. dishwashing solution, bleach strips, hand soap dispensers, contact Lois Pederson, 780-672-7212, who is the ELW appointee to purchase these supplies.
5. If the chemical solution for dishwashers is low, contact custodian.
6. Report water leaks to office or custodian.
7. If custodian is not available, remove garbage to dumpster in back lane. Reline container with new garbage bags.

PREPARATION OF FOOD

1. All volunteers who prepare food should wash hands thoroughly with soap and water and use the sanitizer between jobs, e.g. taking serving trays to serve guests and then return to continue preparing food.
2. Prepared buns/sandwiches spread with meat, cheese and eggs should not be out of the refrigerator for more than two hours. Discard leftovers after this time frame.
3. Crock Pots and Soups - The following information is from the ATCO blue flame kitchen in Edmonton. Crockpots are really meant for long-term cooking which translated is all day or its equivalent. Some of us are aware that heating soup in a crockpot may take longer than 4 or 5 hours - even on high heat. If the soup was prepared the day before, the advisor recommended that soups should be first reheated in a kettle and then poured into a crockpot, plugged in so it will remain hot.

IN OUR PRAYERS (FEBRUARY)

Corporate prayer is one of the principal tasks of the Church. Prayer changes people, and people, inspired by the Holy Spirit, change things. There are many people and situations that may not be mentioned in our prayers regularly at our worship service. This list offers a few as one focus for our prayers for February.

- ✠ for the students, faculty and staff of **Luther College**, Regina
- ✠ for Bishop **Elaine Sauer** of the Synod of Manitoba / Northwestern Ontario and the MNO Synod staff, rostered members and people
- ✠ for those who gather for the Annual **Synod Study Conference**
- ✠ for all **volunteers** in our congregation
- ✠ for the president and synodical board of Evangelical **Lutheran Women**, nationally and synodically
- ✠ for the students, faculty and staff of **Augustana Campus**
- ✠ for our Synod Bishop, **Ron Mayan**, and for the synod staff, rostered members and people of our synod
- ✠ for **Ruth Vince**, Executive Director of Evangelical Lutheran Women and ELW's staff
- ✠ for our sponsored missionary **Brian Rude** as he serves the people of El Salvador
- ✠ for our National Bishop, **Susan Johnson**, and for our National Church Staff
- ✠ for the chaplains and staff of the **Bethany Group Care** Facilities and of the Good Samaritan Society
- ✠ for the members of our synod and synod committees
- ✠ for Pastor **Kenn Ward**, Pastor **Judy Jarvis**, and the members of our Church Council
- ✠ for **Diaconal Ministers** serving in our synod: Julie Hink, Signi Bruner, Virginia Burke, Bonnie Peattie, Lily-Linda Slobod, Jane Tse and Messiah's Diaconal Minister **Bev Swanson**
- ✠ for the pastors, pilots and staff of the **Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots**
- ✠ for the pastors and people of the churches in Thailand and for **Lori Endress**, missionary
- ✠ for Bishop **Michael Pryse** of the Eastern Synod and the Eastern Synod staff, rostered members and people of the Eastern Synod
- ✠ for the ministers and people of the United Church of Canada and for **Camrose United Church**
- ✠ for **the coalition forces** serving in Afghanistan and their families. Keep them safe from harm and bring them home to their families and friends. Protect their hearts also from all the disaster and pain they must encounter as they serve. Given them and their loved ones and all those in the other places of conflict on this planet strength, encouragement, and peace.

*You are also encouraged to make use of **Additional Prayers** beginning on page 72 in **Evangelical Lutheran Worship**. We welcome requests for prayer. If a person is to be prayed for at one of our services, we must have that person's permission to use their name.*

SERENE PHOTOS SOUGHT

Your digital photos in high resolution of serene nature pictures such as sunrise & sunsets, nature trails, yellow canola fields, blue flax fields, lake, soft blue/burgundy abstract art are always a helpful addition to our database for our worship screens. Please contact Tova Olson or Lowell Dahlman to contribute.

SAHAKARINI SEEKING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The part-time Executive Director is the public face of Sahakarini. S/he, with the Board of Directors, carries out the mandate of the organization, which is to help the poorest of the poor in developing countries through trusted project partners. We see the Executive Director as being passionate about our mandate, with strong organizational and communication skills. The time commitment will be significant, but greatly flexible. We do not wish or expect the Executive Director to keep regular office hours, but rather to organize and complete tasks efficiently on a schedule of his/her own choosing, while of course respecting reasonable deadlines. Please contact Alan Fielding at 780-672-5948 or afielding@telusplanet.net

STUDENTS AWAY FROM HOME

Kayla Bentley (Science) University of Lethbridge

Morgan Bentley (Science) University of Lethbridge

Lawrence Bergquist (Theatre Foundations) Rosebud School of the Arts

Jessica Clement (General Studies) Grant MacEwan, Edmonton

Kathryn Clement (Science) Augustana U of A

Karen Horte (Interior Design) Mount Royal College, Calgary

Sarah Kuntz, (Elementary Education) University of Alberta

Jen Lindstrand (Culture & Values in Education) McGill, Montreal

Jesse Sorenson (Physical Education) University of Alberta

Kara Sorenson (General Studies) Augustana U of A

Janelle Steinwandt (Tourism & Hospitality) SAIT

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Members, staff, committees and groups are encouraged to submit articles so that we are aware of who we are, what we are doing and where we may be going in our congregation.

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	<p>1 Synod Study Conference, Canmore</p> <p>7:00 Camerata</p> <p>7:00 The Genius of Pietism</p>	<p>2 Synod Study Conference, Canmore</p> <p>NO Staff Meeting</p> <p>10:00 Journeying Thru Prayer</p> <p>4:00 Big Drum</p> <p>7:30 Messiah Choristers</p>	<p>3 Synod Study Conference, Canmore</p> <p>8:30 Morning Prayer 9:00 Quilting 1:15 Ladies Chorus</p> <p>1:15 Big Drum</p> <p>6:45 Scouts</p> <p>7:00 Men's Chorus</p>	<p>4 Synod Study Conference, Canmore</p> <p>11: 00 Handbells</p> <p>4:00 Cherub Choir</p> <p>NO Confirmation</p> <p>7:00 ELW Bible Study Briefing</p>	<p>5</p> <p>7:00 Youth—Bigger & Better Scavenger Hunt</p>	<p>6</p> <p>8:45 Men's Bible Study</p> <p>10:30 Worship Band</p> <p>1:30 All Staff Meeting</p> <p>6:00 Youth—Mustard Seed, Edmonton</p>
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<p>21 Lent 1 Food Bank Sunday</p> <p>8:30 Holy Communion 9:30 Coffee Fellowship 9:30 KidFEST 9:30 Youth Leadership 9:45 Friendship Club 9:45 AdultFEST 10:30 Tune In To God 11:00 Contemporary Comm. 12:15 Soup & Sandwiches</p> <p>7:00 Sunday Spirit</p>	<p>22</p> <p>7:00 Camerata</p> <p>7:30 World Mission</p>	<p>23</p> <p>9:30 Staff Meeting</p> <p>10:00 Journeying Thru Prayer</p> <p>4:00 Big Drum</p> <p>7:30 Messiah Choristers</p>	<p>24</p> <p>8:30 Morning Prayer</p> <p>1:15 Ladies Chorus</p> <p>1:15 Big Drum</p> <p>6:45 Scouts 7:00 Lenten Service 7:45 Men's Chorus</p>	<p>25</p> <p>11: 00 Handbells</p> <p>4:00 Cherub Choir</p> <p>6:45 Confirmation</p> <p>7:00 Church Council</p>	<p>26 Messenger Delivery</p> <p>NO Youth</p>	<p>27</p> <p>8:45 Men's Bible Study</p> <p>10:30 Worship Band</p>
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