

The Mass (New Translation)

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INTRODUCTORY RITE

Liturgical Greeting:

Priest: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.^{1 2}

People: **Amen.**³

Priest:

- a) The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ⁴, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.^{5 6}
- b) Grace to you and peace⁷ from God our Father⁸ and the Lord Jesus Christ.^{9 10}
- c) The Lord be with you.¹¹

People: **And with your spirit.**^{12 13}

Priest: Brethren (brothers and sisters), let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.^{14 15}

Penitential Rite (and/or Kyrie):

¹ ([Matthew 28:19](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

² Compare ([Revelations 7:3](#), [14:1](#)), see Scott Hahn, [The Lamb's Supper](#), (New York, Doubleday, 1999), page 43

³ ([1 Chronicles 16:36](#)), Peter Stravinskias, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 84

⁴ See ([1 Corinthians 16:23](#)), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

⁵ ([2 Cor 13:13](#)), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

⁶ Compare ([Revelations 22:21](#)), Scott Hahn, [The Lamb's Supper](#), (New York, Doubleday, 1999), page xx

⁷ ([Thessalonians 1:1](#)), ([Revelations 1:4](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

⁸ ([Colossians 1:2](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

⁹ see Paul's introductory, ([1 Corinthians 1:3](#)), ([2 Corinthians 1:2](#)), ([Galations 1:3](#)), ([Ephesians 1:2](#)), ([Philippians 1:2](#)), ([2 Thessalonians 1:2](#)), ([Philemon v 3](#)) and ([Romans 1:7](#)), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

¹⁰ See also ([1 Timothy 1:2](#)), ([2 Timothy 1:2](#)), ([Titus 1:4](#)), ([1 Peter 1:2](#)), ([2 John v 3](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

¹¹ ([Ruth 2:4](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

¹² ([Galations 6:18](#)), ([2 Timothy 4:22](#)) USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

¹³ See also ([Philippians 4:23](#)), ([Colossians 4:18](#)) ([1 Timothy 6:21](#)), ([Titus 3:15](#)), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

¹⁴ Compare ([1John 1:9](#)) & ([Proverbs 24:16](#)), see Scott Hahn, [The Lamb's Supper](#), (New York, Doubleday, 1999), page 43

¹⁵ See also ([Proverbs 28:13](#)), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

People: **I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,¹⁶
that I have greatly sinned,¹⁷
in my thoughts and in my words,^{18 19}
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,²⁰**

(strike breast 3 x)

**through my fault,
through my fault,
through my most grievous fault;**

**therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,²¹
to pray for me to the Lord our God.**

-or-

Priest: Have mercy on us, O Lord.

People: **For we have sinned against you.^{22 23}**

Priest: Show us, O Lord, your mercy.²⁴

People: **And grant us your salvation.²⁵**

Priest: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.²⁶

People: **Amen.**

Priest: You were sent to heal the contrite of heart:²⁷

¹⁶ Compare ([James 5:16](#)), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

¹⁷ ([1 Chronicles 21:18](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

¹⁸ ([Romans 12:16](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 84

¹⁹ ([James 3:6](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 84

²⁰ ([James 4:17](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 84

²¹ ([1 Thessalonians 5:25](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 85

²² ([Baruch 3:2](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

²³ ([Psalm 51:6](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 85

²⁴ ([Daniel 3:42](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 85

²⁵ ([Psalm 85:8](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

²⁶ ([1 John 1:9](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 85

Priest: You came to call sinners:²⁸

Priest: You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us:²⁹

Priest: Lord, have mercy³⁰

Priest: Christ, have mercy

Priest: Lord, have mercy

People: **Lord, have mercy**³¹

People: **Christ, have mercy**

People: **Lord, have mercy**

Priest: Kyrie, eleison

Priest: Christe, eleison

Priest: Kyrie, eleison

People: **Kyrie, eleison**

People: **Christe, eleison**

People: **Kyrie, eleison**

Priest: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

People: **Amen.**

Gloria:

People: **Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.**³²

**We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,³³ we give you thanks³⁴
for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.**³⁵

Lord Jesus Christ,

Only Begotten Son,³⁶

Lord God, Lamb of God,

Son of the Father,

You take away the sins of the world,³⁷ have mercy on us;

You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;³⁸

²⁷ ([Psalm 147:3](#)), ([Isaiah 61:1](#)), USCCB, *The Order of the Mass*

²⁸ ([Matthew 9:13](#)), USCCB, *The Order of the Mass*

²⁹ ([Romans 8:34](#)), ([Ephesians 1:19](#)), ([Colossians 3:1](#)), ([Hebrews 1:3, 7:25](#)), +++, USCCB, *The Order of the Mass*

³⁰ Compare ([Psalm 6:5](#)), ([Matthew 9:27, 15:22, 17:15, 20:30](#)), & ([Exodus 34:6](#)), Scott Hahn, *The Lamb's Supper*, (New York, Doubleday, 1999), page 46

³¹ ([Tobit 8:4](#)), Peter Stravinkas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 85

³² Compare ([Luke 2:14](#)), Scott Hahn, *The Lamb's Supper*, (New York, Doubleday, 1999), page 46

³³ ([Revelation 7:12](#)), Peter Stravinkas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 85

³⁴ ([Ephesians 5:20](#)), Peter Stravinkas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 86

³⁵ ([Revelation 19:6](#)), Peter Stravinkas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 86

³⁶ ([2 John v 3](#)), Peter Stravinkas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 86

³⁷ ([John 1:29](#)), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), *New American Bible* (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

**For You alone are the Holy One,^{39 40 41}
You alone are the Lord,⁴²
You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,⁴³ with the Holy Spirit,⁴⁴
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

Collect:

Priest: Let us pray.

People: **Amen.**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Response after the First and Second Readings:

Lector: The word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

Priest (quiet): Cleanse my heart and my lips, almighty God,⁴⁵ that I may worthily proclaim Your holy Gospel.

Dialogue before the Gospel Proclamation:

Priest: Alleluia! (*can be sung*)

People: **Alleluia!**

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with your Spirit.**

Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to _____.

People: **Glory to You, O Lord!**

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Priest (quiet): Through the words of the Gospel may our sins be wiped away.

Profession of Faith: (Nicene Creed):⁴⁶

³⁸ ([Romans 8:34](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 86

³⁹ Compare ([Revelation 15:4](#)), Scott Hahn, [The Lamb's Supper](#), (New York, Doubleday, 1999), page 46

⁴⁰ (See ([Psalm 86:9](#)), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

⁴¹ ([Luke 4:34](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 86

⁴² ([Psalm 83:19](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

⁴³ ([Luke 1:32](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 86

⁴⁴ ([John 14:26](#)), Peter Stravinskas, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Page 87

⁴⁵ ([Isaiah 6:5-7](#)), +++, USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

People: **I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,⁴⁷
of all things visible and invisible.⁴⁸**

**I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.⁴⁹**

**God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
consubstantial with the Father;⁵⁰
through Him all things were made.⁵¹
For us men and for our salvation
He came down from heaven,⁵²**

(*bow*) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.⁵³

**For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate,⁵⁴
He suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.⁵⁵
He ascended into heaven⁵⁶
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.⁵⁷**

⁴⁶ Saint Gregory presided over the Second Ecumenical Council which was the council that gave the Church the Nicene Creed. Feast day is 1/2.

⁴⁷ ([Genesis 14:19](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 87

⁴⁸ ([Colossians 1:16](#)), USCCB, *The Order of the Mass*

⁴⁹ ([Luke 1:35](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 87

⁵⁰ ([Hebrews 1:3](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 87

⁵¹ ([John 1:1-4](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 87

⁵² ([John 3:13](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 87

⁵³ ([Matthew 1:18](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 87

⁵⁴ ([John 19:16](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 87

⁵⁵ ([1 Corinthians 15:3](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 88

⁵⁶ ([Luke 24:51](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 88

⁵⁷ ([Colossians 3:1](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 88

**He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead⁵⁸
and His kingdom will have no end.⁵⁹**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,⁶⁰
the Lord,⁶¹ the giver of life,⁶²
who proceeds from the Father⁶³ and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son
is adored and glorified,⁶⁴
who has spoken through the prophets.^{65 66}**

**I believe in one, holy,
catholic and apostolic Church.⁶⁷
I confess one Baptism
for the forgiveness of sins⁶⁸
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.
Amen.⁶⁹**

Prayer of the Faithful:

Lector: Let us pray to the Lord.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Table / Presentation of the Gifts (may be done silently)

⁵⁸ ([2 Timothy 4:1](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 88

⁵⁹ ([Luke 1:33](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 88

⁶⁰ ([Acts 2:17](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 88

⁶¹ ([2 Corinthians 3:17](#)), USCCB, *The Order of the Mass*

⁶² ([2 Corinthians 3:6](#)), USCCB, *The Order of the Mass*

⁶³ ([John 15:26](#)) USCCB, *The Order of the Mass*

⁶⁴ ([John 14:16](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 88

⁶⁵ ([2 Peter 1:21](#)), USCCB, *The Order of the Mass*

⁶⁶ ([1 Peter 1:10-11](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 88

⁶⁷ ([Romans 12:5](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 89

⁶⁸ ([Acts 2:38](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 89

⁶⁹ ([Romans 6:5](#)), Peter Stravinskas, *The Catholic Church and the Bible*, (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 89

Priest: Blessed are You, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the bread we offer you: fruit of the earth and work of human hands, it will become for us the bread of life.⁷⁰

People: **Blessed be God for ever.**⁷¹

Priest: By the mystery of this water and wine may we come to share in the divinity of Christ who humbled Himself to share in our humanity.

Priest: Blessed are You, Lord God of all creation, for through Your goodness we have received the wine we offer You: fruit of the vine^{72 73} and work of human hands, it will become our spiritual drink.⁷⁴

People: **Blessed be God for ever.**⁷⁵

Priest: With humble spirit and contrite heart may we be accepted by You, O Lord, and may our sacrifice in Your sight this day be pleasing to You, Lord God.⁷⁶

Priest: Wash me, O Lord, from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.⁷⁷

Priest: Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.⁷⁸

People: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of His name, for our good and the good of all His holy Church.**⁷⁹

Prayer over the Offerings

People: **Amen.**

[Eucharistic Prayer I](#) • Eucharistic Prayer II • Eucharistic Prayer III

Acclamations during the Eucharistic Prayer:

Priest: The Lord be with you
Priest: Lift up our hearts
Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our
God

People: **And with your spirit**
People: **We lift them up to the Lord**
People: **It is right and just**

⁷⁰ (John 6:48, 35), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

⁷¹ (Romans 1:25) (Romans 9:5), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

⁷² (Matthew 26:29), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

⁷³ (Luke 22:17-18), Peter Stravinskias, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 89

⁷⁴ (1 Corinthians 10:4), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

⁷⁵ (Psalm 68:36), Peter Stravinskias, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 89

⁷⁶ (Daniel 3:39-40), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

⁷⁷ (Psalm 51:4), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

⁷⁸ (Hebrews 12:28), Peter Stravinskias, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996),

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⁷⁹ (Psalm 50:23), Peter Stravinskias, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg

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Preface:

Priest: It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Father most holy, through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, your Word through whom you made all things, whom you sent as our Savior and Redeemer, incarnate by the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin. Fulfilling your will and gaining for you a holy people, he stretched out his hands as he endured his Passion, so as to break the bonds of death and manifest the resurrection. And so, with the Angels and all the Saints we declare your glory, as with one voice we acclaim:

Holy, Holy:

People: **Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of Hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of Your Glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He who comes in the Name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

Memorial Acclamations:

People:

- a) **We proclaim Your Death, O Lord, and profess Your Resurrection until You come again.**
- b) **When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim Your death, O Lord, until You come again.**
- c) **Save us, Savior of the world, for by Your Cross and Resurrection You have set us free.**

Priest: Through Him, and with Him, and in Him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is Yours, forever and ever.

People: **Amen.**

COMMUNION RITE

[Lord's Prayer](#):⁸⁰

Priest: At the Savior's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

⁸⁰ ([Matthew 6:9](#) – 14) & (Luke 11:2 – 4), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

People: **Our Father, who art in heaven,**
(1) hallowed be Thy name;
(2) Thy kingdom come,
(3) Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
(4) Give us this day our daily bread,
(5) and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us;
(6) and lead us not into temptation,
(7) but deliver us from evil.

Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray,⁸¹ from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of Your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.^{82 83}

People: **For the kingdom, the power and the glory are Yours now and for ever.**

Priest; Lord Jesus Christ, who said to Your Apostles: Peace I leave you, My peace I give you,⁸⁴ look not on our sins, but on the faith of Your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with Your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.

People: **Amen.**

Exchange of Peace:

Priest: The peace of the Lord be with you
always.

People: **And with your spirit.**

Priest: Let us offer each other the sign of peace.^{85 86}

Breaking of the Bread:

People: **Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world,⁸⁷ have mercy on us.**
Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Priest (quiet): May this mingling of the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ bring eternal life to us who receive it.

⁸¹ Compare ([Matthew 21:22](#)) & ([1 John 5:14](#) - 15), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

⁸² ([Titus 2:13](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

⁸³ ([John 17:15](#)), Peter Stravinskias, [The Catholic Church and the Bible](#), (San Francisco, Ignatius, 1996), Pg 105

⁸⁴ ([John 14:27](#)), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

⁸⁵ Compare ([Matthew 5:24](#)) for understanding the “why,” Scott Hahn, [The Lamb’s Supper](#), (New York, Doubleday, 1999), page 56

⁸⁶ ([John 20:19](#), 21, 26), United States Catholic Conference of Bishops (USCCB), [New American Bible](#) (Canada, World Catholic Press, 1987)

⁸⁷ ([John 1:29](#)), USCCB, [The Order of the Mass](#)

Priest (quiet): Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God, who, by the will of the Father and the work of the Holy Spirit, through your Death gave life to the world, free me by this, Your most holy Body and Blood, from all my sins and from every evil; keep me always faithful to Your commandments, and never let me be parted from You.

-or-

Priest (quiet): May the receiving of Your Body and Blood, Lord Jesus Christ, not bring me to judgment and condemnation, but through Your loving mercy be for me protection in mind and body and a healing remedy.

Preparation for Communion:

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold Him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.⁸⁸

People: **Lord, I am not worthy that You should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**⁸⁹

Reception of Communion:

Priest (quiet) May the Body of Christ keep me safe for eternal life.

Priest (quiet) May the Blood of Christ keep me safe for eternal life.

Communion Antiphon

Priest: The Body of Christ.

Communicant: **Amen.**

Priest (quiet): What has passed our lips as food, O Lord, may we possess in purity of heart, that what has been given to us in time may be our healing for eternity.

Communion Prayer:

Priest: Let us pray.

People: **Amen**

CONCLUDING RITE

Blessing and Dismissal:

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with your spirit.**

Priest: May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.⁹⁰

⁸⁸ See [\(Revelation 19:9\)](#), USCCB, *The Order of the Mass*

⁸⁹ Compare [\(Matthew 8:8\)](#) and [\(Luke 7:6-7\)](#), Scott Hahn, *The Lamb's Supper*, (New York, Doubleday, 1999), page 56

People: **Amen.**

Priest: Go forth, the Mass is ended

People: **Thanks be to God.**⁹¹

-or-

Priest: Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord.

Priest: Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life.

Priest: Go in peace.

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