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CALL SHEET
October 7, 2026

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A Movement of Prayer for the Entertainment Industry

Greetings HPNers,

We can't believe it's already October and we're getting ready for three months of holidays - from Halloween to Thanksgiving, to Christmas to New Years. It all starts now! Let's keep praying together as an amazing global community of Christian Creatives and Prayer Warriors! We have lots to celebrate, update you on, and pray for today:

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Update

HPN-HOSTED SCREENINGS

HPN is in full swing to bring our community together for more wonderful opportunities to connect and pray. We are so thrilled to partner with incredible companies and individuals telling powerful stories and to host impactful screenings and conversations with those who PRAY!

JOIN US FOR A SCREENING OF *HIGH CLASS*

Presented by: Hollywood Prayer Network and Exodus Cry, directed by Benjamin Nolot.

This Thursday, October 8, 2026
Doors open @6:30 PM & Screening begins at 7:00 PM

Location: Culver Theater 9500 Culver Blvd. Culver City, CA

You are invited to arrive at 6:30 to grab complimentary popcorn and connect with others before the film begins.

Following the 7:00 screening, stay for a special panel discussion, along with a time of prayer.

High Class tells the stories of the women who are coerced into Las Vegas' booming escort industry, and how they are controlled by a hidden system of violence, corruption and control.

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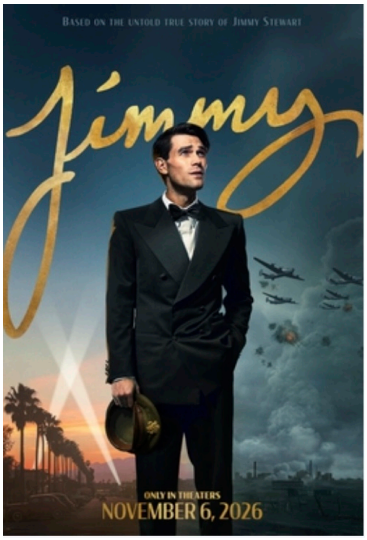
HPN'S FILM PRODUCTION PRAYER TEAMS



HPN is forming prayer teams to pray for specific films in various stages of production, whose producers have partnered with HPN for prayer. We are honored to gather our members who have a desire to pray for a film from pre-production, production, and post-production, to distribution. Today, we are offering a prayer team for the film *JIMMY,* as we partner with EKKL Entertainment, and we want you to be a part of it.

JIMMY is a feature film telling the untold true story of Jimmy Stewart–from Academy Award-winning actor to combat pilot in World War II, to his return home and the iconic role of George Bailey in *It's a Wonderful Life*, including the moment of prayer during filming that changed his life. The producers are preparing

for the film's theatrical release this November. Just as the movie portrays the power of prayer, they are looking to activate a broader community to pray specifically for the film's team, its release, and the audiences who will experience it. If you would like to be a part of the *JIMMY* prayer team, just click on the link below...

SIGN UP HERE!

PARAMOUNT/WARNER BROS. DISCOVERY MERGER HAS BECOME SKYDANCE

Paramount Skydance has officially closed it's merger with Warner Bros. Discovery and brings both mega corporations together under the new name Skydance. The merger will bring Paramount, CBS, Warner Bros., HBO, CNN, and several major streaming and cable properties under one company. Reported pluses include a significant investment in California production, a commitment to release 30 theatrical films annually, and an agreement to retain California studio facilities. While these commitments could help protect local production, industry leaders know that there will soon be layoffs and fewer creative opportunities. Please pray for wisdom and integrity among everyone overseeing this merger, and for protection, provision, peace, and new opportunities for the thousands of people whose jobs and careers may be affected.

READ MORE HERE!

Praises

PRAISE GOD FOR ERIN AYANIAN MONROE

Let's celebrate an HPN member and friend Erin Ayanian Monroe, who won the 2026 Primetime Emmy Award for Outstanding Contemporary Makeup (Non-Prosthetic) for her work on the Apple TV series *Margo's Got Money Troubles* (specifically for the episode "Grudge Match"). Erin is such an example of how people behind the scenes can make an eternal difference every day on the job. We praise God for Erin and others who live as excellent professionals and Ambassadors of Jesus throughout their careers!

MORE DETAILS HERE!

Requests

CINDY CRAWFORD'S SON DIES

Please join us in praying for Cindy Crawford and her husband and family as they grieve the death of her 27 year old son Presley, who passed away from a drug overdose. Our industry is dealing with the epidemic of drug use and abuse and so we ask that you pray for both the Crawfords and other families struggling with drug addiction.

MORE INFO HERE!

CREATORS ARE NOW COMPANIES

Entrepreneur and podcaster Steven Bartlett has partnered with Authentic Brands Group to launch OBSN, a venture that plans to invest up to $400 million in creator-led companies. The initiative will help established creators expand beyond social media into products, licensing, entertainment, distribution, and live experiences. This reflects a larger shift in which creators with loyal audiences are increasingly being viewed as business founders and media leaders, rather than simply influencers hired for sponsored posts. Please pray that Christian creators will build their careers and their businesses with wisdom, integrity, and a long-term Christ-like vision. May the influencers steward their ideas, influence, and ownership, so that they build audience trust in ways that honor God and benefit others.

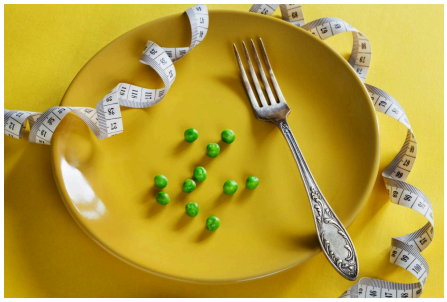
READ MORE HERE

ALAN RITCHSON & FRANKIE MUNIZ BOTH STRUGGLING WITH DIVORCE

Let's pray for actor Alan Ritchson (star of *Reacher*), who is going through a divorce after a 20 year marriage. And for actor/race car driver Frankie Muniz, (star of *Malcolm in the Middle)*, who is also going through a difficult divorce. They both talk openly about their struggles, so we ask that you pray for the Lord to hold them up, bring them closer to Him and turn this horrible time into good for both of them and their ex-wives! May the God of the Universe encourage them, heal and restore them.

READ MORE ABOUT ALAN HERE!

READ MORE ABOUT FRANKIE HERE!



EATING DISORDERS IN HOLLYWOOD

We ask that you join us in praying for the many professionals in Hollywood who struggle with eating disorders, which are a significant issue in our industry due to pressure to look thin, through intense media scrutiny and unrealistic beauty standards . Three of the major eating disorders that are common amongst celebrities, models, actors and on-camera personalities, are binge-eating, bulimia and anorexia. Please pray that people will look past the lies that thinness equals success. In Hollywood, like much of America, public scrutiny is real and body shaming is the norm. We need to have our identity in Christ and find our worth, value and self-perception directly from Him. Here are a list of treatment centers for anyone who may need this resource for yourself, a family member, or a friend.

READ MORE HERE!

THE END OF CHRISTIAN CELEBRITY ERA/THE BEGINNING OF INFLUENCERS

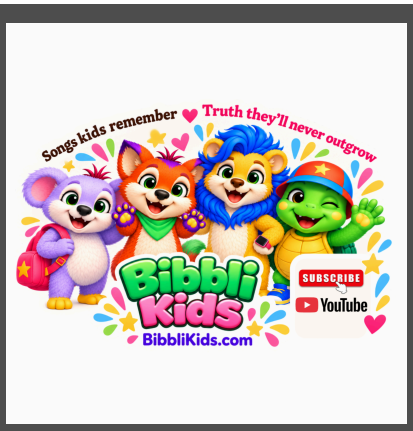
A recent RELEVANT article examines how Christian culture may be exchanging one form of celebrity for another. As trust in prominent pastors and large institutions has declined following years of public scandals, many believers are increasingly turning to Christian influencers for spiritual guidance. These creators can introduce millions of people to biblical truth and meaningful encouragement, but visibility does not necessarily indicate spiritual maturity, theological wisdom, or accountability. The concern is that follower counts and engagement can be mistaken for spiritual authority or evidence of genuine discipleship. Please pray that Christian creators will remain humble, grounded in Scripture, connected to a healthy church community, and be accountable to wise spiritual leaders. HPN's prayer is that believers will seek a lasting walk with Christ rather than building their faith around personalities or algorithms.

READ MORE HERE!

We want to thank you for praying with us this week and thank you for your faithfulness to pray. We hope that you join our Friday ONE-HOUR Prayer Zoom Calls **HERE** and be sure to download our Hollywood Prayer Network **APP**. We don't want you to miss anything we're doing or praying through!

With love,
Karen, Kelry, Myesha and Melody

Hightlighted Projects



BIBBLI KIDS IS HERE FOR CHILDREN

If your kids love music and stories, here's a new FREE resource worth checking out.
Bibbli Kids are animated Bible stories told through very catchy original songs - helping kids learn Scriptural truths while discovering who God is. Creators Mike and Sansyrae Seminari have 2 children of their own in LA, and have 15 years of professional songwriting and design experience. Their first videos include Creation, Adam & Eve, Noah's Ark, and David & Goliath with new ones dropping weekly. Check it out at Bibblikids.com and **YouTube.**

MORE HERE!

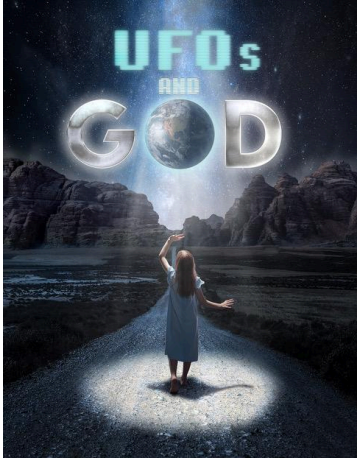
THE MUSIC BIBLE

Be sure to check out **The MUSIC BIBLE,** a powerful new project now on all APP stores. It's the entire Bible in songs! And in 14 genres, thanks to AI! It's produced by HPN member and friend Michael Blanton, out of Nashville, the music capitol of the world. Be sure to download the APP, as it's word for word, verse by verse, the New American Standard Bible in Song!

MORE INFO HERE!

UFOs AND GOD, A DOCUMENTARY

UFOs and GOD documentary asks the question, "Are we ready for the coming disclosure?" Wes and Amanda Llewellyn, co-directors and HPN members, explore their personal connection to the phenomenon in this thought provoking film. "After 80 years of secrecy, the government has said, 'Yes. UFOs are real' but there are so many unanswered questions." *UFOs and GOD* answers some of those questions using experts, scientists, theologians and experiencers, and is available on Amazon, iTunes, Apple TV, Google Play, Vimeo and other streaming services.



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Quote

“Human history is the long terrible story of man trying to find something other than God which will make him happy.”

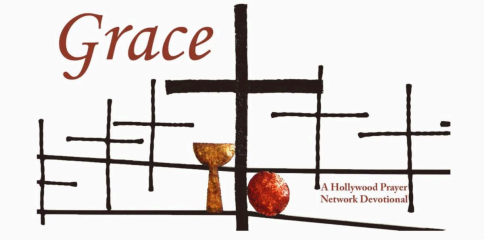
-- C.S. Lewis

Scripture

"The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly."

-- John 10:10

Weekly HPN Devotional: GRACE



Grace is one of the supernatural gifts from God to us. His grace is sufficient, Jesus is defined as grace, and we are to show grace to others. It’s a poetic word with a powerful effect on everyone who practices it and accepts it from God. We’ll spend this week grasping how wide, deep, and high grace can be in life if we embrace it and practice it every day. -Karen Covell

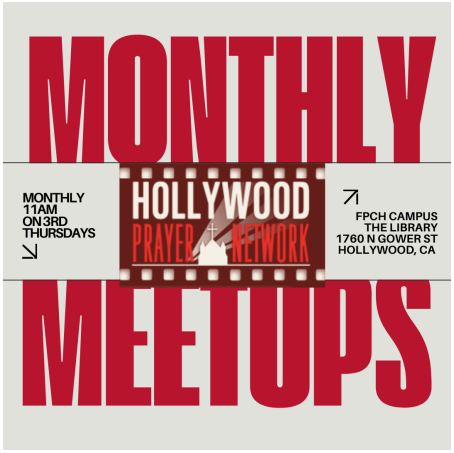
READ HERE!

OCTOBER KIDS AND TEENS PRAYER CALENDAR

How to use the K+T Prayer Calendar: Download it and print it off, or email to your kids, teachers, Youth Pastors and friends. Put it somewhere (like on the fridge or in your child's school planner) where you and your child can see it and PRAY THROUGH IT together each night. Then, watch your child's prayer life GROW!

This WONDERFUL MONTHLY RESOURCE is created by Sarah Sumpolec; a mother, teacher, author, and creative, who makes these every month! Email her a thank you at sarahs@hpnemail.org!

Feature Presentations



HPN MONTHLY MEETUPS
Thursday, October 15th @ 11am

MONTHLY MEETUPS ARE BACK!!
In-Person, One Thursday a Month
If you are new to LA or to HPN, and want to get connected into the community, and learn more about what HPN offers to members, join our monthly coffee meetup! This is a space to share a bit of your story, meet other new people, and receive prayer! Coffee and breakfast refreshments served.

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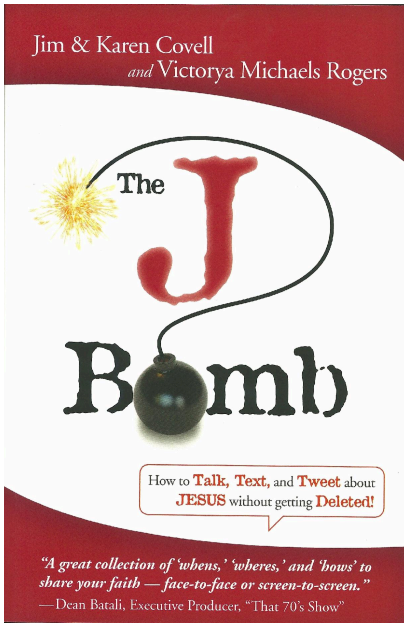
HOW TO TALK ABOUT JESUS WITHOUT FREAKING OUT IN HOLLYWOOD!



Ready to share your faith with more confidence, boldness, and authenticity in our city and our industry?

Join us Saturday, **October 17, from 9 AM–4 PM** at the home of Karen and Jim Covell for a six-hour, hands-on J-BOMB training, including lunch. We'll learn how to talk about Jesus naturally, memorize key Scriptures, tell stories, and pray intentionally for our pre-Christian friends.

Then, we'll stay connected for three weeks of encouragement and accountability before coming back together for a **celebration dinner on November 14th at 6:30pm** at our home, to share stories, updates, and next steps.

Come ready to grow, get bold, and make an impact for Jesus right where He's placed you! It's only $20 - for the book, materials and food.

REGISTER HERE TO JOIN!

Save the DATES AND SIGN UP NOW. Space is limited.

A GATHERING FOR JUSTICE
Wednesday, October 21 @ 4:00 PM

First Presbyterian Church of Hollywood invites you to a special mission event with International Justice Mission and local partners dedicated to the fight against human trafficking around the world.

Together, we will learn about the realities of trafficking, hear from leading organizations working to protect vulnerable people, and unite in prayer for freedom, healing and justice.

REGISTER TO JOIN!

PERFECTING HOME CHURCH

The vision of Perfecting Home Church is to see relationships restored, homes built for endurance, God's truth understood and His presence acknowledged and experienced daily in the lives of those who attend.

Who knew that to find everything you set out looking for, all you truly had to do was come HOME?

MORE INFO HERE!

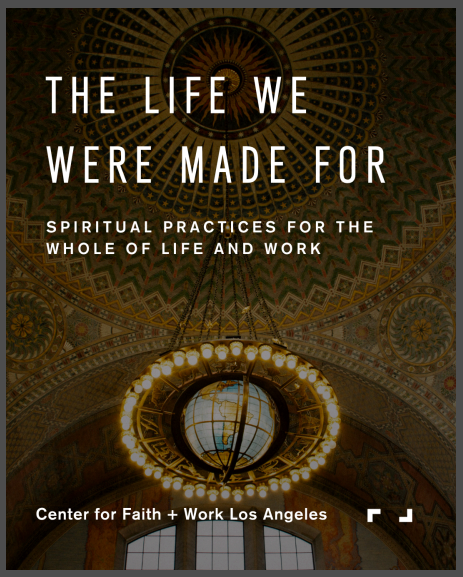
21 NIGHTS OF THANKSGIVING

November 1st-21st

21 Nights of Thanksgiving is a time for miracles through PRAISE. & THANKS. For three weeks, we are setting aside intentional time to thank God for who He is and what He has done, knowing that His Word calls us to live "always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ" (Ephesians 5:20).

Join us every night on Zoom from 7-8 PM PST, as we lift up a chorus of gratitude and PRAISE OUR WAY into Thanksgiving - expecting God to move in ways beyond what we could ask or imagine! Don't miss this amazing nightly hour of joyful zoom THANKSGIVING.

REGISTER HERE TO GET NIGHTLY LINK EMAILS!



THE LIFE WE WERE MADE FOR

Spiritual Practices for the Whole of Life and Work

Saturday, November 14 | 9:00–12:30 AM
Los Angeles Central Library

Join Faith and Work LA at the beautiful Los Angeles Central Library for The Life We Were Made For: Spiritual Practices for the Whole of Life and Work, an intimate gathering exploring spiritual practices for greater presence, purpose, and faithfulness in the rhythms of everyday life and work.

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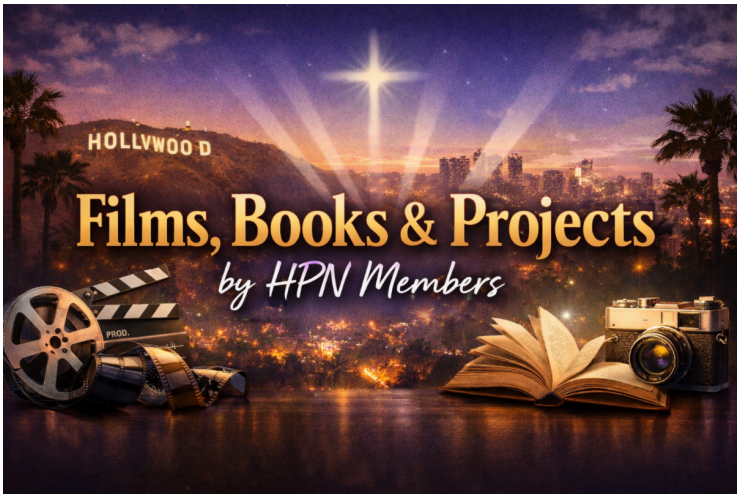
Films, Books & Other Projects by HPN MEMBERS



Films, Books & Projects by HPN Members highlights recent and upcoming work from our creative community across film, television, music, books, and digital media. While HPN does not formally endorse individual projects, we are committed to supporting our creative friends and keeping our members informed about what's happening in both the faith-based and broader entertainment landscapes. From movies and music to streaming content, journalism, and beyond, this space exists to celebrate creativity, spark awareness, and stay connected to the stories shaping our culture.

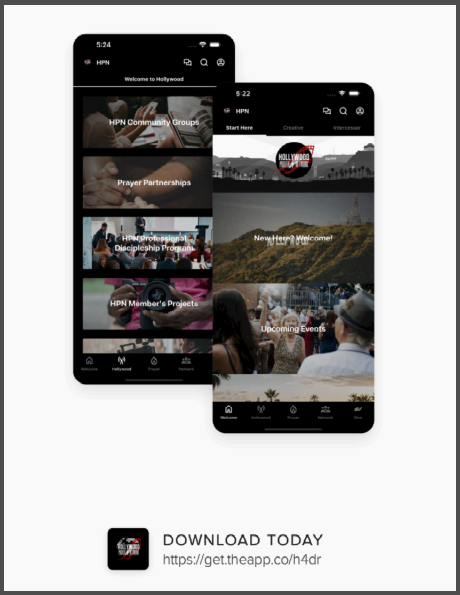
CHECK OUT THE LIST!

THE HPN APP - Where the Prayer Network NETWORKS!

Don't Miss Out!! Download the HPN APP NOW to RSVP for events, join a vocational group, and to donate!

The Hollywood Prayer Network App is where our community actually meets—a shared space to stay connected, celebrate one another, and move together in purpose. Inside the app, you'll find **upcoming gatherings**, the simplest way to **RSVP**, and **easy tools to share events** with friends by text or social.

Have something happening in your community? You can submit your event to our calendar and help others find it. We'll share it at no cost, because **this**



is about building a network of Christians in Entertainment.

The app is also where deeper connection happens. Apply for a one-on-one prayer partner, join a community group, and access resources designed to support you spiritually and professionally as you navigate the industry.

DOWNLOAD THE APP!

HPN EVENTS CALENDAR

OCTOBER 2026

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
				1 STAGELIGHT ACTORS GROUP	2 Exploitation in Entertainment Prayer Call Westside Entertainment Professionals Social Friday Prayer Calls 12pm PT on ZOOM	3 Between Takes Mens Group
4	5	6 WB Studio Prayer Walk Upside Down Comedy	7 DirecTruth Gathering	8 SCREENING OF HIGH CLASS	9 Friday Prayer Calls 12pm PT on ZOOM	10 KWA Screenwriters Fellowship
11	12	13	14	15	16	17

		Upside Down Comedy		HPN MONTHLY MEETUP @ 11AM Praying Producers	Friday Prayer Calls 12pm PT on Zoom	Between Takes Mens Group
18	19	20 Inbetweeners Animation Online 5pm PT Inbetweeners Animation in Person - 7PM Hollywood Upside Down Comedy	21	22	23 Friday Prayer Calls 12pm PT on ZOOM	24 Prologue Writers Fellowship
25	26	27 Upside Down Comedy	28 Ortolana Documentary Filmmakers ZOOM Prayer	29	30	31

Ongoing Events

Support our Community by Attending or Praying for these Events!

HPN Weekly Friday Global Prayer Call
Fridays | 12 - 1 p.m. Pacific | ZOOM or Phone
Join us for a powerful hour of praise and prayer for our industry, where HPN members call in from around the globe and pray for the industry and each other. Links are updated weekly, so please email us to get the latest.
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Follow us on INSTAGRAM

Want your project, film, book, or event featured in our callsheet? Then submit for consideration when you fill out the **CALL SHEET SUBMISSION FORM.** Submissions *not guaranteed* to be featured, but we do guarantee that we will pray for you, your project, and will prayer fully consider if it may be a fit!

Follow us on Social Media and forward our Call Sheets and Posts to your friends and family!

Most importantly, remember that WE LOVE YOU!

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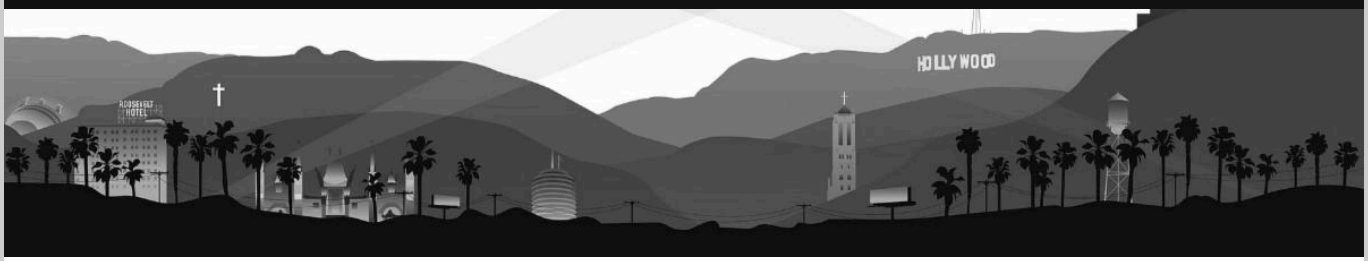

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