

New Song Notes

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Blessed November!



We are finishing up our series on Loving One Another and Communicating Lovingly. Just a reminder about the resources we have been using for this guided time of teaching: *Crucial Conversations: Tools for Talking When Stakes Are High* by Joseph Grenny, Kerry Patterson, et al.; *The Gift of Empathy: Helping Others Feel Valued, Cared for, and Understood* by Joel Bretscher and Kenneth Haugk; *Love Your Enemies* by Arthur C. Brooks; *How to Know a Person* by David Brooks; and Jack Shitama [Audio Podcast] *The Non Anxious Leader*. I invite you to read through these books and listen to the podcast; the wisdom and perspective of the authors are incredible and reflect our very important task in how to love one another.

One of the important aspects of our being good stewards to what God is giving to the church is to do our yearly financial planning for the next year. We have sent pledge cards out to you to ask you to estimate how much you think you might give to New Song monetarily. This helps us establish a good budget and helps us identify other ways of funding important ministries if we cannot fund them ourselves. Please take this estimate seriously. Pray about it. Do some financial education for yourself. Know your own income and spending. Pray again. And, if you want to talk it out, schedule a time to meet.

Advent begins the last week in November. This is the time of preparation for the coming of Christmas. Traditionally it is a reminder that Christ came, Christ is present, and Christ will come again. This year we will look at the book *Holy Disruption* by Tracy S. Daub to guide our time. It is a look at the coming of Christ through the Gospel of Mark. Warning! The Gospel of Mark does not have a birth narrative! What does it mean to anticipate Christ, Emmanuel, God with us, without the traditional characters of the birth story? Prepare for a time of contemplation and presence as we wait. Don't worry! Come December 24th we will be ready to receive Christ, as a baby and as God's loving presence on Earth

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A Fall Reflection: I wake up every weekday morning at 5:45 am. I start breakfast; normally bagels and lox, oatmeal, or avocado toast and eggs. Then, I wake our son up to get ready to take him to school early for a math class at the high school. I have been noticing that as I proceed through the morning activities the sky is getting darker. Soon it will still feel like night as I drive my son to school.

I believe as an individual, a church, and maybe even as a world we are in a situation that feels like "night." Our vision is obscure, the future is unknown, dangers are unseen and so are celebrations. Joy and hope can be hard to grasp. Yet. Jesus is the light of the world. There IS hope. Even in the night sky, God has given us celestial/galactic lights to help us see and help us navigate. God, the Creator has gifted us with the ability to see in the dark, to adjust our eyes. It is okay and natural for us to recognize the change from light to dark. It is okay for us to mourn, to catch our breath as we name our fears for the present and the future. It is okay for us to reflect on the past with its trauma, regret and disappointment. Even as our perceptions dim, God is still here. God is with us in our fears and grief and God tells us to look for God's presence in the small acts of love, the small acts of compassion, and not to give up.

There is a peace that I experience in dark mornings that I do not experience on bright, sunny ones. It is permission for me to be calm, to be quiet, to search, to be.

May you experience the peace of this time of year that can be scary and unsettling if we let it, or a gift of rest and peace. Amen.

Pastor Misty Howick



"The leaves don't just change; they let go."

November Sunday Schedule

9:00 am	Adult Sunday School
10:00 am	Coffee and Fellowship
10:30 am	Worship, Sunday School for preschool, elementary children and youth (start in Worship).
11:45 am	Handbell Rehearsal



Surviving The Holidays

The upcoming holidays are especially stressful when you have suffered the major loss of an important person in your life. Have you or someone you know suffered a major loss in the past 3-5 years?

Surviving The Holidays is a short (2 hour) event that features a video and discussion to help people navigate through the sometimes difficult holiday season. New Song UMC, in conjunction with Fellowship Square, will be offering the Surviving the Holidays Seminar.

Surviving The Holidays will be offered on two different days:

Tuesday November 10, 2026, 1:00 - 3:00 pm

OR

Monday November 16, 2026, 9:00 - 11:00 am

Picacho Peak Room (on the 2nd floor)

Fellowship Square Surprise, 16477 W. Bell Road, Surprise, Arizona 85374

The Longest Night

Christmas is known as "the most wonderful time of the year." Yet for many, the holidays bring up memories of people who are no longer physically in our lives, bringing mixed feelings to the season.

To honor these feelings, New Song is offering a Longest Night service at **5 pm on Monday, December 21**. This service honors the confusing feelings of the season for those who have moved, divorced or those who are missing a loved one who died. It will be a contemplative service that acknowledges the hurt we feel and the hope that comes with knowing Jesus is Emmanuel, God with us.

We invite all who have mixed feelings about the season to join us for The Longest Night.

"God gave me a heart for other people. Stephen Minister training gave me the skills I needed to minister to people and bring God's love into their lives during a time of deep need."

- Charlotte

Stephen Ministry: You Don't Have to Walk Alone

Life has a way of bringing seasons when we feel overwhelmed, discouraged, lonely, or uncertain about what lies ahead. The loss of a loved one, a serious illness, divorce, family struggles, a job change, or other life transitions can leave us feeling as though we are carrying more than we can manage alone. During these times, Stephen Ministry offers a caring presence and a reminder that God's love surrounds us, especially in our most difficult moments. Through this ministry, trained Stephen Ministers provide one-to-one, confidential Christian care to people who are facing challenges and need someone to walk alongside them.

Those who receive care from a Stephen Minister are called **care receivers**. Care receivers are people just like us - a part of New Song United Methodist Church, friends, neighbors, or anyone experiencing a difficult season of life. Receiving care is not a sign of weakness or a lack of faith; rather, it is an opportunity to experience God's grace through the compassion of another person. Stephen Ministers listen without judgment, offer encouragement, pray, and provide a consistent, caring presence. They do not try to fix problems or offer easy answers. Instead, they create a safe space where care receivers can share their feelings, work through challenges, and discover hope at their own pace. All conversations are confidential.

You don't have to face life's challenges alone. If you or someone you know is going through a difficult time, Stephen Ministry may be a meaningful source of support. Whether you are grieving, feeling anxious, navigating a major life change, or simply longing for someone who will listen, a Stephen Minister can walk beside you as you journey through this season of life. Asking for care is a courageous step toward accepting the love and support God provides through others. To learn more about receiving care, please contact our church's Stephen Ministry leaders. We would be honored to help you discover the comfort, encouragement, and companionship that Stephen Ministry offers.

Save the Date

A new Grief Support Group will be starting Wednesday, January 6, 2027, and continuing through March 17, 2027, from 1-3 pm at Fellowship Square. The 12-session group will use *Life after Loss - 6th edition* by Bob Deits.

New Song Music Ministries

When Music Does What Words Can't

What song has been stuck in your head lately? For me it's usually a tie between "It Is Well" and whatever the Praise Team is working on that month. Sometimes I'll be in the middle of a busy day, and a melody just rises out of nowhere…and I take that as a nudge from the Holy Spirit.

Ephesians 5:19 doesn't just describe Sunday morning worship. It describes a life filled with melody (psalms, hymns, and songs) offered to God in your heart. All week long.

When I was younger, I used to say, "Music is my life." I still believe that, but I'd say it differently now. Music is the connection I use to communicate with God. It's more than sustaining a pitch or blending with the people around you. It's a way of offering your whole self - your spirit, your energy, and your heart - to something bigger.

That's what our ensembles are chasing every time they rehearse. Earlier this month the choir sang a prayer asking to be made into "an instrument of Your peace." That's the goal. Not a performance. An offering.

My hope is that the music you hear on Sunday follows you into the week and that when the music rises unexpectedly, you let it.

Jeffrey Conger, Music Director

Celebration Choir meets Wednesdays, 6 - 7:30 pm
Praise Team meets Wednesdays, 7:30 - 8:30 pm
Handbells meet Sundays, 11:45 am - 12:30 pm

Baked Potato Bar & Silent Auction is Coming!

The United Women of Faith are sponsoring a Baked Potato Bar & Silent Auction from 5:00-7:00 pm, Friday, November 13th

Dinner will be served from 5:00-6:00 pm and the cost is $5. Pay at the door.

If you have auction items, see Sally Hamill.



In these times of need, every bit helps. Here are some ways to donate:

- Plastic lids that have been washed for a project helping kids with cancer in Mexico.
- Change for the Noisy Offering where the children collect money and choose the mission they will support, currently HALO, 4 Paws and the Arizona Humane Society.
- Appropriate adult and children's books for our Little Free Library (wooden book house in front).
- Non-perishable food items for the New Song Holiday Food Box ministry.




Animals 4 God




Animals 4 God would like to wish you all a very blessed *Happy Thanksgiving!*



Please join us for our Annual Pet Blessing on **November 14, 2026, at 2:00 pm**, outside in front of the church.

Having lived in several rental homes and apartments, I understand the challenges of "no-pet" policies. Fortunately, my parents were able to care for my sons' and my dogs and cats when we faced these restrictions. Many families, however, do not have that option.

Approximately two-thirds of U.S. households have pets, yet finding pet-friendly housing can be difficult. Rentals that allow pets often require higher deposits and, in some cases, higher monthly rent.

In "Open Doors for Dogs," author Kelli Harmon explains that this is not simply an animal, housing, or insurance issue - it is a combination of all three. As Harmon notes, "The impact is profound, because housing is such a fundamental piece of a family's life" (Harmon, Kelli).

Restrictions on certain dog breeds and sizes can force families to surrender beloved pets to shelters. This creates hardship for families and adds to the financial burden on taxpayers. Maricopa County Animal Care and Control (MCACC), a publicly funded shelter, reportedly receives 45 to 70 surrendered dogs daily, many of them owner-surrendered.

Imagine the difference we could make by encouraging policies that consider each dog's individual behavior and promote common-sense guidelines for responsible pet owners. Families and their pets deserve a fair chance to stay together.

Open Doors for Dogs (2026 September/October) Best Friends Magazine, September/October 2026, 17 and 18.

CAN YOU HELP?

We are passionate about bringing the healing effect of dogs' unconditional love into the lives of people in the community, especially those who are home-bound or in a medical facility. Becoming a therapy dog team involves a bit of work beforehand but the effort is well worth it. If you or anyone you know is interested in becoming a Dog and Handler Team for therapy work, please contact us at: Animals4God@gmail.com

Interested in Becoming a Part of Our Ministry?

You don't have to own a pet or be a member of New Song to join. You just need to have a desire to serve God by planning and participating in activities which enrich the lives of others by sharing our pets. We also strive to do God's will as He challenges us to care for the animals of the Earth by hosting education activities with guest speakers and organizing collection events to donate to area shelters. We meet at church on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 5:30 pm. We also host the Reading Program on the 2nd Tuesday at 6:00 pm when school is in session.

Care and Nurture Ministries

Handmade greeting cards are meant to bring joy and smiles to those who receive them. Happy Birthday and Happy Anniversary cards are made by Diane McQuery and Anne Hasseman. Then Jacque Laats writes a message and mails the card, about 20 to 30 each month.

PJ and Faye are part of Prayer Force. After each prayer meeting on Monday at New Song, they choose a card and write special messages. About 10 to 20 cards are sent out every week. The front stamped message says: "Thinking Of You", "Praying For You", "Hope You Feel Better Soon", or "With Deepest Sympathy." Even more special is the inside of the card with a heartfelt message of love and encouragement. These cards are made by Carolyn Garbacz and Eileen Johnson.

Also, Jan Mills has a heart for the military, and sends about 12 cards on her mailing list. These cards are for July 4th, Memorial Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas. If you have a request for a special card, please ask Eileen. For example, PJ said she was going to send a few cards to a 4-year old boy being treated for cancer, so I found paper that a kid would like and used that for his cards. If you are looking for a new craft hobby, I'll be glad to teach you!

Praying for All, Eileen Johnson

Facts About Strokes Your Family Should Know

Strokes are not caused by brain damage; rather the brain is damaged temporarily or permanently by a stroke. The side of the body weakened or paralyzed by a stroke is usually the one opposite the side of the brain affected.

The way a person acts, looks, and feels immediately following a stroke is no indication of how the person will act, look or feel later. Changes in speech do not equal changes in mental understanding. It means the part of the brain controlling speech has been damaged by a stroke.

People who have had a stroke can often learn to care for themselves and continue their daily routines, including employment.

If someone you know has survived a stroke and needs support, suggest therapy to help regain strength and to learn skills for independent living.

Article published by Easterseals.



Prayer Force

Mondays at

10:15 am

Looking for a Stephen Minister?

Look for a person wearing a blue name badge before or after each service or call the office

Missions and Outreach



Looking for a Service Opportunity?

Volunteer with other members of New Song at St. Mary's Food Bank the first and third Tuesdays of the month.

November 3rd & 17th from 9:45 am to noon are your next opportunities. Newcomers welcome!

Eve's Cookers



We're Back!!

The Eve's Cookers provided 48 casseroles for Eve's Place in October and 36 dozen brownies. This ministry could sure use **your help!** We would love to have new folks to help us on the third **Saturday, November 21**, at 8 am to help assemble casseroles. It takes about 1.5 hours of your time. Let us know.

Maybe you like to bake. We can *always* use brownies. Bake them at home, bag them by the dozen, then bring them to church and put them in Eve's freezer in the storage room.

You can also donate to Eve's Cookers Fund. Simply write Eve's Cookers in the memo line of a check or donation envelope.

If you have questions, ask Ann Haggerty.

Thank you for all your support!

THIS MOMENT MATTERS

Who will feed the hungry?

Who will care for the sick?

Who will welcome the stranger?

An opportunity arises each Sunday to be able to donate to Global Ministries and the United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR). There are beige envelopes in the pews in which you may leave a donation. You have the option of letting UMCOR decide how to best use the money, or you may designate a program or country for your donation. Programs are: Global Health, Peace, Agriculture and Food Security, Education, and Forced Migration. UMCOR works in more than 70 countries worldwide, including the United States and its territories. It is fascinating to explore the website to discover the myriad of projects going on worldwide and in the United States.
Global Ministries | The Mission Agency of the UMC



Children's Ministries

The Children's Ministry is grateful for our wonderful volunteers who have helped with all of various activities and multi-generational events throughout this year.

We will be coordinating with the Busy Bees Preschool to put on the Advent Event Movie Night with "The Grinch" animated movie, on **December 18**. We will be doing crafts and activities as well as watching the movie. We welcome those who would like to assist in helping make crafts with the children.



Youth Ministries

This month the youth are celebrating thankfulness. And one of the things we are most thankful for is the support that New Song gives to us. Whether praying for us, working with us or supporting us financially in our missions, we are grateful.

We invite you to join us for our next mission project: tying blankets to give to A Mighty Change of Heart. The blankets will then be given to children entering the foster system along with other new things in a duffle bag stitched with the child's name. We will be tying the blankets on **Thursday, December 31** starting at **3 pm**.

We are grateful for the people who helped last year and are excited to see who joins us this year!



Adult Education

Opportunities at New Song for adults to learn more about faith.

- **Women's Bible Study** meets **Wednesday mornings at 9 & 10:30 am**. We are currently using *Proverbs Bible Study* by Rose Visual. If you have questions, ask either Sally Hamill or Ann Haggerty.
- **Men's Breakfast & Bible Study** meets on **Friday mornings at 8:00 am** in the dining room at Fellowship Square. We eat a breakfast buffet for $5 then transition to the Catalina Room around 8:45 am for study and finish between 10 and 10:30 am.
- **Adult Sunday School** is down the hallway in the last room on the right **Sundays at 9:00 am**, talking about faith & faithfulness

Hanging of the Greens

Join us at **10 am on Saturday, November 28** as we prepare our worship space for Christmas. We will be putting up wreaths, hanging swags, and decorating our church Christmas Tree.

Join us as we get ready for Advent and Christmas!



Announcements



Forever Friends

Want to get out of the house? Want to meet with friendly people? Come to Forever Friends at **noon on Thursday, November 12.** Bring your lunch as well as your own beverage and table setting. Games after lunch. Bring a favorite game if you like. Questions? Contact Myrna Bishop.

Caregiver Support Group

Are you a caregiver?
Would you like the opportunity to share with others who are also caregivers?
If so, join us at the Caregiver Support Group!
We meet the **2nd and 4th Mondays of the month at 10:30 am** at Starbucks on Grand and Reems in Surprise. This month that is **November 9 & 23.** Look for Pam McNeal Laue and Sabine Kruse (who will be wearing their name tags) and introduce yourself when you arrive. They can also answer any questions you have.

Coming Soon

Hanging of the Greens,
Advent Studies,
Christmas Tea,
Countdown to Christmas,
Longest Night Service,
Christmas Eve Services,
New Year's Eve Project.

Book Buddies

We will be discussing *Go as a River* by Shelley Read on **Monday, November 23rd at 1:00 pm** at church. We hope all who love to read will join us.

Upcoming books include:

12/28 *The Christmas Letters* by Lee Smith
1/25 *The Library of Lost Dollhouses* by Elise Hoops

Are You receiving the Blast?

If you are not receiving the weekly Blast, first check your spam mail folder. If you cannot find it there, then sign the Blast Sign-Up Sheet at the Information Center or on our website. Once you have been added, you should receive the weekly Blast on Thursdays and the monthly newsletter the last week of the month. If you have any questions, contact the office at 623-584-9418 or newsong.surpriseaz@gmail.com.

Card Making Ministry

People make cards for our Card Ministry and for sale.
This can be done at home on their own schedule.
For more information, contact Eileen Johnson.



Our Vision...

is to become a great church that builds the kingdom of God by making disciples of Jesus Christ and by making a difference in the world.

Opportunities for All Ages

We offer many different ways for service and fellowship with other New Song members and friends:
Animals 4 God, Book Buddies, Card Making, Care & Nurture, Caregiver Support,
Celebration Choir, Children's Ministry, Dinners for 8, Eve's Cookers, Forever Friends, Handbells,
Hospitality Team, Knit Wits, Ladies Hand and Foot Cards, Marriage Fellowship,
Meet & Greet, Men's Breakfast and Bible Study, Missions, Needlers, New Member Classes,
Praise Team, Prayer Force, Preschool Ministry, Reach Team, Stephen Ministries,
Sunday School for children, youth or adults, United Women in Faith (UWF), Women's Bible Study,
Youth Ministry and more.
Check the calendar each month for schedule information and additional opportunities.

Pray for in November

The Fountains, A UMC, Fountain Hills
Tongan UMC, Mesa
Trinity UMC, Phoenix

Marriage Fellowship

Whether newly married or getting ready to celebrate multiple decades together, you are invited to join the Marriage Fellowship.
Our next meeting will be
Sunday, November 15 at 4 pm.
Contact Kendra Hoffman for details.

Prayer Requests on our New Song Website!

You can send a prayer request electronically, 24/7!
It will go directly to Chaplain Kathy Norris.
Go to our website at newsongsurprise.org
Scroll down to the box that says
"Request A Prayer."
Fill out the form and hit the "Submit" button.

Let's Get to Know Each Other!

There are many ways to do this!
Leave a note on the Congregational Engagement doors and read what others wrote.
Wear your name tag.

Reminder

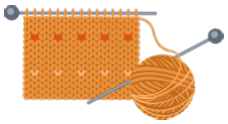
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The ministers of New Song are its members.

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Knit Wits Needs Your Help!



Knit Wits meets on the **first Thursday** of each month. Our next meeting will be on **November 5,** from **1 - 3 pm** to create prayer shawls for our community.
Remember: If you don't know how, *we will teach you!*
Please consider joining us! We would love to see you!
For more information or if you'd like to get started sooner, contact Deanna Leon.
If you know someone who could use a prayer shawl,
feel free to take one from the worship space to give them.

Have you received an answered prayer?
If so, drop a gem in the prayer vase next to the double doors.
As the vase fills, let's praise God for answered prayers and remember God's love for us!

Due to Thanksgiving and Christmas, there will be a combined November/ December Church Council meeting at **10 am on Tuesday, December 8.**

In All Things…



Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

- 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

In Loving Memory

2025	10/13	Ken Kraft
	10/28	Kelly Quinn
	10/28	Donna Doede
	12/15	Norma Lawson
	12/27	Juanita Howard
	12/27	Joanne Wilson
	12/30	Terri Nekvinda
2026	01/03	Raymond Drake
	03/13	Thelma Rush
	03/13	Darlene McSparran



03/27	Gladys Kelly
04/02	Tony Kalinski
04/22	Elaine Cooper
04/24	Dave Hoffman
05/08	Mona Parmar
06/12	Ed Rockwell
08/02	Frank Castle
09/02	Robert (Bob) Davis
10/13	Emily Cox Fazenbaker



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Let us always bear in mind that freedom is not free.



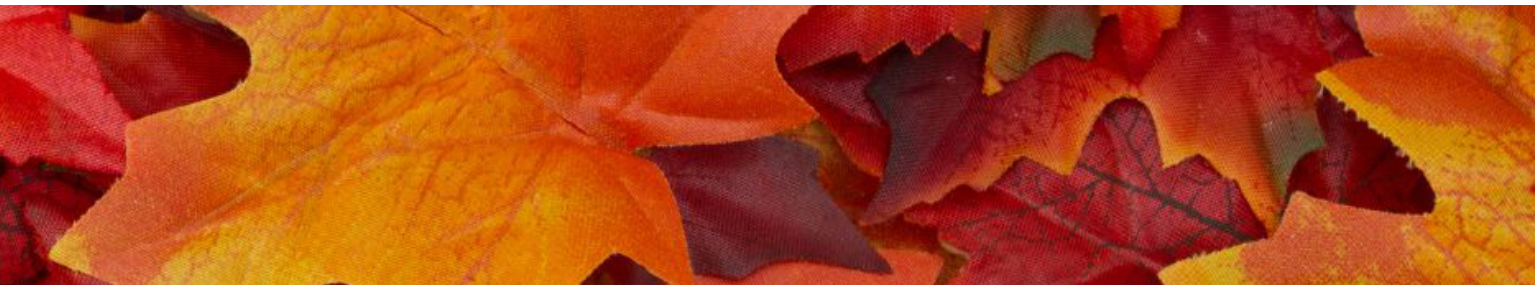
11/21 Bob & Sue Sans



11/4	Jo Fuller
11/7	Phyllis Hall
11/12	Linda Leichnam
11/12	Carolyn Garbacz
11/12	David Jones
11/14	Randy Matthews
11/16	Sara Ngumbau
11/23	Don Pierce
11/24	Gerri Binette
11/26	Carol Gove
11/27	Rozanne Malaise
11/30	Nancy Gordon
11/30	Louise Bishop



Sun	Mon	Tues
1 **ALL SAINTS SUNDAY** 9 am Adult Sunday School 10:30 am Worship w/ preK, elem, youth Sunday School 11:45 am Handbells Rehearsal 1 pm Church Conference @ Dove of the Desert	2 9 am UWF Leadership 10:15 am Prayer Force 6 pm Boy Scouts	3 9:45 am Serve @ St. Mary's 1 pm Staff Meeting 4 pm Trustees
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15 **FOOD COLLECTION** 9 am Adult Sunday School 10:30 am Worship w/ preK, elem, youth Sunday School 11:45 am Handbells Rehearsal 4 pm Marriage Fellowship	16 9 am Holiday Food Delivery 9 am Surviving the Holidays 10:15 am Prayer Force 6 pm Boy Scouts	17 9:45 am Serve @ St. Mary's 1 pm Staff Meeting 1 pm Foot Chasers 4 pm Finance
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11 **VETERAN'S DAY** **OFFICE CLOSED**  9 & 10:30 am Women's Bible Study 6 pm Choir 7:30 pm Praise Team	12 10 am Children's Ministry 11:45 am Forever Friends 6 pm Stephen Ministry Training	13 8 am Men's B'fast & Bible Study 5 pm UWFBaked Potato Bar & Silent Auction	14 2 pm Blessing of the Animals
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November 2026 Newsletter



No matter how you say it,
give thanks in everything.

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