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*First Sunday of*

# *Advent*

December 2, 2018

Be vigilant at all times and pray that you have the strength  
to escape the tribulations that are imminent  
and to stand before the Son of Man.

Luke 21:36

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# A New Beginning

The first Sunday of Advent marks the beginning of a new liturgical year and also a beginning for our own lives. So why does the Gospel reading for this day focus on endings, talking about the sun and moon darkening and the stars falling from the sky? These don't seem like very positive images, especially coming as they do right at the holiday season. Just when we are supposed to be preparing to celebrate Jesus' birth as the Messiah, we hear about what many Christians interpret as signs of the end of the world. What's going on here?

What we need to understand is that inherent in every beginning is also an ending. The Jewish believers who first heard Jesus make this prophecy would have understood its deeper metaphorical meaning, not that the literal End of Days was at hand, but that the world was about to experience an ending to an old way of life and the beginning of new life marked by hope and encouragement. They would have heard these words and remembered their own salvation history, how God brought down mighty kingdoms and raised up his people. They would have seen them as a sign of God's power and rejoiced, not just in what God has done in the past, but also in what he is doing in the present time.

That's the message we are supposed to get from these readings as well. Yes, we are told, we will have to endure suffering in this life, but the Son of Man, Jesus himself, has come into the world to transform and rescue us. The images we are shown are intend-

ed to give us encouragement, to bolster our faith and restore our confidence that God is working through the trials of our lives to set all things right. They are meant to give us hope that the Son of Man, who came once in the fullness of time, will come again in glory to make all things new.



## First Reading Reflection **Jeremiah 33:14-16**

Jeremiah's prophecies announced judgment and curses upon Israel for her unfaithfulness and ultimately led to his imprisonment. While in prison, he prophesied that "days are coming" when Israel would be renewed and restored. God would fulfill his promises and "raise up for David a just shoot." The "shoot" of David refers to a descendant of David who would inherit the Davidic throne. His prophecies were fulfilled almost six hundred years later with Jesus' birth. Jesus is the reestablishment of the Davidic Kingdom in Israel. Advent is a

time when we remember how the Jews waited for hundreds of years for the fulfillment of God's promise and Israel's restoration. That began with the birth of Christ. Like Israel, we, too, await Christ's birth in the hope of being renewed and restored.

## Second Reading Reflection **1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2**

Having received a good report from Timothy about the virtues of the Christians of Thessalonica, Paul isn't satisfied, however, that they've remained as he left them. He prays fervently that they might "increase" and "abound in love" (3:17) and insists "we urge you brothers, to progress even more" (4:10). That is the mandate the Church gives to us at the beginning of the Liturgical Year.

There's no standing still in the spiritual life; one is either making or losing progress; there's no middle ground. Each new year presents us with the chance to make progress. If we don't gain more in the year to come than we did in the last, we will have lost ground. Paul's words ought to move us to give special attention to where we are going as we enter into the Advent season and new Liturgical Year.

## Gospel Reflection **Luke 21:25-28, 34-36**

This week's Gospel reading is frightening in many ways. We have a presentation of the Second Coming of Christ that sends shock waves through all of creation. We're told that "[men] will

die of fright in anticipation of what is coming upon the earth.” Our first inclination is to ignore the stronger language in this reading. But our faith includes the whole of the Gospel, which means “good news.”

This doesn’t mean that we should live in fear of God, but rather it reminds us that fear of the loss of God is the beginning of real living. Jesus promises that whoever seeks will find. If we seek sin we get sin; if we seek God we find him. We ought to fear offending God because it can only bring us harm. Keeping God’s commands is an important part of seeking and loving God.

Jesus is saying that those who haven’t used their capacity to fear properly by fearing sin will be incapable of using that emotion properly at the Second Coming. They’ll fear him whom they should love: God. All the frightful events that Jesus mentions in connection with his Second Coming will be greeted with joy by those who seek him.

## Discussion

Even though Advent is supposed to be a time of hope and new beginnings, it is often one of the most stressful times of the year. We feel pressure to make the holidays “perfect,” and we can get caught up in the frantic pace of errands and shopping. However, the readings for this first Sunday are intended to get us to stop and think about what’s really important.

What are some ways that you might resist the cultural temptations to “do more” and instead focus more on “being present to the Lord” during these weeks?

What do people tend to get the most worried and discouraged about during this season? Why do you think this is?

How can today’s Gospel reading instill hope in Christ’s followers, particularly during this Advent season?

What can you do to create a feeling of hope in your own life and in your family?

## Digging Deeper: The Coming of God’s Son

“The coming of God’s Son to earth is an event of such immensity that God willed to prepare for it over centuries. He makes everything converge on Christ: all the rituals and sacrifices, figures and symbols of the “First Covenant.” He announces him through the mouths of the prophets who succeeded one another in Israel. Moreover, he awakens in the hearts of the pagans a dim expectation of this coming.” —CCC 522

## Adoration in Advent

We are blessed at St Michael’s to have Jesus, present in the Eucharist, exposed on the altar in our Perpetual Adoration Chapel, 24/7. Prayerfully consider signing up for an hour each week by emailing Adoration @StMichaelLivermore.com

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## FORMED PICK

# Prepare the Way of the King

By Dr. Scott Hahn

### Ready Your Heart this Advent

Your Advent journey will take on new meaning as you prepare your heart for the birth of our Lord. This illuminating presentation is sure to help you grow in appreciation of the greatest gift ever given to mankind—Jesus Christ.



*“Just what I needed for this Advent!”*

—Leslie H., Veneta, OR



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# Mass

## Intentions

### Saturday 12/1

- 8:30am Deacon Ross Hoblitzell †  
5:00pm Pat & Ray Werner †  
Maria Montes  
7:00pm Manuel Perez †

### Sunday 12/2

- 6:45am Souls in Purgatory  
8:00am Fernando Castro †  
9:30am Peggy Volponi †  
11:00am Candido Echon †  
12:30pm Mass for Our Parish  
6:00pm Scott Wood †

### Monday 12/3

- 8:30am Hezlyn & Gertrude Stocking †

### Tuesday 12/4

- 8:30am William Lawrence †

### Wednesday 12/5

- 8:30am Joseph & Marvel Valent †  
7:00pm Sergio Soto

### Thursday 12/6

- 8:30am Donald G. Gardner †

### Friday 12/7

- 8:30am Harry & Steven Kraft †

**To arrange a Mass intention, please visit the Church Office. The suggested donation of \$10 per intention goes to the priest who celebrates the Mass.**

Effective October 3, each month, from October through December, parishioners can request up to two Mass intentions only.

Mass intentions will not be accepted through the mail and will only be taken in the Church Office.



### Prayer Meditation

Prayerfully consider the deepest worries and fears you carry in your heart.

What are you most anxious about? Maybe it's something at work or in your family. Maybe it is a health or financial situation. In prayer, tell Jesus about your worries. Then imagine Jesus speaking to you the words from today's Gospel reading about him coming "in a cloud with power and great glory"—an image that reminds us that God is in control and he will come to set all things right. How might these words be a source of comfort for you in your troubles?

### Resolution

Reflect on one way you can live a more hope-filled existence this Advent season. Perhaps you need to trust more in God's goodness in your life, or maybe you need to make more time for prayer amidst the busyness of the season.

Use a journal to write down your thoughts, reflections, and your resolutions.

### Parish Intentions

Please keep in your prayers all those who will feel drawn to Drive Through Prayer this week, that they may experience the Lord's love and healing.

Also pray for those who are sick, injured, addicted, recovering and grieving, that they may find wholeness in Christ.

Send your prayer requests to  
[Prayers@StMichaelLivermore.com](mailto:Prayers@StMichaelLivermore.com)



## St Michael Parish Family,

The Introductory Rite of the Mass helps the faithful come together as one, establishes communion and prepares themselves properly to listen to the Word of God and to celebrate the Eucharist worthily.

**MAKE** the Sign of the Cross with holy water (a sign of baptism and acknowledgement of the presence of the Divine Holy Trinity) upon entering the church.

**GENUFLECT** toward the tabernacle containing the Blessed Sacrament and the Altar of Sacrifice before entering the pew.

**KNEEL** in the pew for private prayer before Mass begins.

**STAND** for the Introductory Rite: Entrance Chant, Penitential Rite, Gloria and Collect.

**STRIKE** your breast at the “mea culpa(s) through my fault” in the Confiteor.

**BOW** your head when you say “Lord, have mercy” during the Kyrie. If there is a Rite of Sprinkling, make the Sign of the Cross when the holy water is sprinkled in your direction.

Why must a Catholic attend, cele-

# The Holy Mass: Part 1

brate and participate in Mass on Sunday?

CCC 2175 states: “Sunday is expressly distinguished from the sabbath which it follows chronologically every week; for Christians its ceremonial observance replaces that of the sabbath. In Christ's Passover, Sunday fulfills the spiritual truth of the Jewish sabbath and announces man's eternal rest in God. For worship under the Law prepared for the mystery of Christ, and what was done there prefigured some aspects of Christ.”

CCC 2190 states: “The sabbath, which represented the completion of the first creation, has been replaced by Sunday which recalls the new creation inaugurated by the Resurrection of Christ.”

How should we prepare for Sunday Mass? Since the Holy Mass is our path toward the Eucharist—“the source and summit” of our lives as Christians and Catholics—it’s probably worth putting in extra effort to prepare for our encounter with God and worship Him with reverence. Below are some practical tips I’d like to share with you:

**1. Approach the Sacrament of Reconciliation if needed.** Saturday times are at 9:15 am, 3:45 pm and 6:15 pm. Also, there are morning opportunities on Mondays and Fridays at 7:30 am in the Church and afternoon opportunities on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at 2:30 pm in the Convent Chapel.

**2. Read the Mass readings and reflections at home before com-**

**ing to church.** Links to the readings and reflections to help you understand them are provided in the Friday Flocknote that is emailed to you at 7:00 am every Friday.

**3. Don't be Late!** Arrive early to spend time in silent Adoration and prayers (e.g. Rosary, Chaplet and others). Greet others with a warm smile, but save visiting for after Mass.

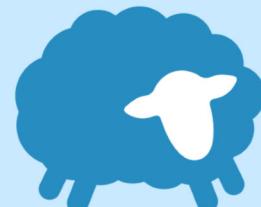
**4. Remember to fast** for one hour before Mass. This is a physical reminder for us that we are putting Jesus first.

**5. Dress nicely** as is fitting for your encounter with the Lord.

It is my prayer that we will all come to a better appreciation for the Holy Mass together. Next week, we will look at the Liturgy of the Word.

St Michael the Archangel, defend us!

Fr Carl



## Get the Friday Flocknote!

Text SignMeUp to 84576 and follow the steps.

Or visit [Flocknote.com/sml](https://Flocknote.com/sml)

# ADVENT

## Dear Parish Family,

Are you ready for Advent and Christmas? This is my first Advent and Christmas with you as your new pastor, and I am excited to celebrate this joyful season with you all. I invite you all to join me in prayer and in thanksgiving for the Incarnation of the God in our world... "When the Word became flesh and dwelt among us."

The following are the liturgies and prayer opportunities that we have for the season. Please cut out this section below and keep it handy! Let us gather together and celebrate as one family and parish!

Fr Carl



### Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation) December 8

Vigil Mass on Friday, December 7  
6:00 pm in English  
7:30 pm in Spanish

Mass on Saturday, December 8  
8:30 am English, 11 am Spanish

### Simbang Gabi Filipino Novena Masses December 16-24

Mass at 5:30 am each day.

## Who is Jesus?

### 3-Part Online Advent Series

Is Jesus just a nice, moral teacher? Was he just like all the other religious founders? What was different and special about him?

This 3-part Advent mini-course by Bishop Robert Barron will help you encounter the real Jesus, to know him and love him, and to learn why he still matters today.

You will receive a short video per week (fewer than 10 minutes each) and an opportunity to share your thoughts and reflections. This is an easy way to embrace the season of Advent!

December 6 - Who is Jesus?

December 13 - Why Did Jesus Have to Die on the Cross?

December 20 - Why Does the Resurrection Matter?

[Flocknote.com/StMichaelLivermore/WhoisJesus](http://Flocknote.com/StMichaelLivermore/WhoisJesus)

### Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration

December 9-11

Triduum (Spanish) at 7 pm in the Church

December 12

4:00 am Mananita  
5:00 am Mass (Spanish)  
8:30 am Mass (English)  
7:00 pm Mass (Spanish)

### Posadas

December 16 - Courtyard at 7 pm  
December 16-22 in homes  
December 23 - Courtyard at 7 pm



### Christmas Masses

Monday, December 24

3 pm, 5 pm, 7 pm, 9 pm (Spanish)

Tuesday, December 25

12:00 midnight, 6:45 am, 8:00 am,  
9:30 am, 11:00 am, and  
12:30 pm (Spanish)

### Mary, Mother of God (Holy Day of Obligation)

Vigil Mass on Monday, Dec 31 at  
6:00 pm in English and  
7:30 pm in Spanish

Mass on Tuesday, January 1  
8:30 am in English and  
11:00 am in Spanish

**Parish Offices Closed Dec 24th – Jan 1st**

MONDAY, DEC 3

**St. Francis Xavier**

**Readings:** Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9;  
Mt 8:5-11

**Watch Francis Xavier and the Samurai's Lost Treasure**, on FORMED.org that captures the true spirit of a daring man who braved the pearl coasts and jungles of India, and the forbidding castles of Japan, in amazing adventures of courage and faith.

TUESDAY, DEC 4

**St. John Damascene**

**Readings:** Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2,  
7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10:21-24

**Watch Nicholas: The Boy Who Became Santa** on FORMED with your children. It is the fascinating story of the boy whose love and care for others make him one of the most popular figures of all times.

WEDNESDAY, DEC 5

**Readings:** Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 15:29-37

**Confession** at 2:30 pm in the Convent Chapel.

**Discover the Catholic Faith Inquiry** meets every Wednesday at 7:00 pm in the Convent. Adults who are drawn to becoming Catholic or baptized Catholics who need First Communion and Confirmation are invited.

THURSDAY, DEC 6

**St. Nicholas**

**Readings:** Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27

**Fr. Thomas, Vatican-certified practicing exorcist** for the Diocese of San Jose, will be the special guest at WINGS. Join us at 9:30 am at St Charles.

**Watch Defeating the Devil** on FORMED, a documentary on Fr Gabriel Amorth, official exorcist of Rome.

FRIDAY, DEC 7

**St. Ambrose; First Friday**

**Readings:** Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31

**First Friday Mass** at 12:00 pm in the Chapel, followed by Eucharistic Adoration in the Church until 3 pm, ending with the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

**Immaculate Conception Vigil Mass** at 6:00 pm in English  
7:30 pm in Spanish (satisfies the Holy Day of Obligation).

SATURDAY, DEC 8

**The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**

Mass at 8:30 am English, 11 am Spanish.

**Readings:** Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38

**Listen to Mary: The Indispensable Mother of God** by Tim Staples on FORMED.org

SUNDAY, DEC 9

**Second Sunday in Advent**

**Readings:** Bar 5:1-9; Ps 126:1-6; Phil 1:4-6, 8-11; Lk 3:1-6

**Traditional Latin Mass** at 8:00 am.

**Displays of Christmas Nativity Scenes** from around the world at St Elizabeth Seton Pleasanton, 9 am to 8 pm, sponsored by Italian Catholic Federation.

# Advent 2018

**Sign Up for Daily Advent Reflections**

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## Drive Through Prayer STARTS THIS MONDAY!

This December, St Michael's has a gift for everyone in Livermore. The gift of prayer.

Anyone—Catholic or not, Christian or not—is invited to drive through our Courtyard driveway, December 3 through December 21, Monday through Friday from 5:30 –6:30 pm. Our trained prayer team will meet them at their car window, say hello and compassionately listen to them

and pray with and for them. For more information, email [Drive@StMichaelLivermore.com](mailto:Drive@StMichaelLivermore.com)



## Thankful Golden Friends!

Father Carl's friends prepared a fabulous Thanksgiving feast at today's Golden Friends Prayer Luncheon! He made a turkey to display, and Fr Carl had the great idea of raffling it off.

Golden Friends is our "young at heart" group that meets monthly for prayer, fellowship, lunch, entertainment and fun! Know of anyone who would like to join us? Contact Mary Pineda at [mphawk@live.com](mailto:mphawk@live.com) or Joe Smith at [jsmithlivermore@pacbell.net](mailto:jsmithlivermore@pacbell.net)

## Santa Rita Children's Toy Drive Through Dec 9

We are collecting new and unwrapped toys for children of Santa Rita inmates, ages 0 – 12 years old, from Sunday, Dec 2 through Sunday, Dec 9. Boxes will be placed in the vestibules. Please do not leave toys at the Church Office. Contact Rachael at 510 501-1411.

"I was in prison and you visited me." Mt. 25:36

## Ladies Choir at the Latin Mass Sunday, Dec 9

All ladies are invited to sing at the 2nd Sunday Latin Mass at 8:00 am. We need you for Sunday, December 9.

For rehearsal information, please contact JaNet Hancock, Director of Music at 925-292-5071 or at [Music@StMichaelLivermore.com](mailto:Music@StMichaelLivermore.com)

## Calling All Singers for Christmas Eve!

Singers of all ages are invited to sing for in our choirs for Christmas Eve Masses. We are currently rehearsing for the following:

Children's Choir 5:00 pm  
Lifeteen Choir and band 7:00 pm  
Chamber Choir Midnight Mass and prelude (open to high school age and up)

Please contact JaNet Hancock at 925-292-5071 or [Music@StMichaelLivermore.com](mailto:Music@StMichaelLivermore.com)

## Collection Report

Thank you for your support of St Michael Parish!

11/25/18 Collection	\$15,455.69
Month-to-Date	\$88,466.21
Month Goal	\$87,058.82
Percentage Reached	102%
Faith Direct	\$11,936.00
Maintenance (for Month)	\$10,288.17
Thanksgiving	\$2,318.00
Campaign for Human Develop.	\$3,349.62

## Training for New Readers Starting January 7, 2019

Do you hear the call to proclaim Sacred Scripture at Mass? Come attend 5 training and practice sessions to be held on Monday evenings at 7:00 pm starting on January 7. These sessions will be held in the Sacristy and altar area of the church.

Please register in advance at 925-667-4095 or email [Liturgy@StMichaelLivermore.com](mailto:Liturgy@StMichaelLivermore.com).



## La Santa Misa: Parte 1

¿Por qué un católico debe asistir, celebrar y participar en una misa el domingo?

CCC 2175 declara: "El domingo se distingue expresamente del sábado que sigue cronológicamente cada semana; para los cristianos su observancia ceremonial reemplaza a la del sábado. En la Pascua de Cristo, el domingo cumple la verdad espiritual del sábado judío y anuncia el eterno descanso del hombre en Dios. Para la adoración bajo la Ley preparada para el misterio de Cristo, y lo que se hizo allí prefiguró algunos aspectos de Cristo".

CCC 2190 dice: "El sábado, que representó la finalización de la primera creación, ha sido reemplazado por el domingo que recuerda la nueva creación inaugurada por la Resurrección de Cristo".

¿Cómo debemos prepararnos para la misa del domingo? Dado que la Santa Misa es nuestro camino hacia la Eucaristía, "la fuente y la cumbre" de nuestras vidas como cristianos y católicos, probablemente valga la pena esforzarse más para preparar nuestro encuentro con Dios y adorarlo con reverencia. A continuación hay algunos consejos prácticos que me gustaría compartir con ustedes:

1. Acercarse al Sacramento de la Reconciliación si es necesario. Los horarios de los sábados son a las 9:15 am, 3:45 pm y 6:15 pm. Además, hay oportunidades matutinas los lunes y viernes a las 7:30 am en la Iglesia y oportunidades vespertinas el 1er y 3er miércoles a las 2:30 pm en la Capilla del Convento.

2. Lea las lecturas y reflexiones de la misa en casa antes de venir a la iglesia. Los enlaces a las lecturas y reflexiones para ayudarlo a comprenderlos se encuentran en la nota del viernes que se le envía por correo electrónico a las 7:00 am todos los viernes.

3. ¡No llegue tarde! Llegue temprano para pasar tiempo en Adoración silenciosa y oraciones (por ejemplo, Rosario, Coronilla y otros). Salude a los demás con una cálida sonrisa, pero haga las visitas después de la misa.

4. Recuerde ayunar durante una hora antes de la misa. Este es un recordatorio físico para nosotros de que estamos poniendo a Jesús primero.

5. Vístase muy bien y apropiadamente para su encuentro con el Señor.

Es mi oración que juntos podamos apreciar mejor la Santa Misa. La próxima semana veremos la Liturgia de la Palabra.

San Miguel Arcángel, defiéndenos!

Padre Carl



### Conseguir el viernes Flocknote!

Envíe SignMeUp al 84576 y sigue los pasos.

O visite [Flocknote.com/sml](http://Flocknote.com/sml)

## Familia de la Parroquia de San Miguel,

El Rito de Introducción de la Misa ayuda a los fieles a unirse como uno solo, a establecer una comunión y a prepararse adecuadamente para escuchar la Palabra de Dios y celebrar dignamente la Eucaristía.

HAGA la Señal de la Cruz con agua bendita (una señal de bautismo y reconocimiento de la presencia de la Divina Santísima Trinidad) al entrar a la iglesia.

HAGA la genuflexión mirando hacia el tabernáculo que contiene el Santísimo Sacramento y el Altar del Sacrificio antes de entrar al banco.

ARROLLIDESE en el banco para la oración privada antes de que comience la Misa.

PARESE para el Rito de Introducción: Canto de Entrada, Rito Penitencial, Gloria y Colección.

GOLPEE su pecho en el "mea culpa (s) por mi culpa" en el Confiteor.

INCLINE la cabeza cuando diga "Señor, ten piedad" durante el Kyrie. Si hay un Rito de Rociado, haga la Señal de la Cruz cuando el agua bendita se rocíe en su dirección.

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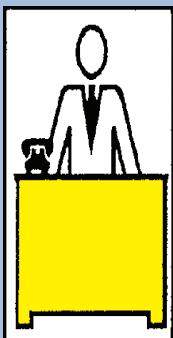
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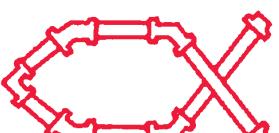
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### Mass | Misa

**Mon-Sat | Lu-Sa** 8:30 am

**Wed | Mi** 7:00 pm (español)

**First Friday | Primer viernes**

12:00 pm in the chapel  
en la capilla

### Sat Vigil | Vigilia del Sábado

5:00 pm (English), 7:00 pm (español)

### Sunday | Domingo

6:45 am, 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:00 am,  
12:30 pm (español), 6:00 pm

### Sign Language | Lenguaje por Señas

1st Sun, 11:00 am  
Primer domingo a las 11:00 am

### Vietnamese | Vietnamita

4th Sun, 3:30 pm  
Cuarto domingo a las 3:30 pm

### Confession | Confesión

#### Saturday, in the church | Sábado en la iglesia

9:00 am & 3:45 pm in English  
6:15 pm en español

#### Monday & Friday in the church |

Lunes y viernes en la iglesia  
7:30 am in English & español

#### 1st & 3rd Wednesdays in the Convent Chapel

2:30 pm in English

### Anointing of the Sick | Unción de los Enfermos

1st Saturday after 8:30 am Mass or  
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