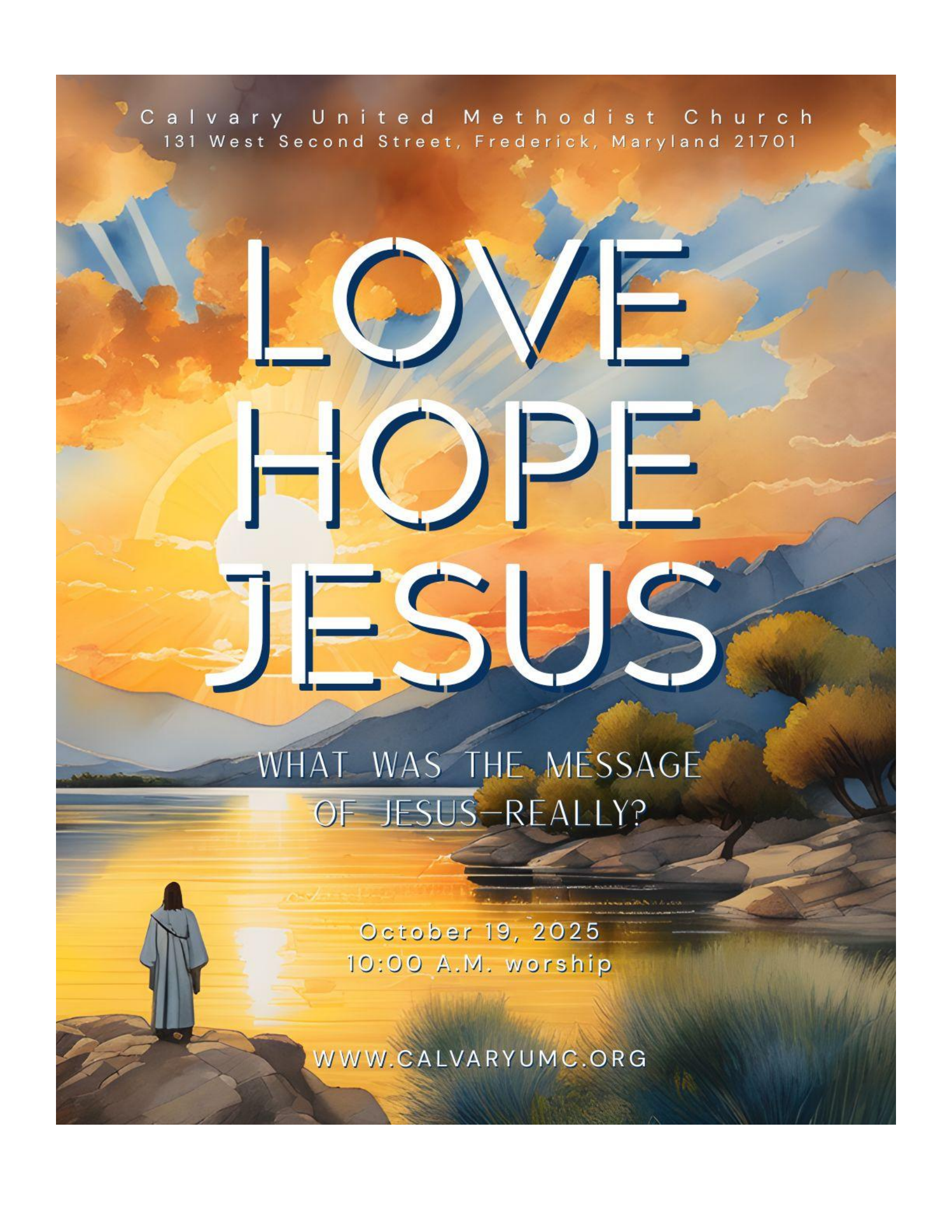




Calvary United Methodist Church
131 West Second Street, Frederick, Maryland 21701

LOVE HOPE JESUS

WHAT WAS THE MESSAGE
OF JESUS—REALLY?

October 19, 2025
10:00 A.M. worship

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Your presence is an offering to God. Please take a moment to record your participation in worship on the welcome pad located at the end of the pew and pass to your neighbor. This is a great place to leave prayer joys, concerns or notes for the pastoral staff as they are reviewed each week in the office.

GATHERING HYMN

“Because He Lives”

UMH #364

WELCOME

Brad Davy, Worship Leader

PRELUDE & BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

“On Our Way, Rejoicing!”

Mark Sedio

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Christ is risen!

People: He is risen indeed!

Leader: Death has been swallowed up in victory.

People: Where, O death, is your sting?

Leader: Christ is our resurrection and our life.

People: We will live because He lives.

All: Come, let us worship the Risen Lord!

***OPENING HYMN**

“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today”

UMH #302

FAMILY TIME

Children's Church is for children ages 4 - 5th Grade and meets in the Chapel immediately following Family Time in the service.

OFFERING PRAYER

God of life and victory, You have overcome the power of death and opened to us the way of eternal life. Accept these offerings as signs of our praise and thanksgiving. May they bring hope to the hopeless, life to the weary, and joy to the world. Amen.

OFFERTORY

“I Know that My Redeemer Liveth”

G. F. Handel

***DOXOLOGY**

UMH #95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

UNISON PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Risen Lord, we thank You for the gift of life that death cannot destroy and for the hope that endures through every trial. We praise You for Your victory over the grave, for the promise that we shall live because You live, and for the joy of worshiping together as Your people. Thank You for the Scriptures that remind us of Your power, for the Spirit that breathes new life into our hearts, and for the fellowship that strengthens our faith. As we go forth, may we live as Easter people — steadfast in hope, fearless in love, and joyful in service — until we see You face to face and join in the eternal song of praise.

PRAYER HYMN

“Surely the Presence of the Lord”

UMH #328

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

ANTHEM

“Sing the Resurrection Song”
Sanctuary Choir

Allen Pote

SCRIPTURE

John 11:25-26; 1 Corinthians 15:20-22

Cindy Mills

MESSAGE

“The Resurrection and the Life” Rev. Dr. Beth Hutton

PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

***CLOSING HYMN**

“Victory in Jesus”

UMH #370

CARRYING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

POSTLUDE

“Hymn to Joy”

Wayne Wold

**Congregation stands, in body, heart or spirit.*

****NEW WIFI PASSWORD: 131Guest**

Ushers: Brody Williams, Rick Miller, Andy Radcliffe, Paul Muehl, Dave Mills

Coffee Host: Paul Nelson

Acolyte: William Harris

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OCTOBER LOVE OFFERING - UM Global Ministries – Water Sanitation & Hygiene

This month's Love Offering supports UM Global Ministries – Water Sanitation & Hygiene. The United Methodist Global Ministries' Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) program works to provide safe, sustainable access to clean water, improved sanitation, and hygiene education in vulnerable communities worldwide. Through these efforts, WASH helps prevent disease, promote health, and support human dignity and flourishing.

You are invited to give toward this special offering by placing your gift in the offering plate and noting **Love Offering** in the memo line. You may also give directly online using the QR code below—again, please mark “**Love Offering**” in the memo line.



SHIP Homeless for the Holidays

Looking for volunteers! Please join us to support SHIP (Student Homeless Initiative Partnership) and help wrap collection boxes in preparation for their Holiday campaign of collecting hygiene products for homeless, and at risk, Frederick County public school students.

- Only a pair of scissors and a willing heart to help is needed!

We will be wrapping **from 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, October 28** in Frederick on Spectrum Drive. Please reach out to Beth Stitely to sign up or if you have any questions. Come help support an amazing organization while having a bunch of fun doing it!

Beth Stitely ~ autumn.purple@hotmail.com or 301-730-8282

Mission Central Trip has been planned for Wednesday, November 12. The group will depart the Common Market parking lot at 10:30 a.m., if interested, please sign up at the Welcome Center.

Children's Ministry

Become An Acolyte!

In interested in becoming an acolyte, please contact Stefanie Harris (jujubee820@yahoo.com)



Trunk or Treat & Chili Cook-Off! 🎃

4 p.m. – 6 p.m. Saturday, October 25

Certificates will be awarded for the **best trunks**, the most **delicious chili**, and the **spookiest dessert!** Bring a canned food item to

"VOTE" for your favorite trunk!

Use the QR Code or in the Parish Hall!



Be sure to indicate in your Sign Up:

How many people will be attending? Will your family be decorating a vehicle trunk?
Will you be bringing your family's best Chili recipe? Will you be bringing a Spooky Dessert to share?



Spaghetti **DINNER**



Donations
gladly
accepted

November 4th from 6 pm–7:30 pm

Calvary UMC Parish Hall

**All proceeds will fund
the Youth Mission Trip**





the bazaar!

Jump Right In!

Our Holiday Bazaar is Saturday, November 15. We need your help to set up any day from **9 a.m. – noon the week of November 10-14**. See the Help Wanted sheets in the Welcome Center and sign up for a host of any activities, from setting up tables to decorating the North Pole to breaking down after

The Holiday Bazaar Elves Are Still Busy at Work!

White Elephant Room: We need intriguing items you just don't have room for. Or grown out of. Or no longer need. Whatever the reason, someone will find they are just perfect. Bring your items to the edge of the stage in the Parish Hall. Questions? *Call White Elephant Elf Helen Sheppard (301) 898-3464.*

Silent Auction: Friends, neighbors, and teachers are some perfect beneficiaries of the special treasures at the Silent Auction. BUT, first we need the treasures to auction off! Beautiful items in the past have included paintings, a nutcracker collection, mugs with scenes from Van Gogh's paintings, and more. If you have a stellar item to donate to our Silent Auction, please contact *Silent Auction Elf Laura Hunter (301) 268-4564.*

Jams and Jellies: Please consider donating some of your extra special homemade jams and jellies. Our bazaar has been known for its blue ribbon condiments, the little gifts you give to the most special people to say *I love you*. Bring your jams and jellies to the edge of the stage in the Parish Hall and put a note on them for *Head Elf Becky Isaacs (301) 639-5377.*

Bake Sale Goodies: Last – but never least – are the delicacies we offer at our Bake Sale Table. The Calvary elves are the best at baking! Please bring your baked items portioned for sale to the parish kitchen on from noon – 4 p.m. Friday, November 14. No refrigerated items, please. Mark your delicious creation if its gluten free or contains any nuts. For more information, call or text Bake Sale Elf Leisa Moyer 240-285-6175.

Cheeseballs Are Back! ✨

It's that time again—our church-famous Holiday and Port Wine Cheeseballs are rolling back into season! Here's how you can be part of the fun:

- **Donate Ingredients** – Calling all nuts (and cheese lovers)! ☐ Help us keep the tradition rolling by donating ingredients for our famous Holiday and Port Wine Cheeseballs. Ingredient donations help us offset costs. A sign-up sheet is waiting for you at the Welcome Center—grab a line before they are all filled!
- **Pre-Order Yours** – Why stress about holiday appetizers when you can roll with the best? Pre-order your Cheeseballs today! Order forms are at the Welcome Center and due by **October 26**. **We ask that all church members planning on purchasing complete the form.** We make one batch early for preorders so we are sure there will be enough for public sale. Preorders can be picked up on Sunday, November 9. Forms are at the Welcome Center and due by **October 26**.
- **Help Us Roll** – We need hands to help us mix and roll! Join the fun in the Kitchen at **6 p.m. Wednesday, November 5** and **6 p.m. Wednesday, November 12**. No culinary degree required—just bring your energy, good humor, and maybe an apron. ***Cheeseballs taste better when made together!***

Let's roll together and make this year's batch the cheesiest yet! 🌀 If you have any questions, please contact Beth Strakonsky – beth.strakonsky@gmail.com or 301.471.1822

This Week at Calvary October 19 ~ October 26

Sunday, October 19

- 9 a.m. – Sunday School
- 10 a.m. – Worship Service – Sanctuary
- 11:15 a.m.- Joyful Voices
- 11:15 a.m.- New Members Class-JW Room
- 5:30 p.m.- Youth Group

Saturday, October 25

- 9:30 a.m. – WRS – Bell Tower
- 4 p.m. – Trunk or Treat – Parking Lot/Parish Hall

Tuesday, October 21

- 10 a.m. - Pastor's Bible Study- Parlor
- 1:30 p.m.- Wesleyan Circle
- 6:30 p.m. – Joyful Noise Handbells- Handbell Room
- 7:30 p.m. – Sanctuary Choir- Choir Room

Sunday, October 26

- 9 a.m. – Sunday School
- 10 a.m. – Worship- Sanctuary
- 11:15 a.m. – Joyful Voices
- 5:30 p.m. – Youth Group

Wednesday, October 22

- 2 p.m. – Miriam Circle
- 6 p.m. – Men's Bible Study- Conference Room

New Members Class – TODAY – Sunday, October 19

Those interested in joining Calvary UMC or learning more about following Christ are invited to a class at 11:15 a.m. in the John Wesley Room, led by Rev. Dr. Hutton. The session will cover the church's history, purpose, and growing in faith.

New Member Reception is planned for **Sunday, November 9** after worship service. Come meet our new members!

Church Conference will be held at **2:30 p.m. Saturday, November 1** at Damascus UMC, 9700 New Church Street, Damascus MD 20872.

Altar Committee Meeting & Training - Sunday, November 23 – Immediately Following Worship

With a new pastor joining us, it's the perfect time to gather our Altar Committee for a refresher and training. We will review the setup for communion, altar paraments, and other worship-related preparations that make our services so meaningful.

We are also looking to **welcome new members** to the team! If you have ever wondered how everything comes together each Sunday, or if you would like to be part of creating a beautiful worship space, come join us. No experience necessary, just a willing heart and a good eye for detail. Contact Bonnie Strine for more information.

LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION – CALLING ALL SMART PHONE USERS!

If you can operate a Smartphone you can operate the Calvary Live Stream Equipment, and we would like you to join our team! The goal is to have enough team members to facilitate a three- or four-month rotation making sure Calvary's message is broadcast on Facebook and YouTube. If you would like to join the team or see how it works, please talk with Rob Summers or Dr. Hutton. We will be glad to show you how to get started!

Prayer Concerns:

Recent Passing: Jane Tritt, Bert Edmonston

Members of Calvary: Becky Acklin, Anne Mossburg, Lois Tyson, Lois Pacheco, Tom Mullineaux, Charlie Geisbert, Terry Fisher, Jim Dobbs, Patricia Pettingall, Mike Isaacs, Helen Alysmeier, Nancy Huffman, Gracie Heller, Jack Heller, Rita Sharpe, Ann Crum, Marilyn Moyers, Peggy Griffiee, Nancy Dobbs, John Stenner, Bob Bennett

Friends of Calvary: The Moldenda Family (Stephen Harris sister's family), Joe Birch (Friend of Paul Nelson), Judy Keys (Charlie Geisbert Caregiver), Charlotte Woodward (Friend of Betsy Bryant), Charles LeMaster (Father of Didi Willard), Thomas Crone (Brother-in-Law to Patsy Eavey), Chris Cubby (Friend of Paul Nelson), Lillian Schwarzenberg (Mother of Roy Schwarzenberg), Wendi Cyford (Friend of Angie and Eric Anderson), Marcy (Friend of Julie Schwarzenberg), Agnes Dobson (Mother of Grace Dobson), Dom Norris (Friend of Drew Irving), Jan Nefflen (Friend of Peggy Rhoderick), Angela Gorens (Friend of Stephanie Felton), Drew Wilson, Marie Slovikosky Miller (Sister-in-law of Nancy Slovikosky), Sarah Jenkins (Sister of Mary Crum), Cheryl Christine (Chris) Irving (Wife of Drew Irving), Allan Huffman (Son of Nancy Huffman), Brian Jones (Friend of the Linda & Scott English), Janet Stone (Mother of Jeff Stone), Hope Patterson (Sister of Charlotte Pasquerette), Kitty Cooley (Sister of Connie Scoggins), Gil Crippen, Jim Clark, Ida Durden, and Janella Walls, Louise Brieto (Family Members and Friends of Rita Sharpe)

CALVARY UMC

Holiday BAZAAR

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15

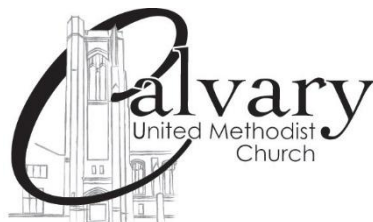
9 AM TO 3 PM

SANTA'S FIRST STOP!

*Handmade Crafts - Vendors - Bake Sale
Silent Auction - White Elephant Room
Live Music - North Pole - Kids Crafts
Calvary's Famous Cheesballs*

131 W 2ND STREET, FREDERICK MD
LUNCHEON SERVED FROM 11 AM TO 1 PM





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