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## Hawaiian Psalms Hā



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### HAWAIIAN PERCUSSION INSTRUMENTS

Thi'ili & Pu'ili: Play the top line of the percussion staff ⇒
['Ili'Ili' Pebble castanets, a pair to each hand ]
['Ili'Ili: Split-bamboo rattle, a pair to each player ]
[another option: Pū'ili can instead play the "te" of the percussion staff score]
Kalā'au: In ensemble, play the 1<sup>st</sup> beat of a phrase (a group of measures);
avoid playing on every measure's downbeat.
If kālā'au replaces 'ili'ili and pū'ili, then use the top line; □ = "u", • = "te"
Ipu & Ipu heke: Play the "u-te" pattern of the percussion score.
When endings appear; play the "u" only







[Kālāʿau: Wood blocks, a pair to each player ]

[ Ipu: Single percussion gourd ] (also known as ipu heke'ole)

[ Ipu heke: Double percussion gourd ] (See pgs. 173-176 "Ipu" in <u>Hawaiian Music and Musicians</u> (ed. George Kanahele) 1979 [University Press of Hawai'i] for excellent detail on performance with the ipu heke)

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Kā'eke'eke & Kā'eke'eke nui:Play the "u-te" pattern of the percussion score. (see score directly above)When endings appear; play the "u" and "te" together.



[*Kāʿekeʿeke: Bamboo pipes ; left drum is tall "u" and right drum is shorter "te"*] [*Kāʿekeʿeke nui; Double-noded (or more) bamboo pipes*]

 $left{="u" right{="te"}}$ 



**<u>Pahu drum:</u>** Improvise according to the ensemble's needs and local drumming traditions.



**<u>'Ulī'ulī:</u>** Improvise according to the ensemble's needs and local traditions.

### PATTERNS FOR HAWAIIAN PERCUSSION INSTRUMENTS

Each of the psalm settings have specially written percussion parts. They are creatively based on these patterns commonly in use.

(KEY: Tempo (Strumming) label ["Percussion nickname"])



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When playing Hawaiian percussion instrument patterns, you are not limited to those patterns in the score. You are able to improvise according to your local traditions and personal abilities. You can find an explanation of Hawaiian percussion instruments on page 2 and 3 of this collection.

A chart of Guitar and 'Ukulele strumming patterns is found on page 5. You are not limited to the strumming suggestions, and are welcomed to even figure out tablature for a true slack key guitar [kī hō'alu ] arrangement. I would be most grateful if you'd share that arrangement with myself and others who use this music. Mahalo! Below are suggested strum patterns for these psalms:

Psalm 97 "The Lord is King" [Ho'opāha'oha'o] Stately or Andante/Vrs: Slack key or U-te or Andante Luke 1 "Praise the God of Israel" [Ho'onani] ⇒Ant: Stately or Andante / Vrs: U-te or Andante Psalm 67 "Let the Peoples of the Earth Exult" {Maka'i] Ant: Chalang-a-lang, new / Vrs: Slack key or U-te or Andante Psalm 42 "My Soul Is Thirsting for the Living God" [Maliana] ⇒Ant: Chalang-a-lang, new / Vrs: Slack key or U-te or Andante Psalm 97 " A Light Will Shine On Us This Day" [Alaula] ►All: Vrs: Slack key or U-te or Andante Psalm 104 "O Bless the Lord, My Soul" [Keawe] Ant: Chang-a-lang / Vrs: Slack key or U-te, Stately, or Andante Psalm 33 "Blest the People" [Hoʻīlina] Ant: Chang-a-lang / Vrs: Slack key or U-te, Stately, or Andante Psalm 89 "My Heart Shall Sing" [Kamiano][Lect 97] ⇒Ant: Stately or Andante / Vrs: Hawaiian cut time or U-te Psalm 123 "Our Eyes Are Fixed" [Nonoi] ⇒All: Slack key or U-te, Stately, or Andante

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### GUITAR & 'UKULELE STRUMS FOR HAWAIIAN-STYLE MUSIC



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# Psalm 97 \* "The Lord is King" [Hoʻopāhaʻohaʻo]

Ps. 97: 1-2.5-6.9.12 [614]



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Waikolu Valley, Moloka'i (R. Mondoy, 2005)



This *Pane Halelū* [responsorial psalm] echoes the simple strength of Mary's faith in God's plan of salvation. Use the imitation of the antiphon *only* when your group is well practiced enough not to overcome the assembly's part. Alternate the 'ili'ili and pū'ili; you may find that alternating the ipu and kā'eke'eke is also effective. The "Glory, honor, worship" should never be used in Eucharist - only for the Liturgy of the Hours.

#### Verses







# Psalm 67<sup>3</sup> *"Let the Peoples of the Earth Exult" [Ho'ole'a]*

Robert M. Mondoy, 2010

**Chalang-a-lang style** *swing eighths*  $\downarrow$ =100



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I had always wanted to find a good "liturgical" home for the refrain of "*Maika'i Ka Makani O Kohala*," a most famous tune by David Nape (1870-1913), original text by William Sheldon (dates research pending). The tune of the refrain is after current practice, while the verses are loosely based on the the "*Ka Inuwai*" version in Charles Hopkin's 1899 "Aloha Collection of Hawaiian Songs." Psalm 98, which I wrote in 1993 for Christmas Season, is also based on the same Hopkins' version. The cheeriness of the melody aptly captures the spirit of all humanity singing fitting praise to the God the creator, the gracious and merciful judge and teacher of all the nations. 13

## Psalm 42<sup>4</sup> *"My Soul is Thirsting for the Living God" [Maliana]*

Ps. 42: 2.3.5 [484]

#### **Chang-a-lang style**, *swing eighths* =120



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All of the lectionary settngs of Psalm 42 have a substantial quantity of verses, reflecting the compelling image of God's people desiring to be with God above all else, hence its use for Easter Vigil, the Sacraments of Initiation, and funerals. This version is the most terse of the lectionary settings of Psalm 42. The directness and compactness of this setting would encourage its more frequent use over its sister settings. The tune-name honors St. Marianne Cope (1838-1918) whose writings reveal her immense thirst to do God's charitable work among the most poor and forgotten, particularly here in Hawai'i. In 1883 she brought her Franciscan sisters with her to establish hospitals, schools, and other institutions that served, among others, Hawai'i's Hansen's disease patients.

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### Psalm 104<sup>3</sup> (*Complete Steps the Lord" [Keawe]*

Dedicated to Thomas Keawe Wolfe, with much aloha

Ps.104: 1b-2.3-4.24-25.27-28.29-30 [21alternate] **Chang-a-lang style** *swing eighths* J=116



This psalm option for the Baptism of the Lord is akin to an earlier setting of Ps. 104 I wrote in 1997. Both use a very "local" musical vocabulary to playfully paint the far-reaching scope of God's creative love for the universe. The Hawaiian language antiphon, the work of Puakea Nogelmeier, brought forth the echo of mm. 2 and 4 that completes the sense of the Hawaiian in a playful, complementary fashion. E kani ka pila kākou i ka Haku maika'i! (Let's play our music before the good Lord!)



## Psalm 33<sup>°</sup> // "Blest the People" [Hoʻīlina]

Robert M. Mondoy, 2017

#### Ps. 33: 10-11.12-13.14-15 [339]

Chang-a-lang or Chalang-a-lang style swing eighths J=76



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Suddenly slower; slack key style, *straight eighths*  $\downarrow$ =116





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In 1989, Hawai'i celebrated the 100th anniversary of the death of Blessed Fr. Damien de Veuster, ss.cc. Fr. Bert was also ordained this year, and hence the name *Kamiano*. This delightful setting encourages robust singing for the antiphon, and an equally robust Hawaiian percussion group for the verses. Improvised harmony for the verses is encouraged, but be sure to enunciate the words.

# Psalm 123<sup>2</sup> *Cur Eyes Are Fixed Upon the Lord"* [Nonoi]



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The text of this psalm captures the yearning of an exiled community for a return to that close relationship with God. The metaphor of eyes patiently watching a mistress belies a humble yet honest view of oneself, trustingly waiting for a response of mercy, of reconciliation. Our spiritual honesty can resonate well with this psalm's musical yearning.

## Psalm 146<sup>8</sup> / "Praise the Lord, My Soul" [Ka 'Uhane]

Robert M. Mondoy, 2018

#### Ps. 146: 6-7.8-9.9-10 [128]

**Chang-a-lang, not too fast** swing eighths  $\downarrow$ =66



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This elegant hymn of thanksgiving is one of the great "praise-psalms" of the Psalter. The emphasis on the oppressed, imprisoned, hungry, blind and the sojourner puts aside the power of princes. Such an inversion of attention to the poor would elicit a cheery "chang-a-lang" musical setting; one that smiles, almost chuckles, about God's profound love for the poor and the downtrodden.

### Psalm 116 \* "I Will Walk With the Lord" [Hele]



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In this sociable setting of a psalm the slack-key pace lends an actual sense of strolling along the path with God. The pain of individual suffering, the burden of sorrow, and even the threat of death still do not hinder us from calling out to God for help. Asking for help, we are then enabled to trust that God does indeed walk with us in the journey of life and faith.

## Psalm 19<sup>8</sup> \* "The Just Demands of God Delight the Heart" [Koi]

Ps. 19: 8.10.12-13.14 [137] Andante J=100



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One does not willingly accept the commands of another without first entering into a covenental relationship of trust in the latter's guidance. The text of Psalm 19 makes abundantly clear that covenantal relationship; both God's trustworthiness and our humble practice of virtue. Still we are human, and asking God for forgiveness and support can bring us a joy of not just "doing" good, but "being" good.

## Psalm 90<sup>5</sup> <sup>\*</sup> "Fill Us With Your Love" [Ho'opiha]

Ps. 90: 12-13.14-15.16-17 [143]

**Chang-a-lang** swing eighths  $\downarrow$ =126

Robert M. Mondoy, 2018

 $G^7$ С  $E^7/B$ G us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for Fill joy! E hoʻo-pi - ha iā mā-kou me kou a - lo ha Instr. Bass: read staff  $\mathbf{D}^7$  $A^7$  $Em^6/C#$ Cm<sup>6</sup> G/D А to verses us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing, we will sing for Fill E hoʻo - pi - ha 'o - li - 'o - li iā mā-kou me le а \_ **•** 0 t₹ Ο repeatable pau  $D^7$  $D^7$  $D^7$ G G G G θ Θ joy! joy! ē  $\overline{}$ e Ż Ī.

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This portion of Psalm 90 emphasizes the "sapiential" character of many of the psalms. The advice is given to make good use of our short lives by being wise about who and what we physically are in the cosmos. The "penitential" character of the last verses of this setting makes an appeal to our God to make us glad, and to bless us, mortals all, loved by a God who keeps the covenant he made with his people.
### Psalm 33<sup>10</sup> & "O Let Your Mercy Be Upon Us" [E Aloha Mai]

Ps. 33: 4-5.18-19.20.22 [146]

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This liturgical setting of Psalm 33 juxtaposes the antiphon's plea for mercy with the verses' motivation for praising the God of the cosmos, of nations, of individuals. While this musical setting is in a minor key, the appeal for mercy seems more like an affirmation of God's positive response to his people's cry for mercy; this God who sees and saves and protects his loved ones.

# Psalm 24<sup>5</sup> // *Lord, This Is the People" ['Imi]*

#### Ps. 24: 1-2.3-4.5-6 [667]

Easy-going chalang-a-lang style swing eighths J=84

Robert M. Mondoy, 2018



Verses, suddenly chang-a-lang and a little faster J=116



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This psalm's text dates to Israel's earliest poetry, likely composed for a solemn liturgical procession of the ark of the covenant through the city of Jerusalem and back again to the sanctuary. There would have been a vibrant interaction between the assembly, temple choirs, and religious leaders, replete with sung congregational and choral praise and religious instruction. The sanctuary is celebrated with not only the people's praise, but that of the whole earth, replete with an ancient cosmology of subterranean waters and sturdy earthly pillars. The march-like character of this setting captures this solemn and festive liturgical moment.

#### 2 Samuel 1 ✤ "I Acclaim the Greatness of the Lord" [Kamuela]



This canticle, along with Psalm 113, is the model for Mary's "Magnificat" of the New Testament. Its most striking features are God's ability and desire to reverse the roles of the mighty with the poor, giving hope to the lowly, from whom a great king will come to save the nation. In the words of Walter Breuhggemann, an American Protestant Old Testament scholar and theologian (b. 1933), this canticle celebrates the "power and willingness of Yahweh to intrude, intervene and invert." The Hawaiian percussion parts in the score are a simple but insistent pattern that help convey a sense of steadiness and persistence. Yahweh's desire to be among us is as persistent as a drumbeat, moving the heart to hope and courage.

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# Psalm 30<sup>3</sup> / *"I Will Praise You, Lord" [Kuʻu Hoʻōla]*

Dedicated to , with much aloha

Ps. 30: 2.4.5-6.11-12.13 [41.5, 48]



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Pelekunu Valley overlook, Moloka 'i Forest Preserve, Moloka'i (R. Mondoy, Oct 2007)

#### Canticle: 1 Timothy 3:16 "Praise the Lord, All You Nations"



Canticle: 1 Timothy 3:16 "Praise the Lord, All You Nations" Hawaiian Chant

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1. Christ manifested in the flesh, Christ justified in the Spirit. Ant. above

2. Christ contemplated by the angels, Christ proclaimed by the pagans. Ant. above

3. Christ believed in by the world, Christ exalted in glory. Ant. above

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- 1. My heart exults in the Lord; the source of my strength is the Lord. I devour my foe with the Lord's help, praising God, my joy, my life.
- 2. The weapons of the strong are broken, and the defenseless gain strength. The overfed now toil to eat, while the hungry have their fill. The childless bear much children, but the fertile learn that they are sterile.
- 3. The Lord commands both death and life, consigns to Sheol, or raises up. God deals out poverty or wealth, casts down and lifts up.
- 4. God raises the poor from squalor, the needy from the trash heap, to sit among the high and mighty, and taking their places of honor.

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1. God raises from the house of David, God has raised a child with power to save. Praise the Lord, the God of Israel who has come to his people and set them free.

2. God kept his promises from old, God has made his promises through the holy prophets. Praise the Lord who saves us from those who hate us, God has favored our ancestors, God has kept his covenant.

3. God has made his pledge to Father Abraham, God has set us free from all our enemies. Praise the Lord who lets us worship wuthout fear, to be holy and just all the days of our lives.

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- 1. The law of the Lord is perfect, O God's perfect love revives the soul. The Lord's decrees are worthy of our trust; God's rule does guide the simple.
- 2. How pure the fear, the fear of the Lord, God's faultless decrees stand forever. God's vision in all things are right and just, God's judgements do keep their truth.
- 3. I keep you law, O Lord, for keeping them makes me richer, give me light. But yet my faults can hide within me so I ask you, forgive me my faults.
- 4. I ask you, my God, to keep my pride in check; help me break its grip. Then I can stand before you blameless and free from deadly sin.

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- 1. God owns all the universe and God owns the earth, God owns all they who dwell there; each and ev-'ry creature. God set all the world above the oceans below, God set all the rivers and the deep.
- 2. Who is fit to climb, ascend the mountain of God? Who is fit to stand in his holy place? Oh, one who shares integrity with God as his own; one who does not seek what is in vain.
- 3. They shall receive God's blessing, justice in full. They shall see their savior bringing God's reward, Oh, such are all the people seeking the face of Jacob's God, people who long to see the Lord.

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1. I give you high praise for you, Lord, raised me up above my enemies, above my enemies. Lord, how I begged you and you, Lord, healed me, You pulled me from the pit, You pulled me from the pit.

2. Come celebrate now, all you, God's holy ones, Oh, praise this awe-ome God, Oh, praise this awesome God, whose anger fast fades, whose mercy lasts all time, As laughter fills the dawn after a night of tears.

3. I said, "My God, do turn and help me now." You changed my mourning into this joyful dance, Pulled off my sackcloth, and gave me bright new robes; Forever I give thanks to you, my living God.

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1. God blocks the plans of the nations, disrupts all that they contrive. But God's plan and design, God's plan and design will last from age to age.

2. Blest be the land whose god is the Lord, the heirs God himself has chosen. For the Lord looks down and sees all peoples of the earth.

3. From heaven's dwelling place God gazes, yes, God surveys all of those on earth. The maker of us all, the maker of all hearts knows every act and deed.

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1. For the word of the Lord is true, his works are trustworthy. God who loves truth and justice does fill the world with kindly love.

2. On all they who believe God keeps a loving eye, Saving them from all famine and from all death, delivers them.

3. Our soul waits for the Lord who is our help, our shield. May your kind-ness, O Lord be on us all who trust in you.

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1. As a deer craves running water, so my soul longs for you, O God.

2. I thrist for God, the living God, when will I, when will I see your face?

3. I entered the house of God, I was caught up in the joyful noise of pilgrims giving thanks.

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- 1. O Lord, do favor us and bless us, and let your face now shed its light upon us. So may your way be known upon the earth around, among the nations your saving help be known.
- 2. See how all the peoples of the world shout; they shout with joy because you rule with justice. For you rule all the planets and you guide us all, you guide all people on earth with loving kindness.
- 3. Oh let all the peoples of the earth sing, sing out in glory, sing your holy name. Oh God, bless us, bless us all our days on earth, and may the world worship and revere your name.

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- 1. I sing your love, my Lord, for all the days I live, from age to age is your fidelity. I know your love endures unending for all time, your faithfulness outlives the universe.
- 2. Your people here rejoice and shout aloud your name! You summon us into your glorious light. O Lord, our God, your name for us is constant joy, you are our strength, our justice and our hope.
- 3. You are their power, their glory and their victory, and by your favor raised them up on high. O, it is you, O Holy One of Israel who are our shield, our Lord, and our king.

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1. Teach us to make good use of all our days and bring wisdom to our hearts. How long, O Lord, before you return? Pity, pity your servants.

2. Shine your love on us, do shine on us each dawn, gladden, gladden our days. Grant to us your joy to balance for that time ladened with our past sorrows.

3. Let your servants see the splendor of your work, your servants, both the young and old. Let your loveliness shine upon us so to bless our works; do bless the work of our hands.

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- 1. The Lord is king; O let the earth rejoice; let the many islands be glad. Clouds and darkness are round about him justice and judgement are his, the foundation of his throne.
- 2. The mountains melt like wax before the Lord, before the Lord of all the earth. O, the heavens proclaim his justice and all peoples see his glory, the glory of the Lord.
- 3. The Lord is Most High over all the earth, exalted far above all gods. O be glad and rejoice in God, you just, give thanks to his holy name, the Most High over all the earth.

LOH only: 4. Glory to You and glory to the Son, and glory to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now and for all time, Amen. ©2006 Calvin K. Liu,. Hawaiian: Calvin Liu & Puakea Nogelmeier (2023) ©2006 Mondoy Music.

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The Lord rules; the earth is eager, joy touches distant lands. And overhead God's justice resounds, a glory seen by all.
And light shall rain upon the just, joy on the loyal heart. Be joyous in the Lord God, you people of faith, praise God's holy name.

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1. You are great indeed, O Lord, my God! You fill the world with awe, you fill the world with awe. You dress yourself in light, in rich majestic light, and like a tent you stretch forth all the sky.

- 2. You have built your house be-yond the rain, You ride the clouds as you would ride a chariot. The wind becomes your wings, the storm becomes your herald, and bolts of light your servant in the sky.
- 3. Fertile is your genius, Lord, my God! You shape each thing you fill the world with what you do, I watch the ocean, see how wide and deep it is, filled with your creatures there, both big and small.
- 4. When they hunger, all look to you, Lord, for food, and you provide them all with your abundance. O when your hand is open, then they feast and have their fill, but when you turn away, they turn in fear.
- 5. If you take away their breath, O God, they drop back to the dust from which they came at first. But when you breathe on them, they rise; and all arise with them, the whole face of the earth comes forth alive!

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1. I am filled with love, for the Lord hears me; the Lord bends to my voice whene'er I call.

2. Death had its grip, it had me in its hold, the snare of death had me trapped. Grief and sorrow had help me in its grasp, but I cried out to God, "Lord, save my life."

3. Kind and faithful, and gentle is our God, who saves the poor, who raised and saved me.

4. God has rescued me from death and wiped my tears, and every step I take he has made steady.

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I gaze at the heavens searching for you, God. My eyes, like the eyes of slaves, fixed upon the hands of their masters.
My eyes, like a servant girl's, fixed upon her mistress; My eyes rest on you, O God 'til your kindness shine upon me.
O Lord, show your mercy. We've swallowed scorn enough, stomached all the scoffing sneers from the proud, the

*5. O Lora, show your mercy. we ve swallowed scorn enough, stomached all the scojjing sheers from the proud, the rich and complacent.* 

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1. The Lord keeps faith forever, giving food to the hungry, J ustice to all the poor and freedom to all captives.

2. The Lord opens the eyes of the blind, straightens those bent low, Comforts widows and orphans,

protects strangers in the land.

3. The Lord loves all the just but blocks the progress of the wicked. Zion, praise the Lord at all times, alleluia!

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