

Chapter 32

The Earth We Live On

I will present some evidence and you decide!

Does science present the absolute truth?" What matters most about creation, how science presents it or how God presents it? I agree that if we were all absolutely honest, true, chase, benevolent, virtuous, and treated all people this way, war would end, and peace and joy would truly be everywhere. We can have different opinions and beliefs about things outside ourselves and still be "honest, true, chase...etc." Instead of deception we would have total honesty! Wow! That would be a wonderful place to live in.

For example, the world we live on is beautiful and for some reason NASA and other space agencies tell us a different story of "Creation" and this is how the "Big Bang" theory and "outer space" theory and "evolution" theory, and the "Darwinian theory" came into being. The "science theories" throws the "Creation" story found in the Bible under the bus and if you do the real math, research, and actual observations, you will find a lot of lies and most importantly, you will find the truth.

For example: "water" always finds a "level" place to rest, hence the term "water level." Water can't rest on a ball earth and gravity [which is a theory that has never been proven in a laboratory] is not what holds water down or us down on earth. Ask AI and it will tell you that!

I obviously, in my logical thinking, believe we live on a flat topographical plane.ⁱ And that plane is infinite, created by a God and it goes on and on. Antarctica is a huge ice wall or ice ring that holds our oceans in [at water-level] and circles around all the land masses we have, it is not an island on the bottom of our globe as told by Google Maps, NASA and government agencies around the world. Ironically, we are not allowed to explore Antarctica today or the North Pole, if you try you will be stopped by military action and turned back. We should question, research and explore what we are told by others. The truth is what matters most to me! Private exploration should be allowed but it is not allowed. What are they trying to hide?

Did we really land on the "moon" or was that story [a lie] created in theater here on earth? Was polygamy [a lie, a deception] all based on the fallen and carnal nature

of mankind who are full of greed, power, and control. Fallen and carnal man wants control. We all need to pull away from false beliefs and false doctrines and discover honesty, and truth for ourselves. We need to learn to live in total honesty, to be honest, true and virtuous with ourselves so that we can be honest, true and virtuous with everyone else! These are the principles of the “restoration” that the Prophet Joseph Smith tried to teach us all. For example, I love “Lectures on Faith,” it is my personal foundation, as is the “Sermon on the Mount,” the “Beatitudes,” and the 10 Commandments. Okay let’s dive into the Creation story as taught in the Bible.

We live on a flat stationary world! Scriptural Support

1. THE LORD reigneth, he is clothed with majesty; the LORD is clothed with strength, wherewith he hath girded himself: **the world also is established, that it cannot be moved.** [In other words, the world is not spinning, it is stationary, **“established that it cannot be moved”**].

(Old Testament | Psalms 93:1)

2. Say among the heathen that the LORD reigneth: **the world also shall be established that it shall not be moved:** he shall judge the people righteously. [In other words, the world shall not be moved, it is not spinning, it is stationary, “established” by God].

(Old Testament | Psalms 96:10)

3. Fear before him, all the earth: **the world also shall be stable, that it be not moved.** [the world is “stable,” meaning stationary, it is not moving or spinning through space chasing the sun!]
(Old Testament | 1 Chronicles 16:30)

“Have ye not know? Have ye not heard? Hath it not been told you from the beginning? Have ye not understood from **the foundations of the earth?** [If the earth is on a foundation, how could it be a spinning ball hurling in space?] It is he [God] that sitteth upon the circle of the earth, [note “the circle of the earth,” not a ball] and the inhabitants thereof are as

grasshoppers; that stretcheth out the heavens as a curtain, and spreadeth them out as a tent to dwell in” [Isaiah 40: 21-22]. [note “the heavens as a curtain”... are spread out as a tent” that we live under “the heavens” and live as it were in “a tent.” We live under a dome or firmament as we shall discover].

“Where wast thou when I laid **the foundations of the earth**? declare, if thou hast understanding.

5 Who hath laid the measures thereof, if thou knowest? or who hath stretched the line upon it?

6 Whereupon are the foundations thereof fastened? or who laid the corner stone thereof;

(Old Testament | Job 38:4 - 6)

“I said, O my God, take me not away in the midst of my days: thy years *are* throughout all generations.

25 Of old hast **thou laid the foundation of the earth**: and the heavens *are* the work of thy hands.

(Old Testament | Psalms 102:24 - 25)

“When he prepared the heavens, I *was* there: when he set a compass upon the face of the depth:

28 When he established the clouds above: when he strengthened the fountains of the deep:

29 When he gave to the sea his decree, that the waters should not pass his commandment: when he appointed **the foundations of the earth**:

(Old Testament | Proverbs 8:27 - 29)

“Mine hand also hath laid **the foundation of the earth**, and my right hand hath spanned the heavens:

(Old Testament | Isaiah 48:13)

“the LORD thy maker, that hath stretched forth the heavens, **and laid the foundations of the earth**

(Old Testament | Isaiah 51:13)

I have covered thee in the shadow of mine hand, that I may plant the heavens, and lay **the foundations of the earth**, and say unto Zion, Thou *art* my people.

(Old Testament | Isaiah 51:16)

“If heaven above can be measured, and **the foundations of the earth** searched out beneath

(Old Testament | Jeremiah 31:37)

“Hear ye, O mountains, the LORD's controversy, and ye strong **foundations of the earth:**

(Old Testament | Micah 6:2)

“saith the LORD, which stretcheth forth the heavens, **and layeth the foundation of the earth**

(Old Testament | Zechariah 12:1)

“And, Thou, Lord, in the beginning hast laid **the foundation of the earth**; and the heavens are the works of thine hands:

(New Testament | Hebrews 1:10)

“Mine hand hath also laid **the foundation of the earth**, and my right hand hath spanned the heavens.

(Book of Mormon | 1 Nephi 20:13)

“HEARKEN, O ye people of my church, to whom the kingdom has been given; hearken ye and give ear to him who laid **the foundation of the earth**, who made the heavens and all the hosts thereof, and by whom all things were made which live, and move, and have a being.

(Doctrine and Covenants | Section 45:1)

“from the beginning, or before **the foundation of the earth**,

(Pearl of Great Price | Abraham 1:3)

4. The “firmament,” do you know what it is? The Hebrew word for firmament is raqia (רָקִיעַ). It is pronounced as rä·kē’·ah.

Its meaning in the context of the Bible and ancient Hebrew cosmology carries several nuances:

- Expanse or Spread Out: The root verb of raqia, raqa (רָקַע), means "to stamp," "hammer," or "spread out." This suggests a flattened or stretched out surface.

- Visible Sky or Atmosphere: In many contexts, *raqia* refers to the visible arch of the sky.
- Separation of Waters: Genesis 1:6-8 describes the firmament as dividing the waters below from the waters above. This act of separation establishes a structure of some kind to separate the waters.
- Dome-like Structure (Ancient View): Ancient cosmologies, including the ancient Hebrews, often viewed the firmament as a solid, dome-like structure, possibly made of metal or crystal, that separated the heavens from the Earth. This reflects their understanding of the sky as a physical barrier.
- Heaven: God also calls the firmament "Heaven" in Genesis 1:8, linking it to the divine realm above the vaulted dome and reinforcing its importance in the creation story.
- Theological Significance: Beyond its physical aspects, the firmament carries significant theological weight. It symbolizes:
 - Divine Order and Power: God's act of creating the firmament demonstrates his ability to bring order out of chaos.
 - God's Handiwork: Psalm 19:1 states, "The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament shows His handiwork," [according to the Institute for Creation Research](#).
 - Separation of Realms: The firmament represents the boundary between the earthly and heavenly realms, emphasizing the distinction between God's dwelling place and the human world.
 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ru_2K1T6GU8&t=25s
 - "Hast thou with him spread out the sky, which is strong, as a molten looking glass?" [Job 37:18]

In summary, *raqia'* means an extended [solid] or stretched out surface a dome, vault of heaven, it means to beat, stamp, beat out, spread out. While ancient interpretations often viewed it as a solid dome separating waters, and the space where the sun, moon, and stars are located *in* the firmament. Regardless of the specific interpretation, it highlights God's power, wisdom, and authority over creation.

5. It [the earth] is turned as clay to the seal; and they stand as a garment.
[The earth takes shape like clay under a seal].

(Old Testament | Job 38:13 - 14)

6. “The scriptures are laid before thee, yea, and all things denote there is a God; yea, even the earth, and all things that are upon the face of it, [“face” of the earth indicates a topographical structure, not a sphere or ball] yea, and its motion, [the only “motion” I feel is watching the clouds, sun, moon, stars, and planets moving, this is what the “motion” is referring to. I feel no motion with the earth I am standing on.] yea, and also all the planets which move in their regular form do witness that there is a Supreme Creator”

[Book of Mormon / Alma 30: 44].

7. Verse 43. “And again, verily I say unto you, he hath given a law unto all things, by which *they move* in their times and their seasons; And their courses are fixed, even the *courses of the heavens* and the earth, [“they move” and their “courses” is referring to the times and seasons, Spring, Summer, Fall, and Winter. These courses or seasons are fixed in the patters we observe in the sky above] which comprehend the earth and all the planets.

Verse 44. And they give light to each other in their times and in their seasons, in their minutes, in their hours, in their days, in their weeks, in their months, in their years—all these are one year with God, but not with man.

Verse 45. The earth rolls *upon her wings*, [“the earth rolls upon her wings” is a metaphor and refers to the movement of the sun, moon, stars, and planets as they move above the surface of the earth as we actually see if from a fixed, stationary plane we call earth] and the sun giveth his light by day, and the moon giveth her light by night, and the stars also give their light, as they roll upon their wings in their glory, in the midst of the power of God. “Upon her wings” is another beautiful metaphor representing divine protection, like the wings of a bird protecting its young. For example, after the Israelites fled Egypt, we have this statement from God to Moses:

“Ye have seen what I did unto the Egyptians, and how I bare you on eagles’ wings, and brought you unto myself. [Exodus 19:4]. All the luminaries are under the protection of the wings of God [the dome or firmament above us].

(Doctrine and Covenants | Section 88:42 - 45)

8. In the Jerusalem Bible 1: 6-8 it says:
“God said, ‘let there be a vault’ [in ancient Semites, the “arch,” or “vault” of the sky was a solid dome holding the upper water in check] ‘in the waters to

divide the waters in two.' And so it was. God made the vault, and it divided the waters above the vault from the waters under the vault. God called the vault "heaven." Evening came and morning came the second day."

9. "And Joshua spake unto the house of Joseph, even to Ephraim and to Manasseh, saying, Thou art a great people, and hast great power: thou shalt not have one lot only: But the mountain shall be thine: for it is a wood, [note the "mountain" is made of "wood." Note the huge Biblical trees at the end of this essay] and thou shalt cut it down: and the outgoings of it shall be thine: for thou shalt drive out the Canaanites, though they have iron chariots, and though they be strong. [Joshua 17:17-18].
10. I certainly respect anyone's views and feelings of a globe Earth. When the veil is replaced with eternal certainties and all theories and lies are revealed upon the housetops, I think all those who want to be humble will see as God sees. I really believe our spirit right now knows the truth of this earth, be it a flat topographical infinite plane or a spinning ball hurling through infinite space. I believe humanity at large have been indoctrinated into lies here on earth, in science, religion, and to make things worse, some histories have been doctored to fit the political agenda in science and religion. Some of our spirits suffer under a false indoctrination, hence some don't realize that they have been working out of their ego-mind, and it becomes hard to come out of the false indoctrinations we have embraced. This is all part of the "tests" of mortality; where most will gather into "telestial thinking," others into "terrestrial thinking," and few into "celestial thinking."

In this telestial world we live in, sadly the masses have been fed false beliefs and lies and it is taught as truths.

The "restoration" of the gospel from the Prophet Joseph was revealed beginning in 1820 through 1844 when Joseph was murdered. Not long after that, Darwinism was introduced 1870-1890. NASA was created in 1958, and the Antarctic Treaty was signed in 1959 where 58 countries are on it today. They don't allow any private exploration. Why? That is a big red flag for me, and in my opinion, they don't want people to find the "wall" where the dome comes down to meet the earth. Yes the "dome". There is one. It's called the "firmament," and no rocket ship has ever gone through it. Private rockets have been shot "straight" up and filmed on camera, and they go about 76 miles straight up and "hit" something impenetrable. NASA will

never tell you that. They have created an elaborate illusion based on math. You can create any illusion with "math." All rockets sent up by NASA and other space agencies always take a rainbow trajectory and use their "math" to tell you it's following the "curve" of the earth to project the rocket out into "their space." The "curvature formula [8 inches per mile squared] of Earth" has been disproven over and over again.

A lot of ancient cosmologies *did* picture the Earth as some kind of flat plane under a dome of sky — the Babylonian, Hebrew, Norse, and early Hindu cosmologies all used that imagery. It's powerful, and it made sense to the people living within those cultures because that's exactly what the world **looks like** from ground level.

Going the opposite direction, Man has never gone more than 8 miles down into the earth before they hit something they cannot get through. Yet "science" says they know what the center of the earth looks like? They create textbooks to prove it and the reality is they don't know, it is all theory, but it is taught like "fact," that is deception big time in my book of remembrance. The "Big Bang" theory was created in 1927, and NASA has embellished it with their so-called telescopes they say, they have sent out into "their space" with all CGI images created right here on earth of our planets and nebulae they created. Their goal is to put "God" out of the "Creation" and show how "their space," Earth, sun, moon and stars came about by a big bang. It is all theory taught as "facts" in our schools and universities.

The Rockefeller family, through its philanthropic organization the General Education Board (GEB), began influencing the content of school books in the early 1900s, around the 1920s. Rather than directly printing the books themselves, the GEB funded and shaped the educational landscape to control the curriculum where globe theory was introduced and taught as facts.

It is all interesting to think about, and it should be done respectfully, and the "truth" is already out there; we just have to plug into it!

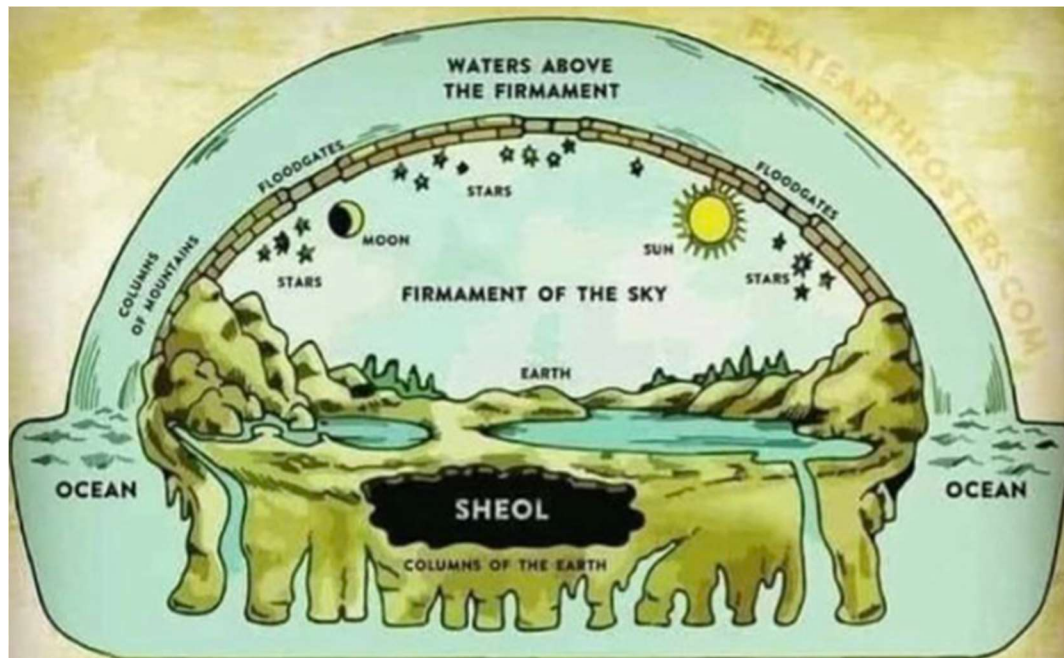
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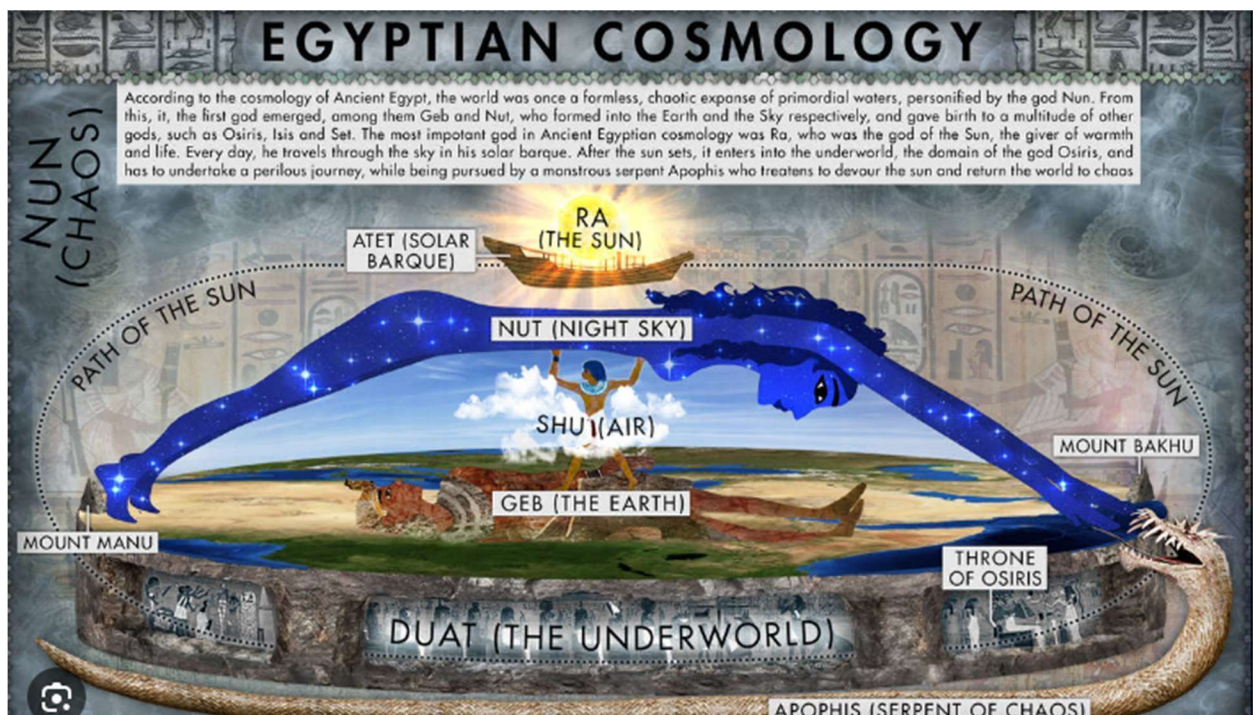
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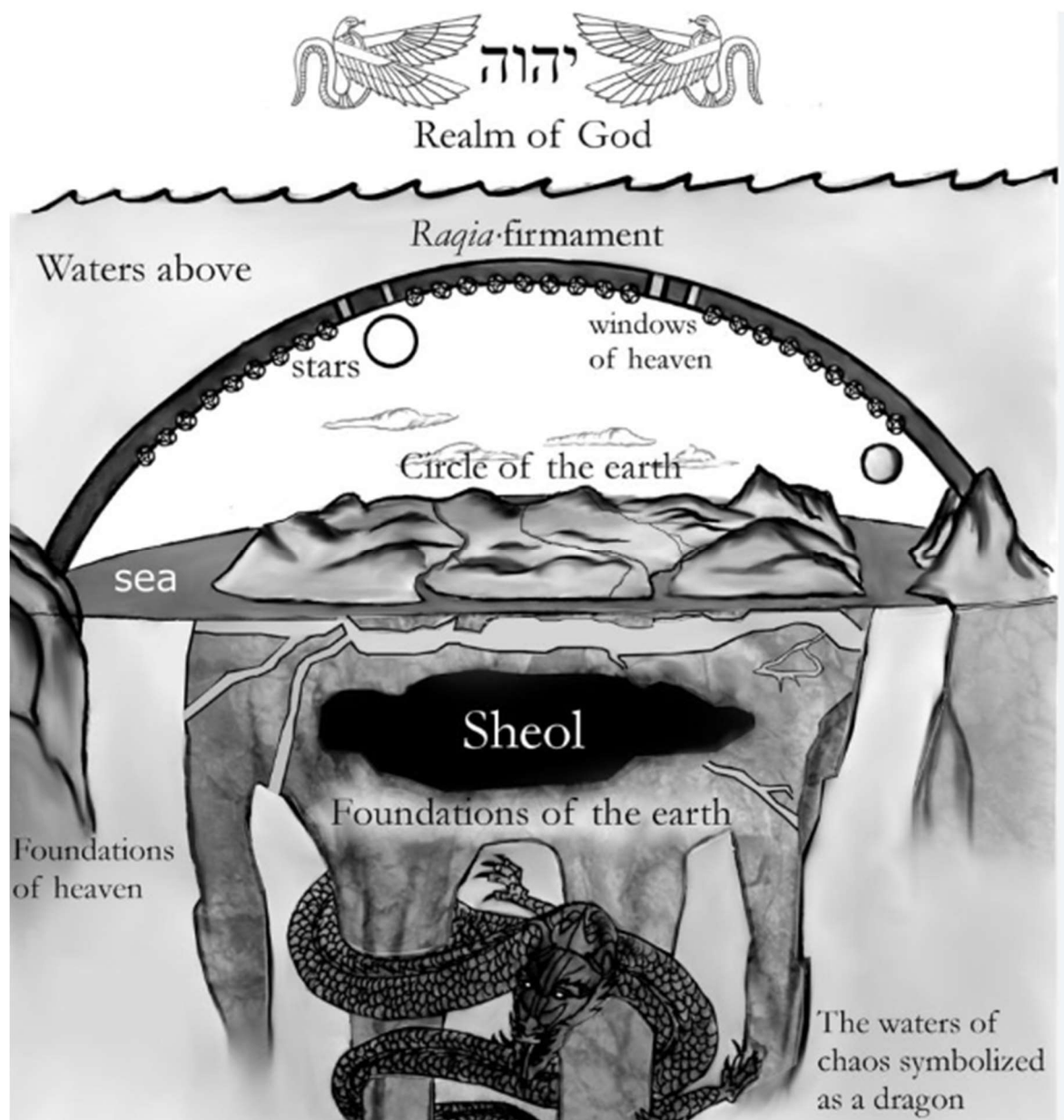


The earth is a **circle** (Isaiah 40:22)
made with a **compass** (Proverbs 8:27)
laid upon a **face** (Genesis 1:2).
which is **bounded** (Job 26:10)
at its **ends**. (Job 38:13)

It does **not move** (Psalm 93:1).
and is covered by a **dome** (Genesis 1:6-8)
containing the **sun, moon and stars** (Genesis 1:14-18)
which are **revolving**. (Enoch 75:3-4)
Above and below is **water** (Genesis 1:6-8)









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Decoding the Heavens: The Antikythera Mechanism by Jo Marchant

This Antikythera Mechanism is based on a "flat earth" reality [Geocentric model theory]! She even mentions the Earth is represented in the middle, not the Sun [Heliocentric model theory]! And the Sun, moon and stars are moving around a flat stationary earth, [our earth as we actually observe it and experience it] is in the center of the Antikythera Mechanism.

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ⁱ Episode 1: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wIPtKFNsKfA>
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