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Rabbi Debbie Stiel

Beineinu – Between Us

By Rabbi Debbie Stiel

Some Thoughts From a Weary Pilgrim

As I write this, I have only been back in Topeka for 7 hours, so I hope these words make sense though my brain is a bit foggy. I have just returned from an amazing 10 day trip to Israel. This was an intensive, activity-packed trip for Reform rabbis.

As we went around the country, our group of 16 were updated on some of the current political tensions as well as some of the successes in the country. We toured extensively to learn about regional issues: visiting Arabs and Druse who live in the Upper Galilee, then going over to the Golan Heights to hear from an expert about border issues with Syria, and also travelling down to a moshav (farming community) that borders Gaza to hear from members there about their reality living where rockets can hit within 6 seconds of the warning siren.

In Jerusalem, our group met with representatives of the Israeli Reform rabbinate and also with Noa Sattath, who heads the Israeli Religious Action Center (IRAC). IRAC is the social action branch of the Reform Jewish movement in Israel. By the way, they are doing remarkable work and need our financial support. You can visit them online at irac.org to read more about their efforts to ensure that young Israel will be a country that supports gender equality and religious freedom. We also did some things that were just for fun including a taste testing through the Lewinsky open air market in Tel Aviv, a wine tasting in the Galilee, and ice cream tasting in the Negev. I attended Shabbat services at three liberal congregations in Jerusalem. They were each vibrant houses of worship with lots of kids in attendance and services full of music.

Here are a few lessons and events from the trip that particularly stick out in my mind:

1. For Israelis, no political issue tops security. If they don't have security, they don't have a state. So while we may be dismayed by the religious and ideological platforms of some of the parties who form the coalition government, for Israelis they are voting for political parties largely based on security concerns.
2. Israel is still a very young country at 70. The trajectory of the country is still being decided. No group of Jews visit more than those from America. Our support is vital and our voice is heard. American Jews need to stay engaged, for our sake and Israel's.
3. We met Amna, an inspirational Arab woman, who has helped 900 Arab women learn to drive and gain education! Her village is now known as a place that prizes education and participates in interfaith dialogue. She describes herself as a woman with an open heart!
4. We participated in protest prayers with Women at the Wall. Everyone goes through metal detectors when they approach the Kotel, but certain women have been carefully hand searched to make sure they were not bringing in a Torah scroll on Torah days. The Supreme Court said recently that this is illegal. On the day we went, the women were not allowed to go in unless they opened coats even though the security team was shown the court decision. So instead, we stood outside the check point and prayed from there! We disrupted the flow to the Kotel, but the story made it into Israeli newspapers and the Forward. We read the weekly parsha from a Tikkun. I was taken by the significance of reading from Shemot (Exodus) which details the many attempts to free the Israelites before they finally secured a change in their situation as we tenaciously stood there to press for changes in women's rights.

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I know that I will be sharing with you more of what I learned in the months to come. I want to thank all who helped fill in for me while I was gone. I think for rabbis and Jews, in general, trips to Israel are an essential way for us to enrich our Jewish identity, support our Jewish homeland, and gain knowledge about Israel.

If you think you might be interested in a Temple trip, please let me know

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February 24

March 17 and 24

April 21

Please check times of services in
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email. Please remember, for
those of you who cannot host an
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amount to our Oneg Fund. We
will use your donation to
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February 10 – Manuel Pusitz,
Albert Frieman, Marjorie Elliott,
Rebecca Cohen, Sandra
McKinnon, Frances Rosenberg,
Rebecca Allis, Doba Briman,
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February 17 – Rose Schulman,
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Simchat Shabbat

Shabbat Shira & Scout Shabbat

Friday, February 10, 7:00 pm

This month our Simchat Shabbat service is also Shabbat Shira (the Sabbath of Song). Shabbat Shira falls on the Shabbat in Shevat when we read the Torah portion B'shalach (Exodus 13:17-17:16), which contains Shirat HaYam (the Song of the Sea). Moses and the Israelites sang this song after crossing the Reed Sea.

Shabbat Shira this year will be a special musical Shabbat service with instruments and our wonderful Temple choir, Kol

Neshamah. Sophie Thayer will chant part of the Song of the Sea from Exodus.



This will also be our Scout Shabbat. Our Temple kids who are in Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts are invited to wear their scout uniforms and be recognized.

February Birthday and Anniversary Blessings will be offered.

Rabbi Moti Rieber Coming to Temple on February 17

Join us for this Social Action Shabbat at 7:30 pm

Rabbi Moti Rieber is the founder and director of Kansas Interfaith Action. KIFA seeks to “fill a gap that has existed for some years in Kansas public life: as a coalition of people of faith that put faith values back into the public discussion on issues of prejudice/human dignity, poverty, violence, and climate disruption.” Rabbi Rieber noted that this past year, “during the legislative session, we worked against a bill to limit resettlement of



refugees in Kansas, which goes against the teachings of our many traditions that tell us to welcome the stranger. We worked against an expansion of the so-called ‘Hope Act,’ which put further restrictions on assistance to families in need. We testified against the latest expansion of gun proliferation.”

Rabbi Rieber will talk about the 2017 Kansas Legislative session and the issues that KIFA is working on and how we can get involved. Among other topics, he will give us an update on the effort this spring to repeal Campus Carry before it goes into effect.

For more information on KIFA and to support them, go to www.kansasinterfaithaction.org.



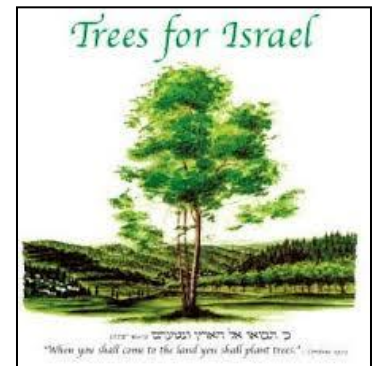
Tu b'Shevat 15 Shevat 5777 / February 10-11, 2017

Tu b'Shevat or the "New Year of the Trees" is Jewish Arbor Day. The holiday is observed on the fifteenth (tu) of *Shevat*. Scholars believe that *Tu b'Shevat* was originally an agricultural festival, marking the emergence of spring. After the destruction of the Temple in 70 A.C.E., this holiday was a way for Jews to symbolically bind themselves to their former homeland by eating foods that could be found in Israel. In the sixteenth and seventeenth century Kabbalists created a ritual for *Tu b'Shevat* similar to the Passover *seder*. Today, *Tu b'Shevat* has also become a tree planting festival in Israel, in which both Israelis and Jews around the world plant trees in honor or in memory of a loved one or friend.

This year on Sunday, February 5, our younger religious school students will join together for a Tu B'Shevat seder during religious school.

February Tzedakah - Help Us Buy Trees for Israel

One can purchase a tree in Israel through the Jewish National Fund for \$18. Prior to the creation of the modern state of Israel, the land was intentionally deforested. Jews have worked hard to re-forest it. A few months ago, Israel suffered huge fires in Haifa. It is now striving to replant those trees. We are trying to see how many trees we can buy for Israel this year. To participate, please send in your check to the Temple (mark that it is for JNF in the memo line) by the end of February.



SOUPER BOWL SUNDAY is February 5!!!!!! Doorstep would like cans of soup and crackers to help restock their food pantry. Please remember Doorstep when you are shopping for groceries! You may bring the soup and crackers to Temple.



Doorstep's 14th Annual **Operation Soup Line** will be Wednesday, February 22, 2017! Lunch and Dinner will be offered at the Kansas Expo Center. 11:00 am – 7:00 pm – Adults \$10.00, Children 12 and under \$5.00
Chili, Chicken Tortilla or Portuguese Green Soup, Dessert & Drink





Sheldon Headstart Drive

Sheldon Head Start Preschool, our neighborhood school, again could use our help. They serve over 300 of the most vulnerable 3-4 year olds in Topeka.

They do not need regular clothes at this point, but they do need outdoor wear for the students. Specifically they are asking for: children's stocking hats, mittens, scarves and gloves. A collection box will be placed by the Temple Office and in the sanctuary foyer for your donations. We will be collecting items in February. Thanks for your help. - Carolyn Litwin

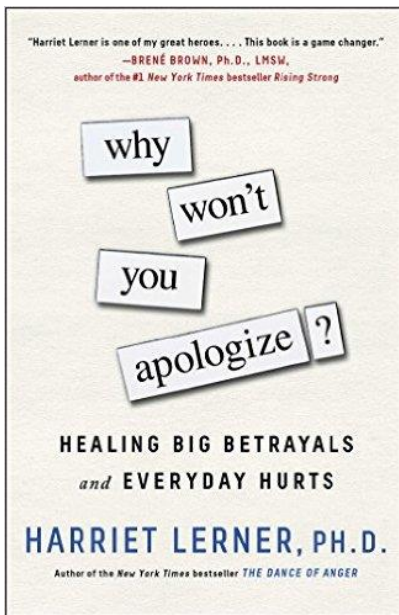


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BLOOD DRIVE

Community Blood Center is the primary supplier of blood for local hospitals and has been serving Missouri and Kansas hospitals for more than 50 years. Community Blood Center needs to collect 580 pints of blood every day and over 140,000 pints annually to meet the needs of our local hospitals. An individual within the area that Community Blood Center serves needs a blood transfusion every 4 minutes.

Please share your gift of life with local hospital patients who need it by donating at the next Community Blood Center blood drive. The blood drive will be held at Temple Beth Sholom, **Sunday, February 12, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.** in the Temple Social Hall. To make an appointment online, visit esavealifenow.org and use **Sponsor Code: templebethsholom**. For additional details contact Deborah Edelman-Dolan.

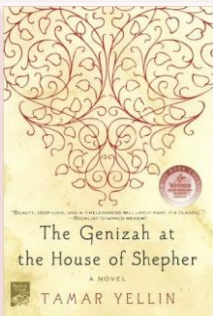


Harriet Lerner will be speaking about her new book, *Why Won't You Apologize?* on Thursday, February 2 at 7:00 pm at Topeka Shawnee County Public Library.

Renowned psychologist and bestselling author of *The Dance of Anger* sheds new light on the two most important words in the English language and offers a unique perspective on the challenge of healing broken connections and restoring trust.

Dr. Harriet Lerner has been studying apologies—and why some people won't give them—for more than two decades. Now she offers compelling stories and solid theory that bring home how much the simple apology matters and what is required for healing when the hurt we've inflicted (or received) is far from simple. Readers will learn how to craft a deeply meaningful "I'm sorry" and avoid apologies that only deepen the original injury.

Harriet Lerner was born and raised in Brooklyn, New York, the second of two daughters. Her parents, Archie and Rose Goldhor, were both children of Russian-Jewish immigrant parents.



Temple Book Club on March 19, 2017, 3:00 pm

The Genizah of the House of Shepherd, winner of the Hadassah Magazine Ribalow Prize, by Tamar Yellin is based loosely on episodes from the writer's life. A contemporary scholar gets wrapped up in her family's history when she discovers a mysterious and valuable Torah manuscript stashed away in the attic (*genizah*—a depository for old or damaged sacred documents). So begins a journey that spans four generations of the family Shepherd that leads Shulamit Shepherd to reconsider her ancestors' history as well as her own passions, faith and choices for the future. Available for under \$5 at Abebooks.com



BLINTZE BRUNCH



**Temple Beth Sholom
52nd Annual Jewish Food and Cultural Fair
Sunday, April 30, 2017**

Cooking Dates

Knishes Sunday, February 26 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Len Richter/554-3666

Silent Auction Prizes

The Temple Blintze Brunch Committee is looking for silent auction prizes – in particular, tickets to the Royals and Chiefs games. Also popular are football and basketball tickets to KU, K-State and Washburn games. Do you have season tickets or individual game tickets that you could donate? Sports game tickets are always good sellers at the Brunch. Please help if you can. The Brunch is April 30 so the tickets would need to be available after that day. For more information, call Jack Wisman.

**A BIG THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED WITH THE
BREAKTHROUGH CLUBHOUSE CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER AND RONALD
MCDONALD HOUSE SHIFT COVERAGE**

On Christmas morning, a small band of Temple volunteers converged on the **Breakthrough Clubhouse** at 12th and Van Buren to begin decorating tables and cooking a noontime dinner for the clubhouse clientele. Other volunteers arrived later to serve tables and finally to clean up. The volunteers heard many expressions of thanks from the diners and the Breakthrough staff. The annual dinner, once again, proved to be a relaxing and enjoyable occasion for all. Those who helped with this project in any way--including preparation, being present on Christmas Day or donating pies and money-- are as follows: Elizabeth Cohn, Margot Brown, Dan Katz, Dennis Dobson, Alan Gilmore, Liz Bergmann-Harms, Bob Harms, Deborah Edelman-Dolan, Jacob Edelman-Dolan, Sarah Edelman-Dolan, Ragen and Marj Murray, Darcella Goodman, Jack Wisman, Marsha Pankewich-West, Laura Silverberg, Larry Pressman, Patty Pressman, Sharon Nathan, Carolyn Litwin, Jaci Patterson, Jerry Frieman, Jeanne Frieman, Diana Siegal and Debbie Stiel. Alan Wisman provided and roasted the turkeys. Thank you to Bob Harms for coordinating this Mitzvah project.

Ronald McDonald Mitzvah

On December 25, our Temple volunteers were asked to cover shifts for the people working at the Ronald McDonald House this year. Thank you to: Robin Gordon, Leora and Emma Forstein, Leif Dolan, Nancy Epoch, Frayna Scrinopskie, Kelsey Scrinopskie, Julie Petruccelli-Treen, Marsha Pankewich-West, Elizabeth Cohn, Tina Allen, Lisa Sweatman, and Lauren and Ben Cohen. Thank you to Frayna Scrinopskie for organizing this Mitzvah project.

Helpers Needed:

Can you read Torah? We would like to have more people reading Torah. Please contact Sophie Thayer at her email address.

Do you meditate? Please consider leading one of our monthly meditation practices. To be scheduled, contact Stephanie Schuttera at her email address.



ToMaTY Camp Rainbow Dinner Update:

Our 2017 Camp Rainbow dinner has been rescheduled for April 8 at 6:00 pm. This year it will have a fiesta theme. Please stay tuned for more information about our upcoming event to support this special camp.

VOLUNTEER LITERACY TUTOR TRAINING WORKSHOP

Volunteers Needed to Help Adults with Reading

The Topeka Literacy Council will conduct a two-day tutor training workshop for individuals and organizations wanting to tutor adults in reading and writing. Volunteer tutor trainers at the workshop will cover proven techniques for teaching adults basic literacy. The cost is \$25.00 for handbook and handout materials (cash, check, or money order; credit cards not accepted). This fee may be waived for some individuals and organizations. The workshop will be held on Saturday, March 25, 2017, and Saturday, April 1, 2017, from 9am to 4:45pm. New tutors need to attend both sessions.

Materials used and taught in the workshop include **Laubach Way to Reading** for basic reading skills, **Challenger** for review of basic skills and skill building, and techniques for improving recognition of speech sounds.

LOCATION

Conference Room of the Doorstep Building
1119 SW 10th Ave. (SE corner of 10th and Buchanan), Topeka, KS 66604
(Parking in rear off Buchanan. Enter building through south door.)

DAYS AND TIME

Saturday, March 25, 2017, 9:00am to 4:45pm

AND

Saturday, April 1, 2017, 9:00am to 4:45pm

(Doors open at 8:30am for check-in/registration. Workshop begins at 9:00am.)

For more information, please call the office of the Topeka Literacy Council at 785-234-2806, or email us at topekaliteracy@juno.com. Please **preregister by Friday, March 17**. You may mail us a check or money order made out to the Topeka Literacy Council for \$25.00 to cover the expense of providing workshop materials (credit cards not accepted). If you do not attend and receive these materials, your payment will be returned to you. Lunch break will be 45 minutes and is the participant's responsibility. We invite you to bring a sack lunch. You will have access to a refrigerator and microwave. Refreshments will be served in the morning and afternoon. You may wish to bring a seat cushion as the chairs have none. We look forward to seeing you!

Sunday Adult Education

Middot Va'ad February 19, 1:00 pm

Adult Hebrew Class Times:

(check calendar or Frayna for specific days)

Beginning Hebrew 9:30-10:30 am

Intermediate Hebrew 10:30-11:30 am

Advanced Hebrew 11:30 am -12:30 pm



Meditation Practice

Wednesday, February 15

7:00 – 8:00 pm

In the Temple's Pusitz Library

Led by Lorne Ruby.

**March 15 at 7:00 pm is our
next meditation time.**

Purim Day, Purim Day...!

Sunday, March 12



- **Family Education and Activities – 10:30am-12:00 pm**

Parents and children from the Lawrence Jewish Community Congregation, Manhattan Jewish Congregation and Temple Beth Sholom will join together for Purim day learning and activities. We will make mishloach manot (Purim gifts) for the Jewish elders in our communities and reflect on the lessons of Purim. We will share a short Purim shpiel at the 11:30 assembly. Don't forget to dress up!!

- **Carnival 12:00 – 1:30 pm**

Face painting, cake walk, bean bag toss, piñata, lollipop tree, Haman sponge toss, duck pond and more!!

Some games require more than one ticket.

Lunch will be available for purchase.

The carnival is a fundraiser for the youth group.

You are welcome to invite friends to the carnival!

Religious School families please bring a cake for the cake walk.



Temple Beth Sholom has many special funds that benefit and enrich our community. Members and friends are always welcome to contribute to these funds when the spirit moves them. Such gifts can honor a friend's achievement, recovery of a special person, memory of a loved one, a life cycle event, or any appropriate occasion! Giving can be a moving experience – for the giver as well as the honoree. Try it! It really feels good. Enclose a check with the coupon below and mail to: Temple Beth Sholom, 4200 SW Munson Ave., Topeka, Kansas 66604.



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(Minimum \$6.00 donation requested for each acknowledgement card)



**CHANUKAH
HAPPENING!**

Women's Night Out Dinner!

We will meet on February 23 at McFarland's Family Restaurant in the Gage Shopping Center at 6:00 pm. If you have questions, please contact Liz Bergmann-Harms.

Men's Dinner Club

The Temple Beth Sholom Men's Dinner Club will meet Wednesday, February 15 at McFarland's Family Restaurant in the Gage Shopping Center at 6:30 pm. For more information, contact Alan Parker.



High Holy Days Food Drive Report: Temple Beth Sholom raised \$593.57 and 1,300 pounds of food for Doorstep during the High Holy Days food drive.



Monthly Shabbat Morning Learning Opportunities

Talmud Study – 9:00 am
Saturday, February 4 and 18

TaNakh Study – 10:30 am
Saturday, February 11
We will be reading and discussing the book of *Hosea*.

Kabbalah Study - 9:00 to 10:30 am
Saturday, February 11 and 25

Text: The group will be starting the book The Essential Kabbalah by Daniel Matt soon.



Jewish Heritage Tour of Central Spain and Portugal

Momentum Tours is organizing a Jewish Heritage tour to Central Spain with a stop in Belmonte, Portugal, the home of hundreds of Jews who survived the Inquisition by practicing Judaism secretly and now openly as Jews. The dates are May 17 – 28, 2017. The cost is \$3,390 per person. Round trip airfare from Kansas City to Madrid ranges from \$773 - \$1,400 per person. A description of the tour can be found at

<http://www.momentumtours.com/jewish-central-spain.htm/>

Contact Jerry Frieman if you are interested. He and Jeanne are planning to go on this tour and invite you to join them.

Upcoming Committee meetings:

Social Action Committee meeting
Sunday, February 12, 12:30 pm

Blintze Brunch Committee Meeting
Sunday, February 12. 9:00 am

GOOD NEWS!

If you are signed up for the Dillons Community Reward program through your Dillon's card, Temple Beth Sholom receives a percentage of your grocery purchases.

We still have HyVee cards in the Temple office.



January 4, 2016 Board Meeting Highlights by Dennis Dobson

- Alan Parker, serving as Chair, read a very nice thank you note from Breakthrough House to Temple for the 26th Annual Holiday Lunch prepared and served by Temple members. Dennis Dobson stated a letter of thanks would also be coming from Ronald McDonald House for Temple members who prepared and served lunch there as well.
- Board members discussed various ways of increasing donations and grants since dues do not cover the costs of maintaining programs and facilities of the Temple. One idea is to change the fiscal year to a calendar one to encourage year end donations. It was felt that until these various other suggestions had been tried, there was no need to change the fiscal year.
- The Board also voted to have the annual meeting on Sunday, June 11 at 10:00 AM. Plan on attending the annual meeting to elect Board members, approve the fiscal budget and hear about Temple plans.

FEBRUARY 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Religious School Hebrew Class 5:30 pm Board Meeting 7:00 pm	2 Harriet Lerner speaking at Topeka & Shawnee County Library 7:00 pm	3 Shabbat Service 7:30 pm Rabbi Stiel/ Rhoda Wisman/	4 Talmud Study 9:00 am Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 am
5 Religious School and Beginning Adult Hebrew classes 9:30 am Torah Tots 10:30 am Religious School Assembly 10:30 am Basic Judaism class 11:00 am Adult Advanced Hebrew 11:30 am BB Dancers practice 12:30 pm ToMaTY meeting 12:30 pm Kol Neshamah rehearsal 1:00 pm	6 Chair Yoga 7:00 pm	7	8 Religious School Hebrew Class 5:30 pm	9	10 Simchat Shabbat/ Shabbat Shira Service 7:00 pm Rabbi Stiel/ Warren Sickel/ Rhoda Wisman/ Paul Evans/ Kol Neshamah	11 TuB'Shevat Kabbalah Study Group 9:00 am TaNaKh Study 10:30 am
12 TuB'shevat BLOOD DRIVE 10:00 am to 1:00 pm Adult Beginning Hebrew and Religious School 9:30 am Religious School Classes 10:30 am Advanced Adult Hebrew 11:30 am Social Action Committee meeting 12:30 pm Blintze Brunch Dancers 12:30 pm	13 Chair Yoga 7:00 pm	14	15 Religious School Hebrew Class 5:30 pm Men's Dinner Club at McFarland's 6:30 pm Jewish Meditation 7:00 pm	16	17 Social Action Shabbat Service 7:30 pm Rabbi Stiel/ Warren Sickel/ Paul Evans Guest Speaker Moti Rieber	18 Talmud Study 9:00 am
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Worship Services

Friday, February 3

Shabbat Service - 7:30 pm

Service led by Rabbi Stiel and Rhoda Wisman.

Oneg Shabbat sponsored by Abby Moore.

Saturday, February 4

Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 am

Service led by Rabbi Stiel and Warren Sickel. Abby Moore will read Torah.

Friday, February 10

Simchat Shabbat / Scout Shabbat /

Shabbat Shira Service – 7:00 pm

Service led by Rabbi Stiel, Warren Sickel, Rhoda Wisman and Kol Neshamah Choir. Paul Evans is accompanying. Sophie Thayer will chant Torah. Anniversary and birthday blessings will be offered. Oneg Shabbat sponsored by Ezra and Barbara Ginzburg.

AFFILIATED WITH THE UNION FOR REFORM JUDAISM

Friday, February 17

Social Action Shabbat Service - 7:30 pm

Service led by Rabbi Stiel and Warren Sickel. Paul Evans is accompanying. Guest speaker will be Moti Rieber. Oneg Shabbat sponsored by Alan and Marilyn Parker.

Friday, February 24

Shabbat Service - 7:30 pm

Service led by Rabbi Stiel and Rhoda Wisman. Stephanie Schuttera will read Torah. Oneg Shabbat sponsored needed.

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