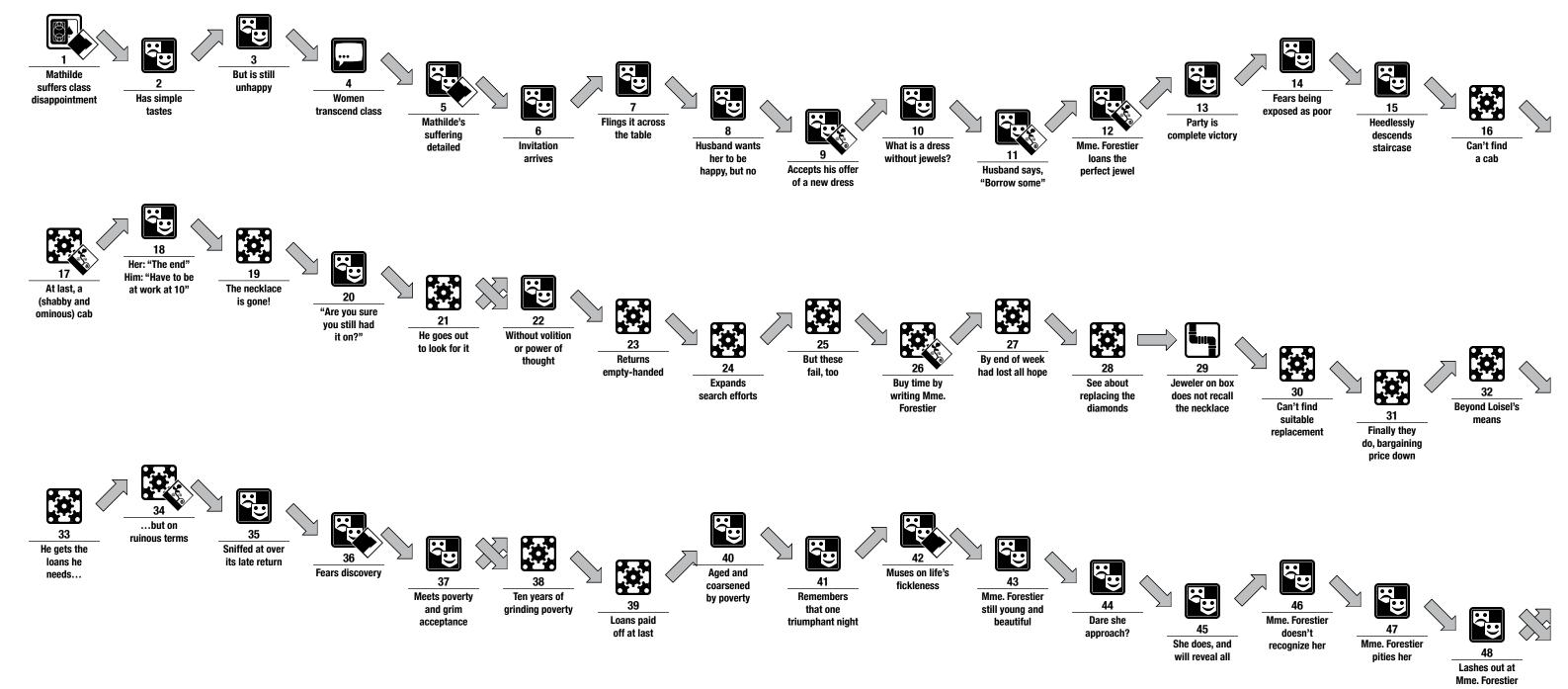
The Necklace

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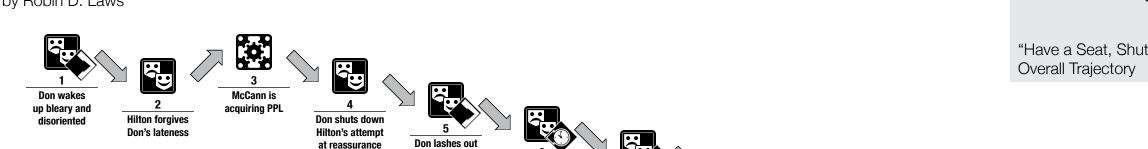
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Have a Seat, Shut the Door

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Don's father defies his

farming co-op

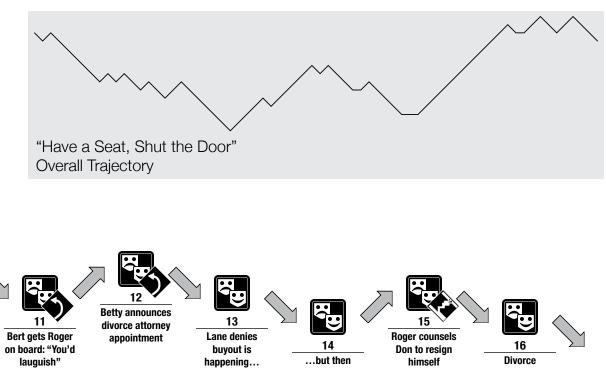
Don can't

convince Bert to

fight the buyout

his threatened

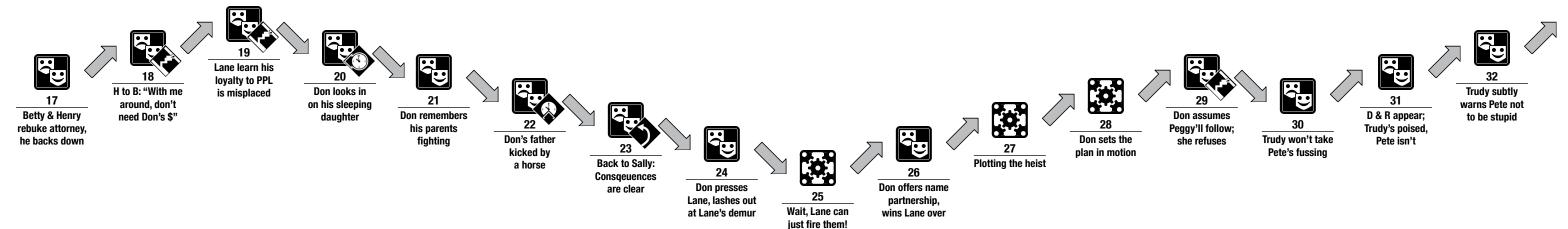
at Hilton, who shuts him down



relents and

admits it

attorney lecture humiliates Betty



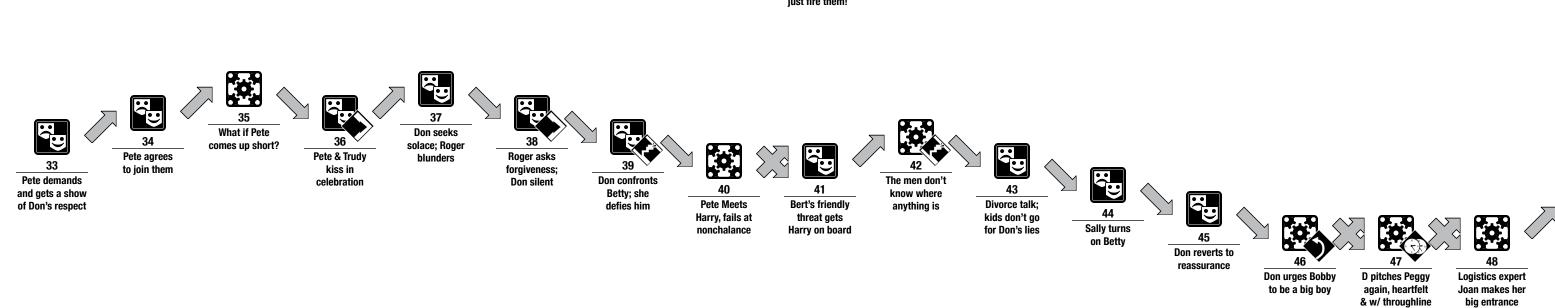
Goaded, Bert

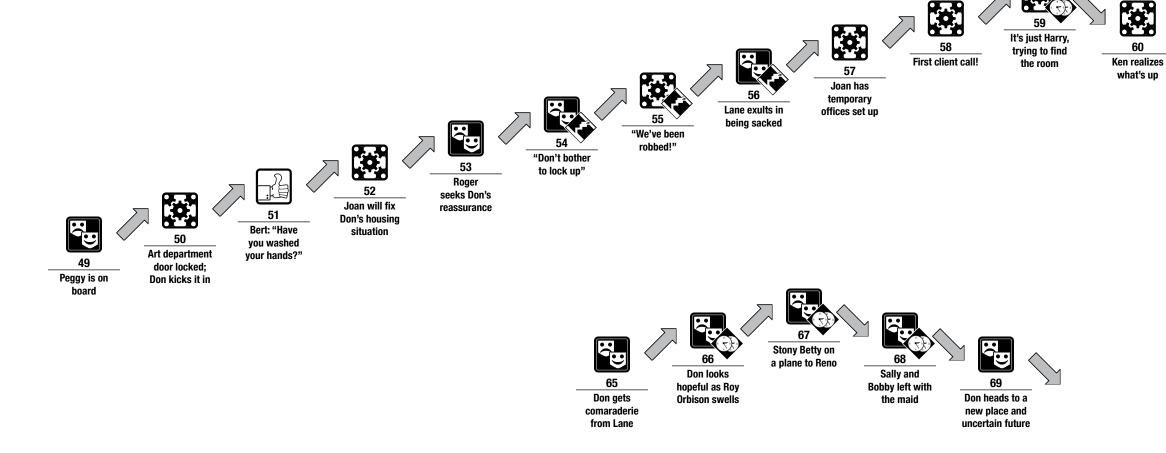
starts plotting

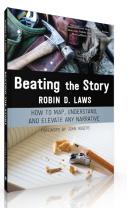
a way out

Roger wants to

see Don squirm







Trudy arrives

with lunch

and a cake

Kinsey sees he's been left behind Don calls Betty;

he conciliates,

she withholds

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Home

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An unseen

watcher in

the house

M & S find a

footprint and

bloody shovel

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M & S need

probable cause;

spot scissors

Taylor won't

take up the gun

38

Brothers gas up

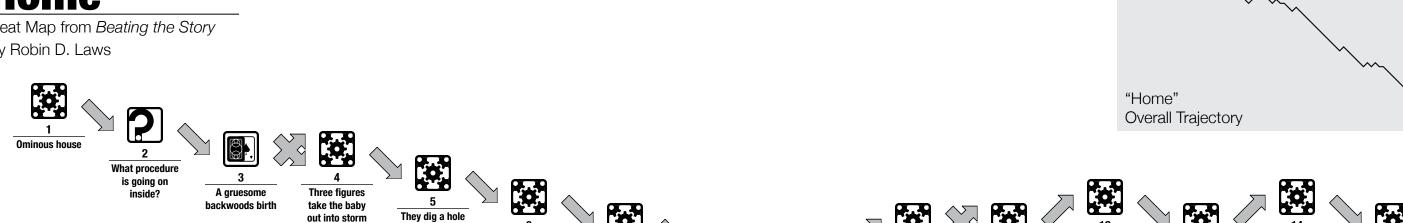
their Cadillac

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Sheriff sets up

dragnet; M & S

safely in hotel



One figure

howls; another

comforts him

Broken hotel

doorknob

seems bad

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Mulder &

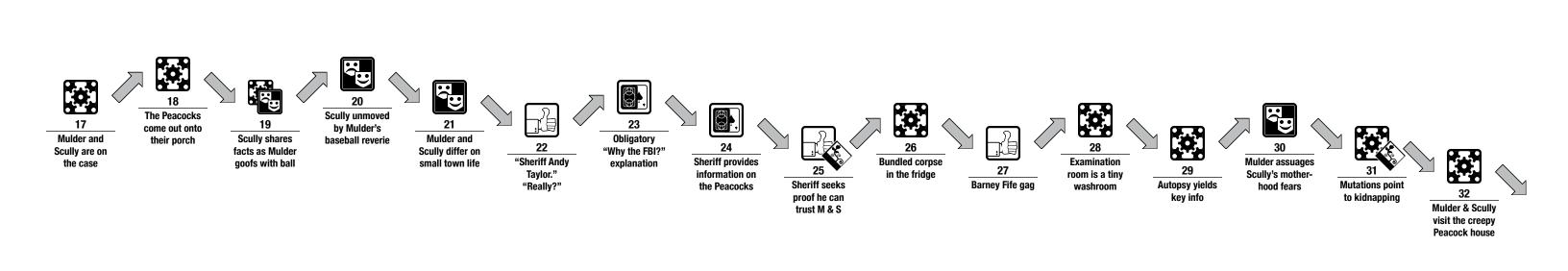
Scully small

town banter

disfigured

They bury

the baby



Mulder does 180

to lean chair

against door

Credits

sequence

Kids play ball

with troubling

home plate

Brothers depart

in their Cadillac

43

Taylor on porch:

are they coming

for him?

44

Taylor's wife

gets him to

come to bed

en route

Scully sleeping:

are they coming

for her?

Brothers still

en route

48

Mulder watches hvenas: are they coming for him?

...but all seems

relatively normal

Blood puddles

around the

batter's toe

Normal game

resumes

Batter dirties

his hands

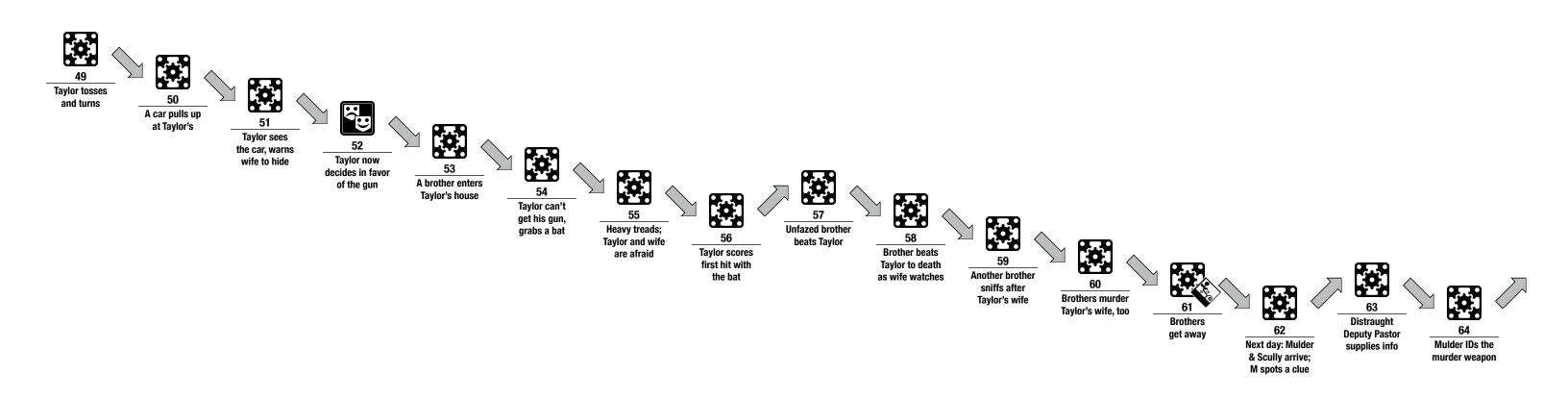
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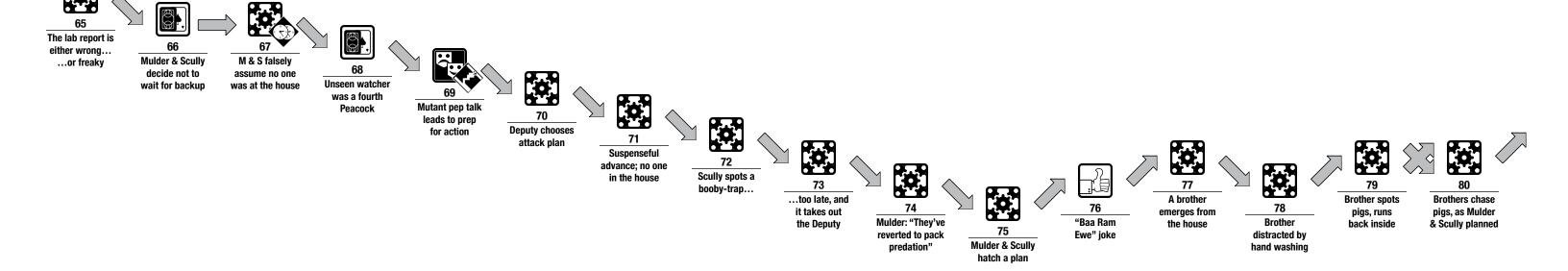
...but they

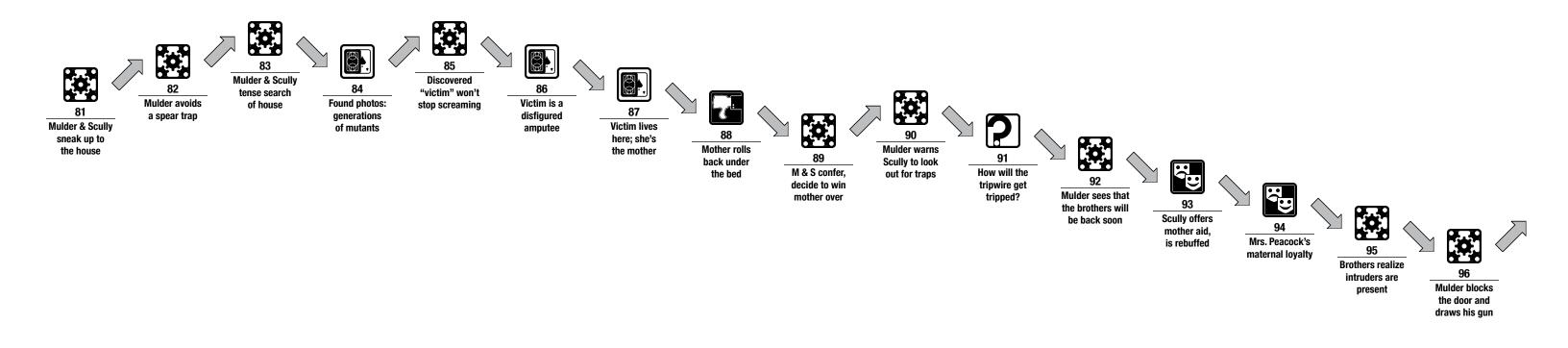
have another

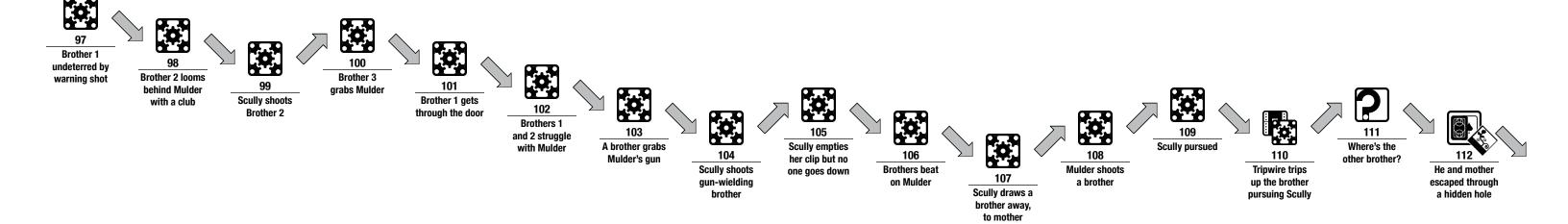
on the Peacock

property

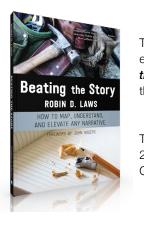












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Sofia Confronts Celie

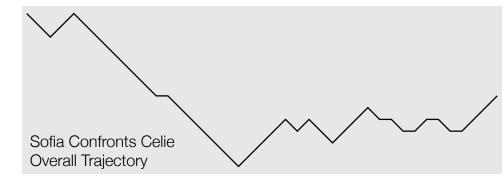
Celie: "I'm

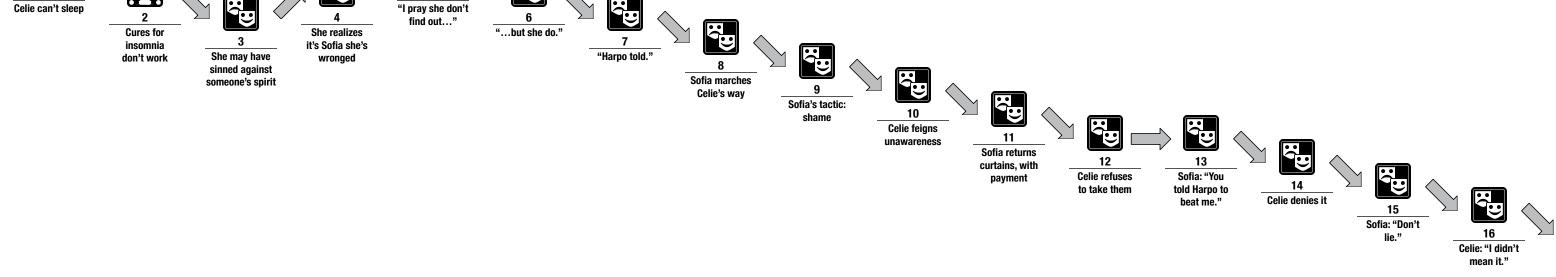
a fool."

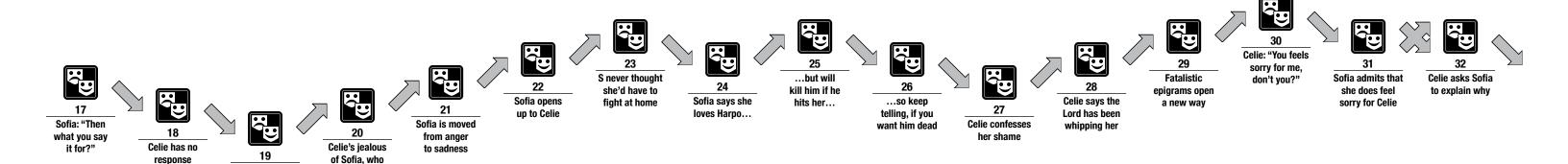
fights back

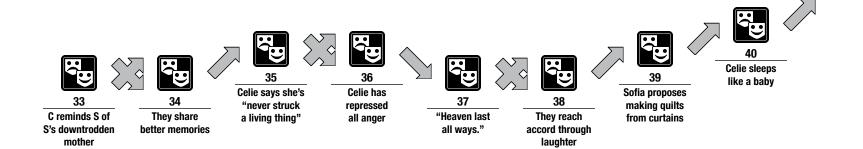
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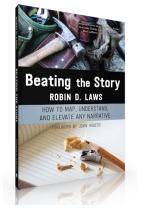












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