

NAWAS INTERNATIONAL

# THE HOLY LAND

*visiting*

Haifa • Tiberias • Nazareth  
Bethlehem • Jerusalem

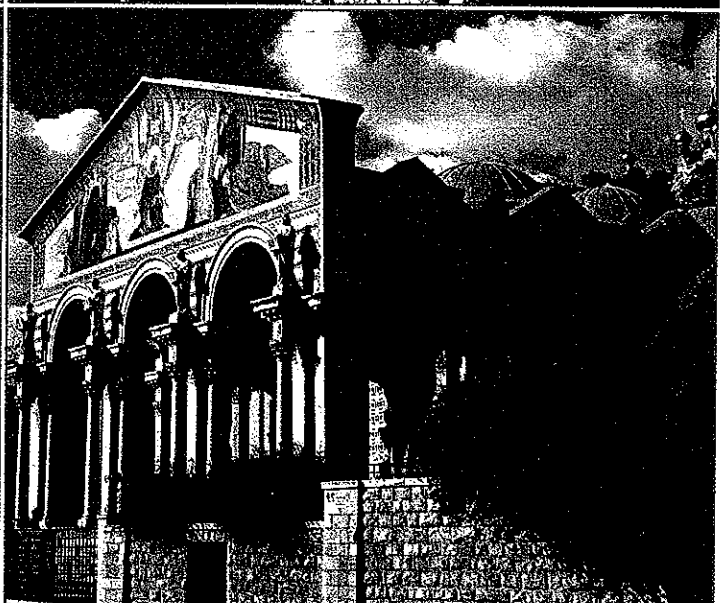
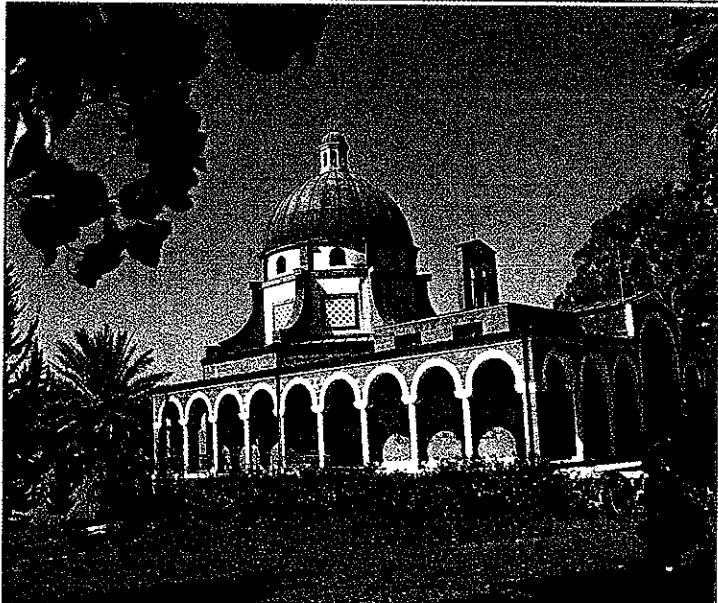
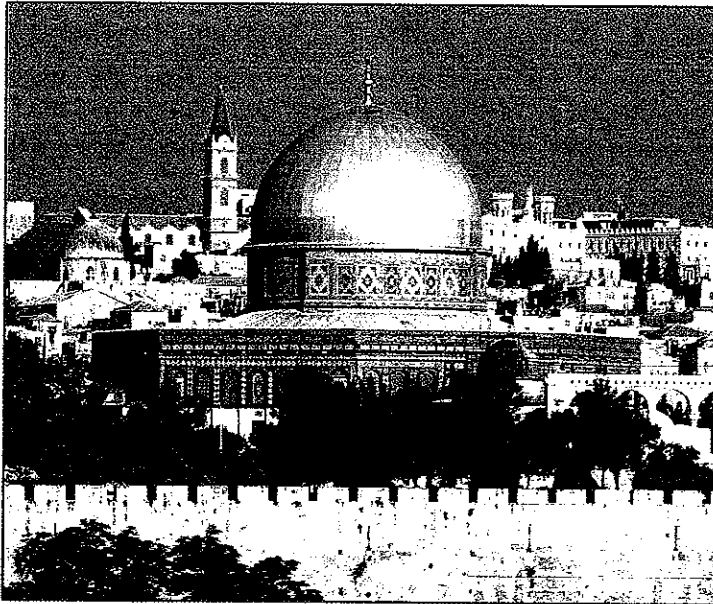
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Pastor Randy Neubauer  
and  
Pastor John Bromhal



10 Days: March 14 - 23, 2011

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Dear Friends,  
 Pastor John and I invite you to join us on a very special pilgrimage during Lent, 2011. Scenes from the Bible come alive as we will pause in Bethlehem, the Church of the Nativity and the Shepherd's Field; the towns of Nazareth and Capernaum; the Sea of Galilee and Mount of Beatitudes; the wilderness

region, Jericho and the baptismal site of Jesus on the Jordan River; the ancient streets of Jerusalem where Jesus walked the "Way of the Cross" from Pilate's hall to Calvary, and Mt. Nebo where Moses viewed the Promised Land.

What a joy it will be to share this experience with my brother Pastor John, who is making his first pilgrimage! Each of the four times I have experienced the Israel of yesterday and today, it has resulted with the blessing of a greater appreciation for our Lord's love and a deeper understanding of his life and teaching. Through our group's fellowship, worship, scripture reading, and prayers, each day will offer us a unique background for our Lenten pilgrimage. Our hope is that all who share this trip will be blessed with a renewed love for and relationship with Jesus.

This will be the eleventh time I have hosted a NAWAS sponsored group tour. Each has been a pleasure to host and each group has appreciated the value and professional services NAWAS provides. Please note this itinerary to the Holy Land provides opportunity to extend time in Jordan and the ancient "Rose Red" city of Petra...carved from rock almost 2500 years ago and considered one of the ancient wonders of the world! From my experience in Jordan in 2009, the days we will spend at Mt. Nebo, the Baptismal site of Jesus on the Jordan, and the beauty and wonder of Petra are awesome!

Pastor John and I invite you to read through this brochure and prayerfully consider joining us. So many friends have heard from others how wonderful this trip really is and want to experience Israel and Jordan for themselves. Your timely deposit is needed now to reserve your place in our group. Tickets for the flight need to be procured well in advance. We look forward to sharing in this Lenten journey with you.

Pastor Randy Neubauer

Hey Folks!

I am so excited to be a part of this trip planned to the Holy Lands in 2011. My parents went to the Holy Lands many years ago and my mother has often recalled what a powerful experience and wonderful gift it was for her. I too expect to be blessed to have the Scriptures I so deeply cherish come alive in new ways as we visit the sights of so many of God's awesome actions. What a wonderful opportunity to walk where Jesus walked and receive the Truth of "God among us" in these holy places. Pastor Randy and I invite you to prayerfully consider coming with us. It will truly be a joy to share this trip together.

Pastor John Brombal

### TOUR FEATURES

- Roundtrip airfare from Washington, D.C.
- Accommodations in First Class hotels.
- Breakfast and dinner daily.
- Services of English speaking guides.
- Comprehensive sightseeing throughout.
- Automatic \$100,000 flight insurance.\*
- All service charges and local taxes.

\*Subject to policy terms and limitations.

## YOUR DAY-TO-DAY ITINERARY

### MON, MAR 14 – WASHINGTON, D.C./ ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

Begin your exciting journey as you depart Washington, D.C. on board your overnight transatlantic flight to the Holy Land.

### TUE, MAR 15 – ARRIVE TEL AVIV

Arrive Tel Aviv today where you will be met and escorted to your waiting motorcoach for the transfer to your hotel in the Tel Aviv area. Your exciting journey to the Land of the Bible begins. (D)

### WED, MAR 16 – TEL AVIV/CAESAREA/HAIFA/TIBERIAS

Drive north today to Caesarea to view the ruins of the Crusaders' fortress and moat and sit in the great Roman amphitheatre. Continuing along the coast, you will see the aqueduct that carried water from Mt. Carmel to Caesarea. On to Megiddo located on the Plain of Esdraelon. Visit the museum, ruins of the city and Solomon's Stables. Continue to Haifa where you will ascend Mt. Carmel for a magnificent view of the sea and harbor. See the Carmelite Monastery and Elijah's Cave as well as the Bahai Temple with its lovely Persian Gardens. Proceed to Tiberias for the night. (B,D)

### THU, MAR 17 – TIBERIAS

Today, cross the Sea of Galilee to Capernaum, center of Jesus' Ministry in the Galilee. Visit the ruins of the Second Century Synagogue. Continue to Tabgha, site of the Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes. Then on to the Mount of Beatitudes where Jesus preached the famous Sermon on the Mount and chose the Twelve Apostles. Drive north via Hazur and view Mt. Hermon. Return to Tiberias for the night. (B,D)

### FRI, MAR 18 – TIBERIAS/CANA/ NAZARETH/JERUSALEM

Depart today via Tabgha and Magdala to Cana, site of Jesus' first miracle of turning water into wine. Proceed to Nazareth, the boyhood home of Jesus. Here you will visit the Church of the Annunciation and the winding streets of the old city. Proceed via the Jordan Valley and Beit Shean to Jerusalem and your hotel. (B,D)

### SAT, MAR 19 – JERUSALEM

This morning proceed on a walking tour of the Old City of Jerusalem. Enter St. Stephen's Gate. Visit St. Anne's Church and the Pool of Bethesda where Jesus healed the crippled man. Continue to the Temple Area. See the Dome of the Rock, the El Aqsa Mosque and the Wailing Wall. Exit via the Dung Gate to St. Peter's in Galllicantu. View the Valley of Gehenna and the Pool of Siloam.

This afternoon enter Herod's Gate to the Roman Praetorium, beneath the Sisters of Zion Convent, and the Ecce Homo Arch. Follow in the footsteps of Jesus as you walk the Via Dolorosa, the traditional way of the Cross to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Leave the Old City through the Damascus Gate. End your inspiring visit at the Garden Tomb, believed by many to be Golgotha. (B,D)

### SUN, MAR 20 – JERUSALEM

Drive to the top of the Mount of Olives for a panoramic view of Jerusalem. Visit the Chapel of the Ascension and the Church of Pater Noster. Descend the Mt. of Olives to the Garden of Gethsemane and walk along the ancient olive trees, viewing the Kidron Valley. Visit the Church of All Nations on the Rock of Agony. Ascend Mount Zion to see the Upper Room, traditional site of the Last Supper. Drive to Bethlehem. Visit the Church of

the Nativity. See the Manger where Jesus was born and Shepherd's Field. Time to shop for wood carvings before returning to Jerusalem. (B,D)

**MON, MAR 21 – JERUSALEM**

This morning we drive to Bethany to visit Lazarus' Tomb and the village of Mary and Martha. Then on to Biblical Jericho, believed to be the oldest city in the world. View Elisha's Spring and the Mount of Temptations. Continue to the Dead Sea, 1288 feet below sea level, site of ancient Sodom and Gomorrah. Stop at the Caves of Qumran where the Dead Sea Scrolls were discovered and visit the excavations. On the east side of the Dead Sea are the Moab Mountains and Mt. Nebo where Moses viewed the Promised Land. Continue to the citadel stronghold of Masada. Ascend by cable car to the fortress where 967 Zealots made their last stand against Rome in 73 AD. (B,D)

**TUE, MAR 22 – JERUSALEM**

Today the day is at leisure for shopping and exploring the city on your own. (B,D)

\*\*Those tour members taking the optional 3 days/2 nights Jordan extension will depart today via the Allenby Bridge.

**WED, MAR 23 – JERUSALEM/TEL AVIV/  
WASHINGTON, D.C.**

Your exciting adventure in the Holy Land is over as you transfer to the airport to board your flight back to Washington, D.C., arriving the same day. (B)

B=Breakfast

D=Dinner

**3 DAY/2 NIGHT  
JORDAN & PETRA EXTENSION**

\$639 per person\*

**TUE, MAR 22 – JERUSALEM/MT. NEBO/MADABA/AMMAN**

Depart early this morning for the Allenby Bridge. Cross into historic Jordan and then continue to Mt. Nebo where Moses viewed the Promised Land. From Mt. Nebo you will enjoy a remarkable view of the Jordan Valley, the Dead Sea and the spires of Jerusalem in the distance. Also visit nearby Madaba where you will see the Madaba Map, a landmark mosaic map of the Holy Land from the Christian era. Continue to Amman and your hotel for overnight. (B,D)

**WED, MAR 23 – AMMAN/PETRA/AMMAN**

Today you will enjoy a full day excursion to the "Rose Red" city of Petra, lost to the world until just this last century. Capital of the Nabateans around 100 B.C., Petra is alleged to be the city from which Herod the Great came from and where St. Paul studied for several years. Designed to discourage its enemies, the only way one entered or left this fortress was through a narrow, twisting canyon known as the Siq. Ride a docile horse the 1-1/2 miles to the entrance of the city. Soon you approach the imposing and dazzling Treasury, imbedded in the face of the mountain. Wander through this ancient Nabatean city carved out of the multihued rocks which surround its hidden valley. With its magnificent Treasury and rose-colored temples and amphitheaters, Petra must truly be one of man's most spectacular accomplishments. (B,D)

**THU, MAR 24 – AMMAN/ALLENBY BRIDGE/JERUSALEM**

Depart your hotel this morning. Drive to Bethany-beyond-the-Jordan, the area where John the Baptist lived and where it is believed Jesus was baptized. After your visit of the baptismal site of Jesus on the Jordan River, you will recross the Allenby Bridge and proceed to Jerusalem where the balance of the day is at leisure for shopping or exploring on your own. (B,D)

**FRI, MAR 25 – JERUSALEM/TEL AVIV/WASHINGTON, D.C.**

Transfer to Tel Aviv airport today in time for departure back to Washington, D.C., arriving the same day. (B)

\*Based on a minimum of 21 participants

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**RESERVATION FORM**

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Please read the all-inclusive tour features and conditions. Then complete this handy form. Book early!

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO:  
**NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL**

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**Accommodation Desired:**

- double room sharing with.....
- single room on basic tour (\$695 extra per person)
- I do or  do not want the optional Jordan Extension

Enclosed is my check for \$..... as deposit  
(\$400 per person) for..... persons

**Passenger #1:**

Clearly print your full name(last/first/middle) as it appears on your passport

Name: Last.....

First.....

Middle.....

Gender: Please check  Male  Female

Address.....

City..... State..... Zip.....

Email.....

Home Phone..... Work Phone.....

Passport #.....

Date of Issue..... Date Expires.....  
(dd/mm/yyyy) (dd/mm/yyyy)

Date of Birth..... Country of  
(dd/mm/yyyy) Citizenship.....

Place of Birth.....  
(city/state)

**Passenger #2:**

Clearly print your full name(last/first/middle) as it appears on your passport

Name: Last.....

First.....

Middle.....

Gender: Please check  Male  Female

Address.....

City..... State..... Zip.....

Email.....

Home Phone..... Work Phone.....

Passport #.....

Date of Issue..... Date Expires.....  
(dd/mm/yyyy) (dd/mm/yyyy)

Date of Birth..... Country of  
(dd/mm/yyyy) Citizenship.....

Place of Birth.....  
(city/state)

**\*\*Please include a clear photocopy of your passport\*\***

## A word about NAWAS . . .

**NAWAS INTERNATIONAL** has pioneered Christian Tours to the far corners of the world for over 61 years. We offer you the essential ingredients for a successful tour.

**EXPERIENCE:** There is no substitute for 61 years of planning tours. Our contacts, guides, knowledge of the area, and background guarantee you the highest quality service at affordable prices.

**RELIABILITY:** For more than 61 years, we have won an international reputation for reliability. We deliver what we promise. And that is essential for a successful trip.

### GENERAL CONDITIONS

#### RESERVATIONS, DEPOSITS AND FINAL PAYMENT:

Reservations may be secured upon payment of a deposit of \$400 per person. No reservation is considered firm until deposit has been received. Your initial deposit payment shall be deemed to be an acceptance of all the terms of our General Conditions. Final payment is due at Nawas Travel 100 days prior to departure date. Nawas accepts Visa, Mastercard and American Express for balance/final payments only. Credit cards are not accepted for deposits. The price of the tour already includes a built-in discount of 3% for payments made by cash or check. There is no discount on credit card sales. Credit cards will only be accepted prior to the final payment due date. Credit card charges cannot be accepted over the telephone. Tour members who want to use a credit card for final payment should contact Nawas at the time final payment is due for further information.

**TRAVEL DOCUMENTS:** A U.S.A. passport valid for at least 6 months after the return date of the trip is required to travel. It is the sole responsibility of the traveler to check their passport's expiration date. Non-U.S.A. citizens may require visas in addition to a valid passport. It is the sole responsibility of non-U.S.A. citizens (including green card holders) to ensure they have the required visas/travel documents for each country to be visited on their tour and for re-entry into the U.S.A.

#### THE TOUR PRICE INCLUDES:

**AIR TRANSPORTATION:** By any IATAN/ARC or other scheduled jet carrier, in economy class, with flights and air routings at the discretion of the air carriers and Nawas and based on non-refundable bulk group fares. Cancellations made after air tickets have been issued are subject to full cancellation penalties as imposed by the airlines. We strongly recommend all tour members retain both their ticket receipts and boarding passes as copies of same cannot be provided. Airline tickets must bear your first, middle and last name as it appears on your passport.

**SURFACE TRANSPORTATION:** By deluxe motorcoach.

**HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS:** Accommodations are at first class hotels based on two persons sharing a twin or double bedded room with private bath. Nawas cannot guarantee roommates. A person taking a single room on the basic tour (subject to availability) must pay a supplement of \$695 per person.

**MEALS:** Breakfast and dinner daily.

**SIGHTSEEING:** As specified in the itinerary using motorcoach transportation or other conveyances as required. Entrance fees and the services of local English-speaking guides or tour managers are included.

**TRANSFERS:** Assistance and transfers from airports to hotels and vice versa in private motorcoach.

**SERVICE CHARGES, TAXES AND PORTERAGE:** Service charges and taxes normally included in bills, government taxes on hotel bills in effect on July 20, 2009, taxes on sightseeing and excursion trips and porterage at hotels of one normal size suitcase (maximum weight 50 lbs.) are included in the tour price.

**FLIGHT INSURANCE:** Automatic one hundred thousand dollars flight insurance policy for each Nawas-ticketed passenger, subject to policy terms and limitations.

**DEVIATIONS:** All deviation requests from the group itinerary must be received at Nawas in writing no later than 100 days prior to departure. A \$100 non refundable fee per person will be charged on all deviations in addition to any extra airfare that may be incurred. Air deviations are subject to availability and restrictions as imposed by the airlines.

**BAGGAGE:** Airlines may now charge baggage fees for checked luggage on international/domestic flights based on the policy of each carrier. The maximum number of pieces of luggage, the weight allowance and baggage dimensions may also vary by airline from the USA to overseas destinations and beyond. Many carriers require that checked luggage in economy class not exceed 50 lbs with a combined length, width and height of 62 inches. Regulations vary for business/first class passengers. Airline policies regarding baggage are subject to change at any time without prior notice. It is the responsibility of each passenger to check with their airline prior to departure for baggage information, regulations and compliance. Nawas is not responsible for additional fees imposed by air carriers regarding baggage. Due to space limitations on Nawas motorcoaches, Nawas can only allow one piece of luggage per person plus a carry-on bag with total dimensions of 45 inches which fits in the overhead bin or underneath the seat in front of you. Wheeled carry-on bags are not permitted due to limited motorcoach capacity. Nawas Travel accepts

no responsibility for loss or damage to the tour members' baggage or personal belongings at any time. Baggage insurance is recommended and is available upon written request.

**TRAVELERS REQUIRING SPECIAL ASSISTANCE:** Disabled travelers requiring special attention or care must advise NAWAS in writing at the time of reservation. A physically able companion must accompany any person who needs special assistance. Tour directors, guides, drivers or other tour, hotel or ship personnel are not able to provide such assistance. NAWAS is not responsible for any denial of services to the disabled participant by air carriers, cruise ships, hotels, restaurants or other independent suppliers. Certain countries/destinations involve extensive walking. Be aware that outside the U.S. the Americans with Disabilities Act is not applicable and facilities for disabled individuals are limited. NAWAS is not responsible for any passenger requiring special medical equipment.

#### THE TOUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

U.S. departure taxes, overseas airport taxes, overseas local government taxes, airline security fees/surcharges and fuel surcharges (taxes/surcharges currently estimated at \$375 to \$475 per person), passport fees, visa fees (if any), phone calls, valet/laundry service, wines, liquors, mineral water, after dinner coffee or tea, tips to escort, guides, drivers and waiters, sightseeing and other services not specifically mentioned, excess baggage and all other items of a purely personal nature.

**CANCELLATIONS:** Written cancellations received by Nawas Travel up to November 12, 2010, refunds will be made less a \$200 per person cancellation fee. From November 13, 2010, to 70 days prior to departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a \$400 per person cancellation fee. From 69 to 31 days prior to departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a cancellation fee of 50% of the total tour price per person. From 30 days prior to departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a 100% cancellation fee of the total tour price per person. Failure to receive final payment by the due date may result in the cancellation of your tour reservation and the forfeiture of your deposit. Airline tickets are not refundable once issued. No refunds will be given for any unused services while on tour.

**We strongly recommend the purchase of trip cancellation insurance to allow for unexpected medical emergencies. Trip cancellation insurance is available upon written request.**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** The airfare used is based on non-refundable bulk group fares in effect on July 20, 2009. Airlines reserve the right to increase fares without prior notice. Tour members will be required to pay any airfare increases and fuel surcharges as imposed by the airlines prior to departure. Airlines require a minimum of 10 persons departing from the same gateway city.

Land costs are based on 2010 tariffs, overseas government taxes and rates of exchange in effect on July 20, 2009 and a minimum of 32 or more participants on the basic tour and a minimum of 21 participants on the Jordan extension. While we have made the best possible estimates of what we expect costs to be in 2011, we cannot guarantee actual prices, exchange rates and airfares. Any increases in land costs or airfare that may occur will be collected from each passenger prior to departure. We reserve the right to increase the cost of the tour consistent with normal increases should the group fall below 32 persons, or in the event of fluctuations in exchange rates.

Please note that healthcare/medical costs outside the U.S.A. are not covered by Medicare and many private medical insurance plans. Please consult with your health insurance supplier to obtain the necessary health/medical coverage for overseas travel.

**California Residents: Please read the enclosed disclosure required by the Sellers of Travel Act before booking.**

**RESPONSIBILITY: NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL SERVICE, INC. (NAWAS),** and their agents act only in the capacity of agents in all matters pertaining to hotel accommodations, sightseeing tours and transportation, whether by railroad, motorcoach, car, steamship, boat, air or any other means. Except for the willful negligence of its direct employees, NAWAS is not liable for any damage, loss (including but not limited to personal injury, loss of enjoyment, distress, death and property loss), expense or inconvenience caused by any act or omission of any supplier providing tour services or by any other person or reason whatsoever or by any delays or changes in the itinerary, or the acts and omissions of the tour leader. NAWAS reserves the right to cancel the tour at any time, to operate the tour with a substitute tour host/leader at any time, to decline or retain any person as a member of the tour for any cause at any time, or to make changes in the published itinerary whenever in their sole judgment conditions warrant, or if they deem it necessary for the comfort, convenience or safety of the tour. All prices are based on rates of exchange listed above and while every effort will be made to hold them firm, they are subject to change. The airlines concerned are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not on board their plane or conveyance. The passage contract in use by the airlines concerned, when issued, shall constitute the sole contract between the airlines and the purchasers of this tour and/or passengers. The services of any IATAN/ARC or other scheduled air carrier may be used in connection with the tour.

**Payment of deposits by tour participants indicates acceptance of the above terms and General Conditions. The venue for any dispute is Fairfield County, Connecticut. The laws of the state of Connecticut will apply.**

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