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# Saint Therese Church

June 29, 2014 Ministered by the Discalced Carmelite Friars Established 1924

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**510 North El Molino Street .Alhambra, California 91801 .282-2744 .FAX 282-7560**

(Unless otherwise indicated, all the telephone numbers in the bulletin are in the (626) area code.)

**Pastor:** Fr. Philip Sullivan, OCD (226) **Associate Pastors:** Fr. Bernard Perkins, OCD (232) Fr. David Guzman, OCD (222) and **In Residence:** Fr. Albert Bunsic, OCD (336) **Deacon Couple:** Deacon Joe & Lorraine Mizerski (333)

**Vocations:** Fr. David Guzman OCD (222); Regional: 909-629-9495 - Archdiocesan: 213-637-7515

**Masses & Services:** Monday-Saturday: 6:00 & 8:00 am; Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm; Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 am, and 5:00 pm; Latin High Mass: Sundays at 1:00 pm; Holy Days: 6:00, 8:00, 10:00 am and 7:30 pm

**Devotions:** Rosary: Following the Mon-Sat 8:00 am Mass; Exposition/Benediction: Thursdays, 7:00-8:00 pm; Intercessors for Priests: Thursdays, 8:00 pm; Fatima Devotion: 13th of the month from May through October

## Sacramental Programs:

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

**(Confession):** Wed., 7:00 - 8:30 pm;  
and Sat., 3:30 - 5:00 pm

**Baptism:** Register at 284-0020, 225

**Weddings:** Call 6 months before date

**RCIA:** Rhonda Storey 284-0020, 225

## Other Ministries / Programs:

Bereavement Support, 2nd/4th Wed.,  
2:30-4 pm: Deacon Couple, 333

Bible Study: Aurora Juarez, 688-9349

Detention Ministry: Sonia Macias  
323-724-6443

First Friday Mass/All-Night Prayer Vigil,  
Mass from 7:30 pm-6:00 am

Holy Family Infertility Support Group:  
Katrina Crow, 292-1906

Knights of Columbus: Mike Pulciano,  
641-0870

Legion of Mary: Mon., 7:00 pm Natural  
Family Planning: 292-1906

Respect Life Ministry / Foot Soldiers:  
Catherine Contreras, 213-435-3942

Rosary Makers/Tuesdays: Ed William  
975-1838 / tieknt@gmail.com

St. Joseph Prayer Group: Wednesdays,  
6:15 pm - Albert Grana 576-0872

"Tea at Therese" Womens Group:  
Dara Barbosa, (301)542-9701

St. Therese, Pray for Us!



## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

*St. Therese Church is an active and Eucharistic Parish Community dedicated in faith and service to a loving and merciful God under our Patroness, St. Therese of Lisieux. We are committed in our ministries to providing discipleship through evangelization and fostering a contemplative life, resulting in Christian formation and spiritual growth of our members.*

**Parish Secretary:** Denise McMaster-Holguin, 223

**Finance:** Noralyn Cailan, 228

**Christian Services:**  
Bridie McDermott, 224

## Choir Directors/Organist:

11:00 a.m.: George and Barbara Klump  
(818) 249-8472

9:00 a.m.: Marcia Martinez-Bateman  
(775) 771-4992

**Coordinators for Ministry to the Sick:** Fred & Margaret Padilla, 282-0943

## St. Therese Religious Education:

Rhonda Storey 284-0020, 225  
rhondalstorey@gmail.com

\* Pre K through 8th Grade

\* Adult Religious Ed

## Youth / Adult Confirmation

**Programs:** Ruben Beltran, 284-0020,  
235. Email:

rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com

## St. Therese Catholic School:

289-3364 - Principal: Carmela Lovano,  
clovano@stthereseschoolalhabra.org  
Web Site: stthereseschoolalhabra.org

**New Parishioners: Welcome to St. Therese! Please come to the Parish Office to register.**

510 N. El Molino St., Alhambra—**Office Hours:** Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm; 2:00 to 5:00 pm; 6:00 to 8:00 pm—**closed from 1:00 to 2:00 pm & 5:00 to 6:00 pm** Eucharistic Adoration - Continuous, day and night. Sign up for an hour of adoration and pray for vocations. Coordinators: Carlos & Carla Johnson – 289-0388

# The Feast of Saints Peter & Paul, Apostles - June 29, 2014

Through all the earth their voices resound; and to the ends of the world, their message. —Psalm 19:5

## COMING SOON! Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

All are invited to honor the Blessed Mother, under the title of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, the patroness of the Discalced Carmelite Order, at a special **7:30 p.m. Mass** on her Feast Day, **Wednesday, July 16**. Enrollment in the Brown Scapular (for those never enrolled) will take place after the Mass.

Also, at all of the Masses on the weekend of July 12/13, we'll have a special collection to help support our Carmelite Seminarians.

You are also invited to pray the following novena beginning on July 8 and concluding on July 16:

### NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

O Most beautiful Flower of Mount Carmel, Fruitful Vine, Splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of Christ, Immaculate Virgin, we praise and honor you as our Queen and Mother. Help us to persevere in constant prayer for the needs of our world and share with you in the work of redemption. Be with us, Holy Virgin, and guide us on our way, as we journey together in faith, hope, and love to your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Mary, Queen Beauty of Carmel, pray for us and obtain our requests. Amen.



(Painting by Parishioner Christina Yang—  
Photographed by Parishioner Franklin Teng)



## Mark Your Calendars for our 90th- Year Celebrations! (1924—2014)

Help us commemorate our anniversary by attending the following upcoming celebrations:

- **Sunday, September 28:** Champagne Breakfast in the Parish Hall
- **On the Weekend of October 17 through 19:** Parish Festival.

### SHAKEY'S PIZZA NIGHT!

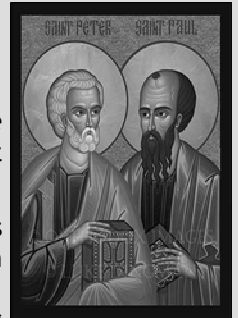


St. Therese Religious Education AND Youth Ministry invite you to a fundraiser to raise money for the 2014 Youth / Teen "Fireside" Summer Events.

Come with your family and friends to Shakey's on Valley on Friday, July 11,

anytime between 6:00 and 10:00 p.m., to dine in or take out, and 20% of your food order will be given to St. Therese for religious education and youth ministry programs.

### SCRIPTURE MEDITATION



Today is something of a rarity: the celebration of a saint's day that replaces the Sunday liturgy.

St. Paul and St. Peter each has personality traits with which we can identify. They are both impetuous, sometimes acting or speaking thoughtlessly, contradicting the spiritual gifts given to them by God. On the positive side, these men were deeply rooted in their faith in Christ, tireless and fearless in living out their call to spread the Good News of His death and resurrection. Perhaps we might identify more with one or the other, but the essential truth we celebrate today is this: Through the Spirit, Christ built and continues to build the Church and make the kingdom known through fragile human beings, each graced in a particular way for the work of the reign of God.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY, U.S.A.!



We wish all of you a SAFE and happy Independence Day celebration!

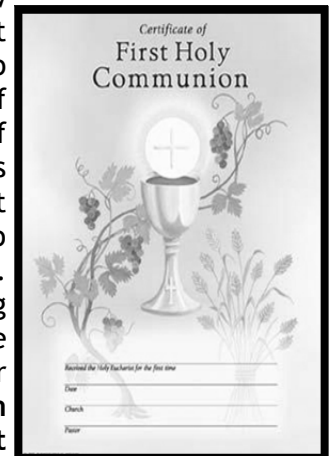
Please note: Because the

Archdiocese discourages fireworks due to the liability issue, there will be NO BBQ and fireworks here at St. Therese to celebrate the holiday. Please check out the numerous parks, etc., which are hosting events.

Also note that the offices will be closed on Friday, July 4.

### DID YOU FORGET YOUR CHILD'S CERTIFICATE OF HOLY COMMUNION OR CONFIRMATION?

We have quite a few original certificates that were never picked up after the celebration of these Sacraments. Some of them include photographs taken after the Sacrament was received. Please stop by Parish Offices (510 N. El Molino Street) during open hours to see if we have one for you or your child. **We will hold them in the office until August 1st.**



## RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY —FOOT SOLDIERS FOR LIFE

Please keep the Foot Soldiers for Life in your prayers and know that you are in ours. If you are interested in joining one of the below activities or have any questions, please feel free to contact Catherine Contreras at (213) 435-3942. God bless you and remember, as Pope Francis said, *"Defend the unborn against abortion even if they persecute you, calumniate you, set traps for you, take you to court, or kill you."*

**SURVIVORS PROLIFE TRAINING CAMPS** have equipped hundreds of high school and college students to be effective voices for the preborn! *Through the signature combination of classroom teaching and hands-on experience, the Survivors ProLife Training Camps are producing Pro Life leaders for the next generation.* Camp is sold out, but you may still join us on the Activism days (camp is in session now through July 4). Here is a link for more information: [www.survivors.la/upcoming-events-1/](http://www.survivors.la/upcoming-events-1/)

### SEEKING BAPTISM CLASS LEADERS

We are seeking those who would like to volunteer to lead our monthly Baptism class! This would be ideal for a couple to co-lead.



If you are interested in leading this ministry beginning this September, please call the Director of Religious Education, Rhonda Storey, at 284-0020, ext. 225.

### IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

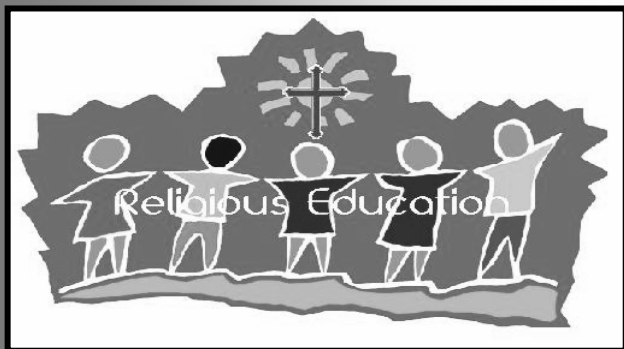
1) **NO JULY "FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ALL-NIGHT VIGIL"**  
Because the Fourth of July falls on the first Friday of July, there will be **NO** FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ALL-NIGHT VIGIL in July. Next one: August 1.

2) **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:** We regret that there will be **no** VBS this year due to work that will take place in the parking lot and Parish Hall.



However, in the Summer of 2015, we will have a Catholic Kids' Week ("C.K.W."). There will be a "meeting of the minds" to plan this. If you're interested in being a team member for C.K.W., then come to a meeting this Monday, June 30 at 7:00 p.m. at the picnic tables by the Hall.

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



**STRE NEWS:** We regret to inform you that, due to construction in the parking lot and on the fence, we will not have Vacation Bible School this year. Help us plan for our own event next year: "CKW" (see announcement on this page in the upper right corner).

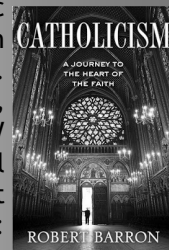
**RCIA PART II (Apologetics):** This class is for all those who have been through RCIA I and those who want to continue learning about the Church. The next classes will begin on September 2, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. For questions, call Ruben at 284-0024, ext. 235, or email [rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com](mailto:rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com)

# CONFIRMATION



**CATHOLIC TABLE TALK:** All are invited to join us for these group discussions, at which we will address

various topics concerning the Catholic Faith. It will be hosted by Ruben Beltran and Rhonda Storey and will include Fr. Robert Barron's video series, "Catholicism," and Dr. Edward Sri's NEW video series, "Symbolon." Sessions will be held in the Parish Meeting Room at 7:00 p.m. on the following Tuesdays: July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29.



# YOUTH MINISTRY:



**FIRESIDE CATHOLICISM:** All teens are invited to attend these evenings in the Guadalupe Courtyard of the Parish Offices. Some sessions will feature guest speakers. The dates are: **Thursdays, July 3, 10, 17, 24, and 31, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.**

### FREE ARCÁNGEL FILM FESTIVAL



Come to the FREE Arcángel Film Festival on Saturday, July 19, between 1:30 and 8:30 p.m., at the beautiful San Gabriel Mission Playhouse! Watch shorts, documentaries, and feature films—all with a Christian

theme—including the box office hit *“God’s Not Dead.”* Its producer, writers, and select cast members will take part in a panel discussion after the film. Also come to see the celebrated pro-life documentary *“40”*.

Also at the Festival will be music and special speakers, including Jeff Jordan from Holy Wood Acting Studio; David A.R. White from Pure Flix Entertainment; and writers Cary Solomon and Chuck Konzelman from *“God’s Not Dead”*.

The festival is FREE with your RSVP. You may purchase tickets to attend the after-party and meet filmmakers, producers, and celebrities. Get your tickets at the website, [www.arcangelfilmfestival.com](http://www.arcangelfilmfestival.com)—click the Eventbrite button to make your reservation.

### ADORATION CHAPEL



*“Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration is our Lady’s ‘Peace Plan.’ I am absolutely certain that through Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration, peace will come to our country and to the whole world. When we do on earth what is done in heaven, adore God*

*perpetually, then there will be ‘a new heaven and a new earth.’ The only name, the only power, the only love that will bring an everlasting peace on the face of the earth, is The Name, The Power, and The Love of Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament.”* --Rev. Msgr. Josefino S. Ramirez

To sign up for an hour every week, please call Carlos or Carla Johnson at 289-0388.

### GUADALUPE PREGNANCY SERVICES (GPS)

**GPS** Are you pregnant? Do you need help? Guadalupe Pregnancy Services (GPS) counselors are available to help you with any situation regarding your pregnancy. All services are local and are offered privately and confidentially. We offer counseling, education, resources and referrals. Contact Louisa Day at 872-2483 or email [gps.pregnancy@gmail.com](mailto:gps.pregnancy@gmail.com)

### TITHING

REMEMBER... Tithing is an integral part of YOUR relationship with God...

WEEKLY OFFERINGS: Below are the totals for last weekend and for the previous four weekends:

June 21 / 22, 2014

Unrestricted.....	\$9,119.00
Restricted .....	\$ 998.00
<b>T O T A</b> .....	<b>\$10,117.00</b>
<b>May 24 / 25, 2014.....</b>	<b>\$ 8,892.00</b>
<b>May 31 / June 1, 2014.....</b>	<b>\$11,985.00</b>
<b>June 7 / 8, 2014.....</b>	<b>\$11,149.00</b>
<b>June 14 / 15, 2014.....</b>	<b>\$10,564.00</b>

*“...for God loves a cheerful giver” (2 Corinthians 9:7).*

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: MEN! WHY SHOULD YOU BECOME KNIGHTS?

Becoming a Knight of Columbus

can transform your life! As

a Knight, you have the

opportunity to support

your parish, give back

to your community,

grow in your faith,

and gain exclusive

access to our top-

rated insurance

program to protect

your family. These

are just some of the

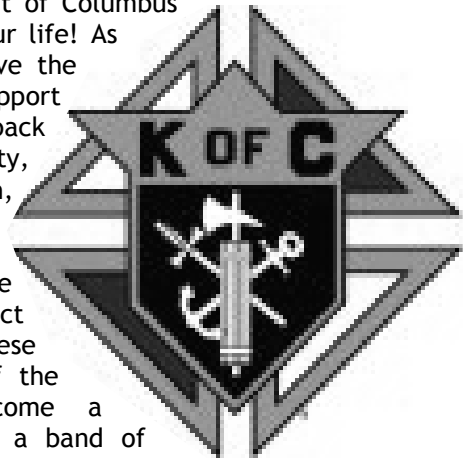
reasons to become a

Knight. We are a band of

brothers, a network of men in

communities around the world dedicated to doing good

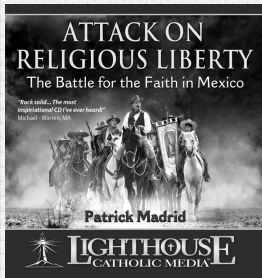
in the service of God and our neighbor.



For more information, call Mike Pulciano, the Grand Knight for the Alhambra Council, at 641-0870. He will answer any questions you may have!

### 90TH ANNIVERSARY PICTORIAL DIRECTORY UPDATE!

The directory is now in the production / printing stages! We have put extra time into it as we want it to be extra-special for our 90th Anniversary. It will contain several articles, including about our history, our patroness, her parents, and her sisters. Additional copies will be available for purchase.



# LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA™

**CD OF THE MONTH - "Attack on Religious Liberty"** by Patrick Madrid—Patrick Madrid explores the history of the persecution of the Catholic Church in 1920s Mexico. He recounts the sufferings and martyrdom that thousands of Catholics endured to defend their religious freedom during the Cristero War. *"This was a history lesson that will not be forgotten."* —(Richard - San Diego) **NOTE:** BEGINNING IN JULY, Lighthouse will be available at the weekend Masses **ONLY on the First Weekends of each month.**

Your donations help us to replenish the kiosk with more CDs and Books. Make checks payable to St. Therese Church. Thank you. For more information, contact Victoria Sandoval at (323) 803-9956 or geribah03@gmail.com.

**BAPTISM MINISTRY** Rhonda Storey, 284-0020, Ext. 225 - In order to take part in our Baptism Program, **PARENTS & GODPARENTS** are required to



attend a class from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the Parish Library (next date, July 1). The fee is \$100 per child or \$25 for the class only. Your child will then be

baptized on a Saturday at Noon (next open Baptism is July 19).

**SELECTING THE GODPARENTS:** Canon Law requires you to have at least one godparent (may have two) who: 1) is at least 16; 2) has been Confirmed; and 3) is a practicing Catholic. A form attesting to this will need to be signed by a priest from the parish of each prospective godparent.

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP:** If you are grieving for a loved one—no matter how long or for whom—please join us for our Bereavement Support Group. We meet in the Parish Offices from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. on the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of each month (next date is July 9). For additional information, please contact Deacon Joe and Lorraine Mizerski at 282-2744 (333).

**IRISH STEP-DANCING CLASSES:** Irish Dance classes are now being offered for adults AND for kids ages 4 and up. The classes are taught by Mrs. Kelly Mohun and held in the Parish Hall on Wednesdays at 3:00 p.m. To sign up or for more information, please contact Kelly at (805) 421-7548 or [1stkdoc@gmail.com](mailto:1stkdoc@gmail.com).



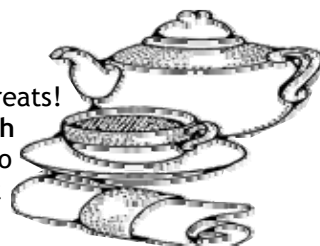
## SHORT FILM TO BENEFIT CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Actor David Henrie, best known for his work in *Wizards of Waverly Place*, has written and directed a heartwarming short film called **"CATCH"** about the ever-present realities faced by fathers and sons—with a moving message about the importance of family and faith. Purchase a DVD or download it for just \$4.99. One dollar of every download, DVD purchase, or related merchandise will benefit the Catholic Education Foundation and give children in need a Catholic education. To purchase or download, go to [www.catchtheshortfilm.com](http://www.catchtheshortfilm.com).

## "TEA AT THERESE" - WOMEN'S GROUP

*"She opens her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue."* —Proverbs 31:26

Women! Come join us for a prayer and discussion group, accompanied by tea and treats! Children are welcome! We hold these meetings at 10:00 a.m., on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, in the Avila Room in the Parish Offices (510 N. El Molino Street). Next date: July 10. For more information, contact Dara Barbosa at (301)542-9701.



# Mass Intentions

For the Week of  
**6/28/14 to 7/5/2014**

**Saturday:**

5:00 p.m.: Belen Juarez RIP

**Sunday:**

\*7:30 a.m.: Parishioners of St. Therese Church

7:30 a.m.: Sinforosa de Villa RIP

9:00 a.m.: Pedro Lacayo RIP

11:00 a.m.: Larry & Martha Campos RIP

1:00 p.m.: (Latin): Rochelle & Mario Fragosa 40th Anniv.

5:00 p.m.: Fred San Lucas INT

**Monday:**

6:00 a.m.: Frederick San Lucas INT

\*7:30 a.m.: Joshua Joseph Ribaya INT

8:00 a.m.: Trudy Tournier RIP

**Tuesday:**

6:00 a.m.: Chan Kun Kong RIP

\*7:30 a.m.: Donald Horning RIP

8:00 a.m.: Olga Zazueta RIP

**Wednesday:**

6:00 a.m.: Maire Salwet RIP

\*7:30 a.m.: Martha Lacayo INT

8:00 a.m.: Leon B. James, Jr., RIP

**Thursday:**

6:00 a.m.: Jerry Lafarmme RIP

\*7:30 a.m.: Mr. Asuncion Martinez RIP

8:00 a.m.: Natalé Moretti RIP

**Friday:**

6:00 a.m.: David Tuan INT

\*7:30 a.m.: Leslie Ribaya INT

8:00 a.m.: Edna Mancao & Mary Rose Go INT

**Saturday:**

6:00 a.m.: Edna Mancao & Mary Rose Go INT

\*7:30 a.m.: Carmelite Community

8:00 a.m.: Loreto Lowenberg RIP

\*Held in the Cloistered Carmelite Chapel, 215 East Alhambra Road—open to the public every day except on Sundays, Vigils and major holy days and holidays.

## Floral Dedications

The floral dedications for this week are:

♥ *In Honor of the Talbot Family and the Kinneberg Family*



To dedicate a floral arrangement in someone's honor, for a special occasion, or in memory of a loved one, leave a message for Giovanna Setiady at 281-9049. Each bouquet is \$40 (most people get two).

## Personal Ads

STUDIO APT FOR RENT: Single, upstairs, close to all. (with stove and refrigerator). First and last months rent required. Call 241-8727 between 9 and 5.

Mature, responsible Parishioner (non-smoker, non-drinker) SEEKS A 1 BR APT. AVAILABLE FOR RENT (Can pay \$1,000 or less per month). If you have availability, leave a msg. at 282-2744 (223).

## Deaths

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

† Therese Thuy (Twee) Nga Nguyen

## Outside the Parish

ATTENTION SINGLE CATHOLIC MEN, 18-30 years of age: The Knights of the Holy Eucharist, a community of lay brothers faithful to Holy Mother Church and Our Eucharistic Lord, invite you to discern your vocation at the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, Alabama. Learn more at their website, [www.knights.org](http://www.knights.org).

Join Fr. Joseph Parathanal on Pilgrimage: ROYAL TOUR TO INDIA-ST. THOMAS, MOTHER TERESA (Sept. 2014). Contact Bernadette at [bcorp1114@hotmail.com](mailto:bcorp1114@hotmail.com) or 323-344-1548 or 323-547-6618).

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND: Find out how to make a good marriage better and a better marriage great. For more info, contact Winston and Dinah Perez at 818-527-MEMC (6362) or go to [www.memconline.org](http://www.memconline.org) or email: [memcweekend@gmail.com](mailto:memcweekend@gmail.com)

### Intentions of our Holy Father for June 2014:

1) That the unemployed may receive support and find the work they need to live in dignity; and 2) That Europe may rediscover its Christian roots through the witness of believers.

## Lectors

**Saturday:**

5:00 p.m. Rebeca Willis / Alice Cheung

**Sunday:**

7:30 a.m. Olivia Carnegie / Florence Goh  
 9:00 a.m. Rosa Natividad / Lorraine Mizerski  
 11:00 a.m. Ignacio Verduzco / Marta Timar  
 5:00 p.m. Vickie Blair



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