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Rationale for Milestone 3:

Username: <u>user</u> Password: password

As someone who loves food, food was foremost on my mind while thinking up a theme for the album. This theme is fun and colorful, so I wanted a playful, but not over-crowded design, which is why I chose to have circular thumbnails and a large, round title font. I didn't want colors from my website to overwhelm the food images, so I picked only one theme color for the website: a bright red (with a little orange). This is a pretty modern-looking color, and red is known to make people feel hungry, which is why it is often associated with restaurants and cookbooks. My favorite part of the design is the album titles, which are revealed when the user hovers over the image. This keeps the website clean-looking by avoiding too many titles all shoved together under the images. Another way I kept the website clean was by avoiding too many links in the nav bar. Many of my forms are all in the same php file: any image editing/deleting happens in image.php, and any editing/deleting of the albums happens in album.php. This way, everything is together and easy for the user to see.

From milestone 2, I had no feedback (I received a 100%), and the only change I made from milestone 1 was the schema for the database, which was changed in milestone 2. So, I didn't have much feedback to respond to. However, I used to have a table showing the album information and now use thumbnails of images in the album, to make for a prettier website.

For WOW, I allowed the image to be added/removed from an album when editing. I also use two image shapes/sizes in the website. One is the circular thumbnail link used throughout and the other is the full-sized rectangular image which can be seen when the image is clicked.