AWS Elastic Beanstalk **makes it even easier for developers to quickly deploy and manage applications in the AWS Cloud**. Developers simply upload their application, and Elastic Beanstalk automatically handles the deployment details of capacity provisioning, load balancing, auto-scaling, and application health monitoring.

A Lightsail instance is **a virtual private server (VPS) that lives in the AWS Cloud**. Use your Lightsail instances to store your data, run your code, and build web-based applications or websites.

What is the difference between Lightsail and Beanstalk?

Lightsail - is similar but more user friendly management option and good for small applications. Beanstalk - an orchestration tool, which does all the work to create an EC2, install application, software and give you freedom from manual tasks in creating an environment.