import java.util.\*;  
import java.io.\*;  
  
class MergeStrings  
{  
public static void main(String args[])throws IOException  
{  
InputStreamReader isr = new InputStreamReader(System.in);  
BufferedReader br = new BufferedReader(isr);  
String s1 = br.readLine();  
String s2 = br.readLine();  
String merge = "";  
int len1 = s1.length();  
int len2 = s2.length();  
int i=0,j=0;  
while(i<len1 || j<len2)  
{  
if(i<len1)  
{  
merge = merge + s1.charAt(i);  
}  
if(j<len2)  
{  
merge = merge + s2.charAt(j);  
}  
i++;  
j++;  
}  
System.out.println(merge);  
}  
}