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SHOWCASING INNOVATIVE DESIGN, PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT, AND UX/UI
SOLUTIONS THROUGH CREATIVITY AND USER-FOCUSED DIRECTION.



ABOUT **Me**



CHRISTOPHER R MCGUIRE



I'm a design-driven developer who blends UX, UI, and code to build clean, intuitive digital products. I focus on turning complex ideas into simple, usable solutions that scale.

I've led redesigns, built design systems, and delivered high-impact apps across platforms. I move fast, think deeply, and always put users first.

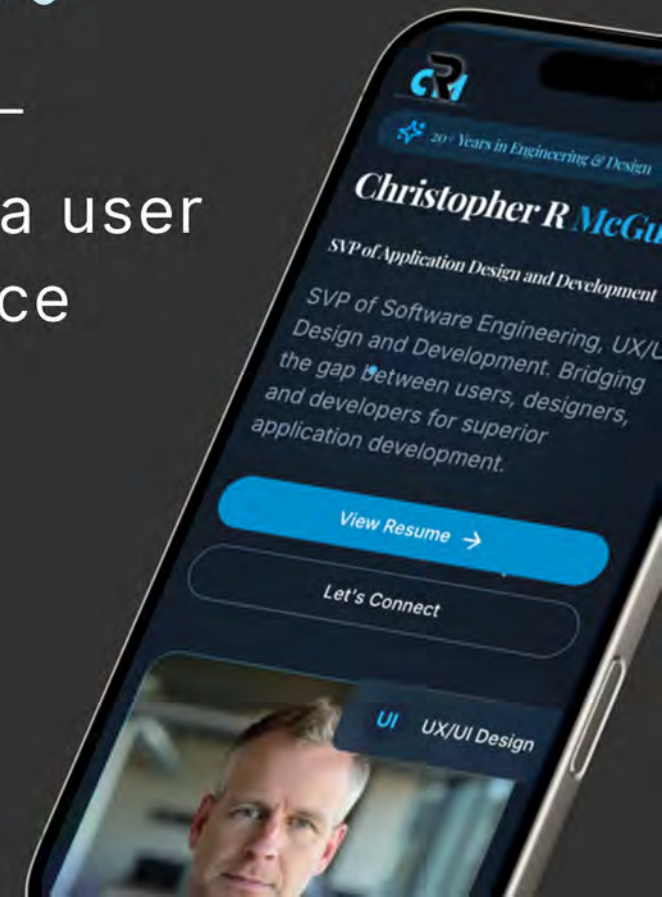
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“Good design is invisible. Great design is unforgettable.”

Behind every pixel and line of code is a user
—my job is to make their experience
seamless and human.



UX
UI

WHO am I

I am an accomplished SVP and Head of Software Engineering & UX / UI Design, recognized for pioneering the front-end transformation at Citadel, where the establishment of the inaugural UX/UI teams set a benchmark for user-centric development. Throughout my career I have been instrumental in building and leading global teams to innovate, architect, and execute 20+ real-time and data-intensive, agile applications, enhance code quality, and fortify software with scalable, secure infrastructures. My expertise lies in merging technical acumen and strong architecture with intuitive design to accelerate product cycles by 25%, bolster user engagement, driving operational excellence and aligning team defined roadmaps to firm defined OKRs.



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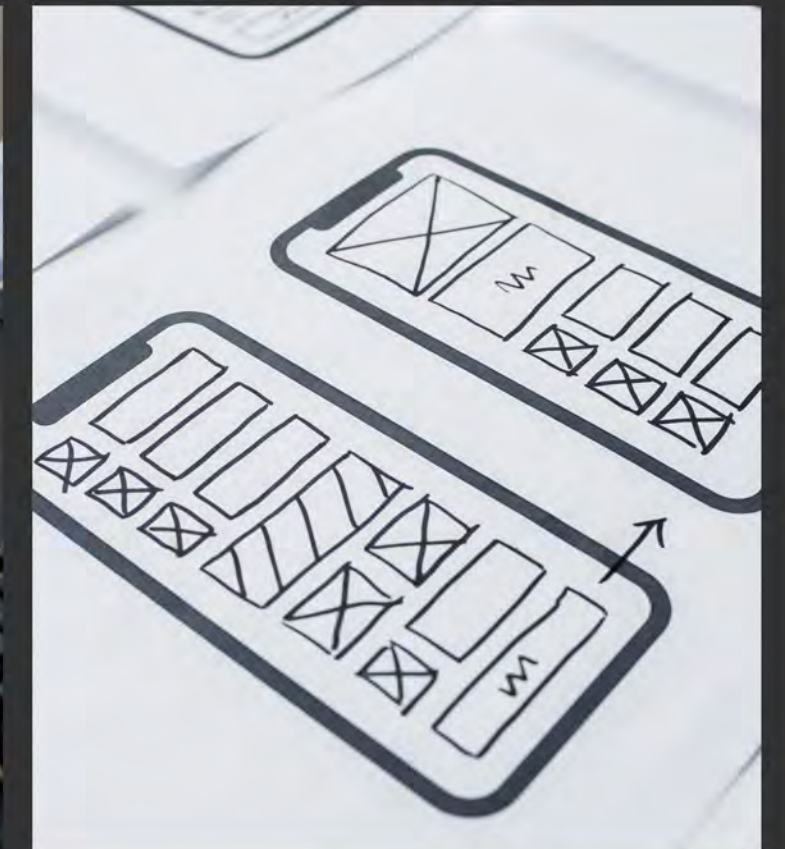
WHAT I've Done

25+ Years work
experience
At Mesirow, Citadel,, and More...



4+
Industries

With over 25 years of experience, my career has exposed me to the telecommunications, healthcare, financial, and marketing industries. I have engaged in the QA process, product design and development workflow, team leadership arena, and have stepped into the marketing circle at times. I have built global UX and UI presence at companies, blending engineering and design while maintaining user focus. No stranger to innovation, I leverage technologies, such as AI, to strengthen businesses and teams.



WHERE I Started

BS IN COMPUTER
AND ELECTRICAL
ENGINEERING

PURDUE UNIVERSITY

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CERTIFICATE OF
GRAPHIC DESIGN

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY



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DEVELOPMENT Work

A development career with exposure to C#, .NET, WPF, JavaScript, React, CSS, HTML, JAVA, Python, with heavy concentration on web and mobile application development. Work has been a mix of personal projects, proprietary equity research applications, mobile work, and external block trading tools with large datasets where app performance is key.

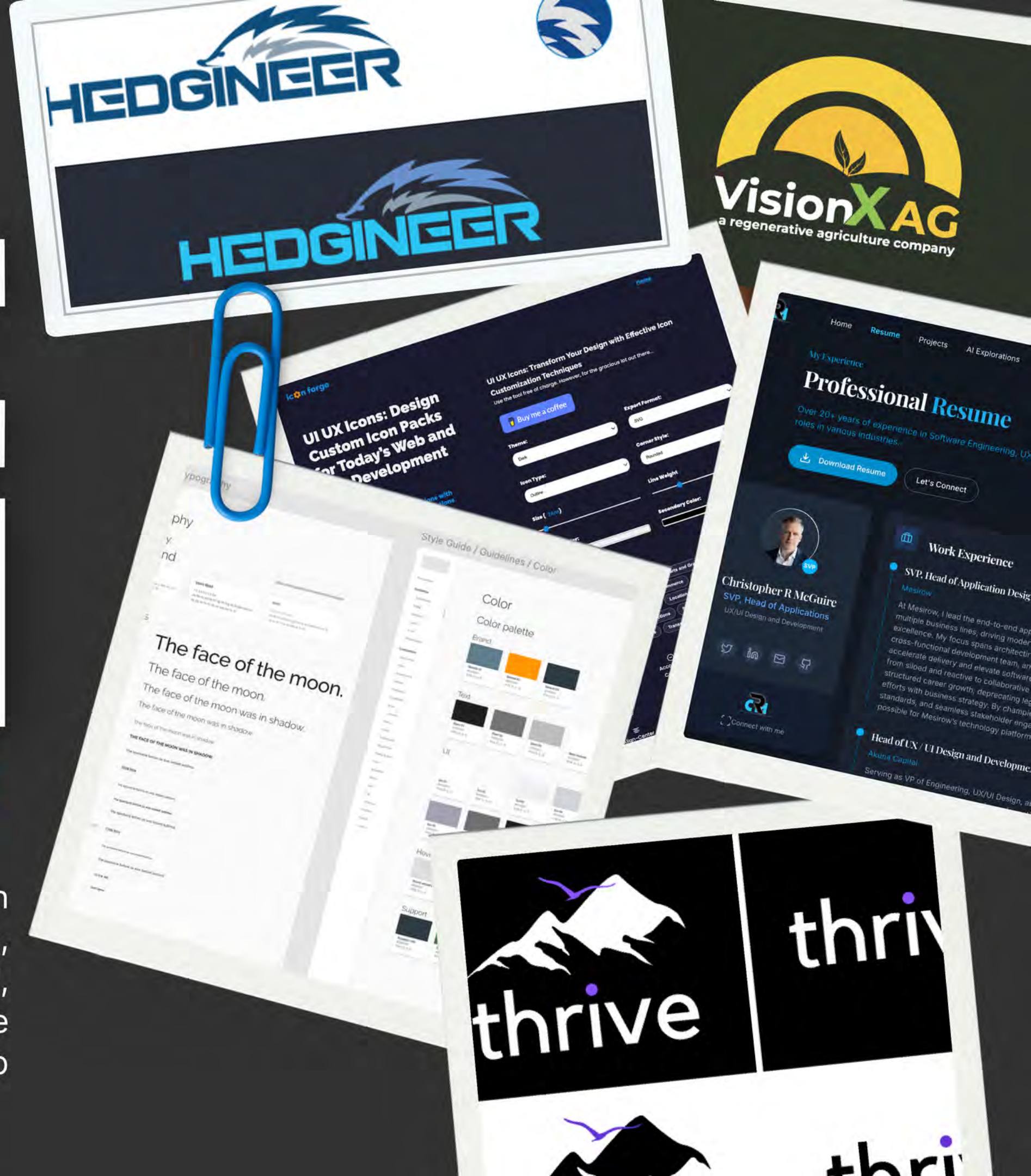
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GRAPHIC DESIGN Portfolio

A curated mix of product, website, and brand design. Designs span a wide spectrum of industries and were executed through Figma, Illustrator, and Photoshop. Portfolio cache compiled from personal, freelance and professional work. Exposure to logo design, style guide and design system buildouts, graphic design / layouts, web design, and application prototyping, design and development.



AI DESIGN

AI DEVELOPMENT

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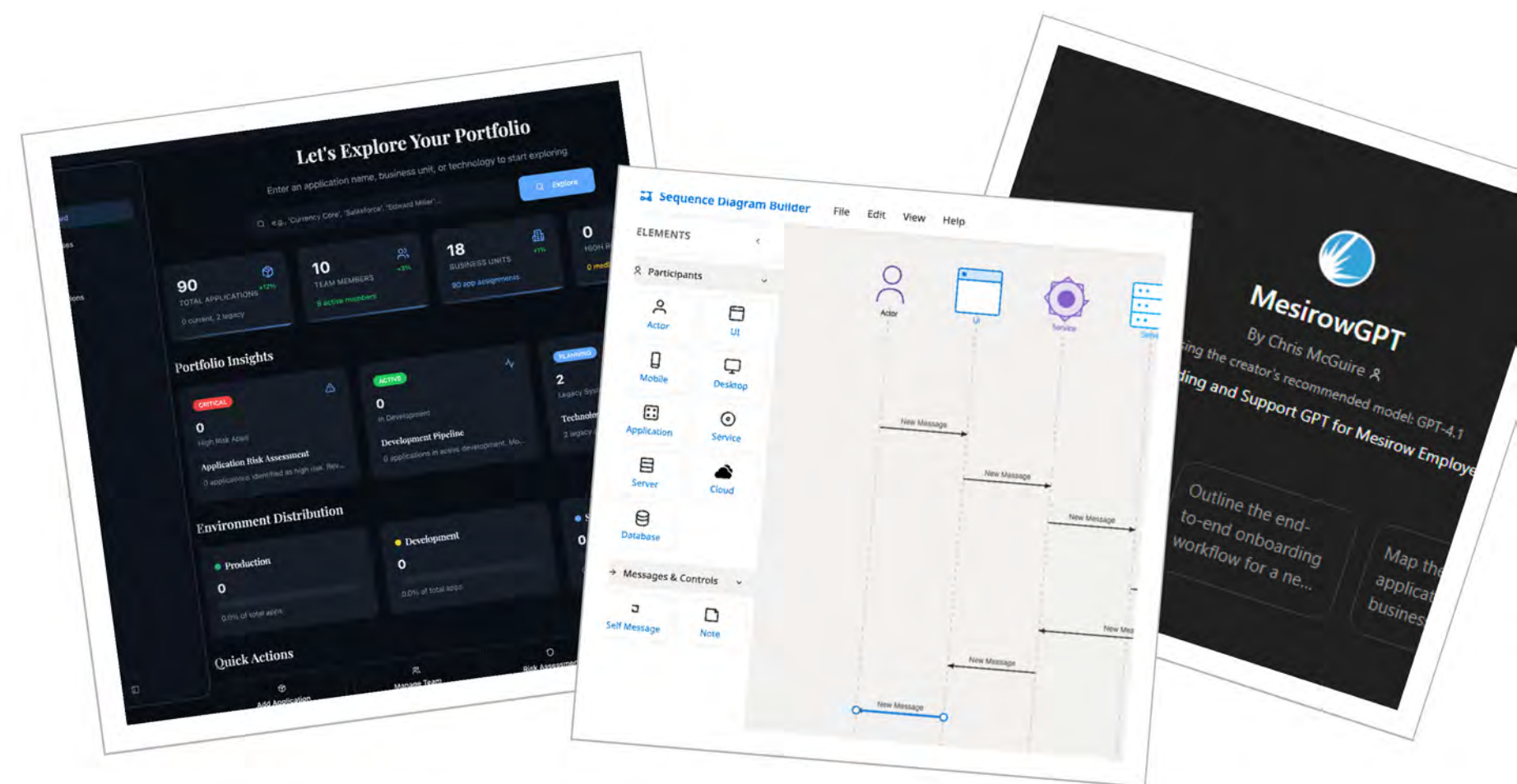
Explicit Prompting



Trained Model



Variety of Styles



Quick Execution

Generative-AI advances have allowed for the quick generation of code requirements and application development in a fraction of the time

LET'S WORK Together

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GREAT PRODUCTS START
WITH GREAT CONVERSATIONS.
IF YOU'RE BUILDING
SOMETHING WITH PURPOSE,
I'D LOVE TO BE PART OF IT.

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YOU

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