# Week 4: Mini Project

This notebook will guide you through smaller portions of your final project. For this notebook, we will be using the Abalone dataset from the <a href="UCI Machine Learning Repository">UCI Machine Learning Repository</a> (https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Abalone) (originating from the Marine Research Laboratories – Taroona). This dataset should already be in your folder (under abalone.csv) or you can download it at the above link.



## **A Brief History of Abalones**

An abalone is a sea snail belonging to one of a range of 30 to 130 species (depending on which scientist you ask). It is commonly prized for its mother-of-pearl shell, pearls, and delicious flesh by a variety of cultures and has long been a valuable source of food in its native environments. Sadly, wild populations of abalone have been overfished and poached to the point where commercial farming supplies most of abalone flesh nowadays. It now sits on the list of current animals threatened by extinction.

Source: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Abalone (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Abalone)

### Part 1: Familiarize Yourself With the Dataset

The purpose of this dataset is to predict the age of an abalone through physical characteristics, determined by cutting the shell through the cone, staining it, and counting the number of rings through a microscope -- a boring and time-consuming task. Good thing it's already been done for us!

Below is the dataset description from the UCI Machine Learning Repository.

Name	Data Type	Measure	Description
Sex	nominal		M, F, and I (infant)
Length	continuous	mm	Longest shell measurement
Diameter	continuous	mm	perpendicular to length
Height	continuous	mm	with meat in shell
Whole weight	continuous	grams	whole abalone
Shucked weight	continuous	grams	weight of meat
Viscera weight	continuous	grams	gut weight (after bleeding)
Shell weight	continuous	grams	after being dried
Rings	integer		+1.5 gives the age in years

Run the cells below to examine the dataset.

```
In [1]: import numpy as np
   import pandas as pd
   import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
   import seaborn as sns

%matplotlib inline
```

```
In [2]: # Load Abalone dataset
        # Remember to change the file location if needed
        import csv
        f = open("abalone.csv")
        all_lines = csv.reader(f, delimiter = ',')
        # # We define a header ourselves since the dataset contains only the raw numbers.
        dataset = []
        header = ['Sex', 'Length', 'Diameter', 'Height', 'Whole Weight', 'Shucked Weight',
        'Viscera Weight',
                  'Shell Weight', 'Rings']
        for line in all_lines:
            d = dict(zip(header, line))
            d['Length'] = float(d['Length'])
            d['Diameter'] = float(d['Diameter'])
            d['Height'] = float(d['Height'])
            d['Whole Weight'] = float(d['Whole Weight'])
            d['Shucked Weight'] = float(d['Shucked Weight'])
            d['Viscera Weight'] = float(d['Viscera Weight'])
            d['Shell Weight'] = float(d['Shell Weight'])
            d['Rings'] = int(d['Rings'])
            dataset.append(d)
```

```
In [3]: # See first line of dataset
          dataset[0]
Out[3]: {'Sex': 'M',
           'Length': 0.455,
            'Diameter': 0.365,
            'Height': 0.095,
            'Whole Weight': 0.514,
            'Shucked Weight': 0.2245,
           'Viscera Weight': 0.101,
            'Shell Weight': 0.15,
            'Rings': 15}
In [4]: | df = pd.DataFrame(dataset)
In [5]:
         df
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          4177 rows × 9 columns
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In [6]:
       #df.to_csv("abalone.csv", index=False)
```

## Part 2: Simple Statistics

This dataset is already cleaned for us and relatively straightforward, without strings or time data. In your final project, you will have to take care of missing or tricky values yourself.

Fill in the following cells with the requested information about the dataset. The answers are given so you can check the output of your own code. For floating numbers, don't worry too much about the exact numbers as long as they are quite close -different systems may have different rounding protocols.

Feel free to import numpy if you want more practice with it, or just use Python's native structures to play around with the numbers.

```
In [7]: # Q: What is the total number of entries in the dataset?
        # A: 4177
        df.shape
Out[7]: (4177, 9)
```

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In [8]: # Q: What is the average length of an abalone?
         # A: 0.5239920995930099 or 0.524
         df["Length"].mean()
Out[8]: 0.5239920995930099
In [9]: # Q: What is the widest abalone in the dataset (diameter)?
         # A: 0.65
         df["Diameter"].max()
Out[9]: 0.65
In [10]: # Q: What is the average number of rings of smaller abalones compared to that of la
         rger abalones? That
             is, do smaller abalones tend to be younger or older than larger abalones?
             We will count small abalones as abalones with lengths less than or equal to th
         e average length of
         # an abalone. The average length of an abalone is 0.524.
         # A: Small Abalones have on average 8.315645514223196 rings.
             Large Abalones have on average 11.192848020434228 rings.
         df["Length"].value_counts()
Out[10]: 0.625
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               93
         0.580
               92
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         0.620
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         0.110
         0.135
                  1
         0.800
                  1
         0.815
                   1
         Name: Length, Length: 134, dtype: int64
In [11]: small = df[df["Length"] <= 0.524]</pre>
In [12]: small
Out [12]:
```

	Sex	Length	Diameter	Height	Whole Weight	Shucked Weight	Viscera Weight	Shell Weight	Rings
0	М	0.455	0.365	0.095	0.5140	0.2245	0.1010	0.1500	15
1	М	0.350	0.265	0.090	0.2255	0.0995	0.0485	0.0700	7
3	М	0.440	0.365	0.125	0.5160	0.2155	0.1140	0.1550	10
4	- 1	0.330	0.255	0.080	0.2050	0.0895	0.0395	0.0550	7
5	1	0.425	0.300	0.095	0.3515	0.1410	0.0775	0.1200	8
4165	1	0.405	0.300	0.085	0.3035	0.1500	0.0505	0.0880	7
4166	1	0.475	0.365	0.115	0.4990	0.2320	0.0885	0.1560	10
4167	М	0.500	0.380	0.125	0.5770	0.2690	0.1265	0.1535	9
4168	F	0.515	0.400	0.125	0.6150	0.2865	0.1230	0.1765	8
4169	М	0.520	0.385	0.165	0.7910	0.3750	0.1800	0.1815	10

1828 rows × 9 columns

```
In [13]: abgeSmall = small["Rings"].mean()
```

## **Part 3: Data Visualizations**

In this course, we learned about <u>Matplotlib (https://matplotlib.org)</u>, a "Python 2D plotting library which produces publication quality figures in a variety of hardcopy formats and interactive environments across platforms". There are a <u>variety of plots and figures (https://matplotlib.org/gallery/index.html)</u> we can make with Matplotlib, and in conjunction with NumPy, becomes a powerful and versatile tool in your skillset.

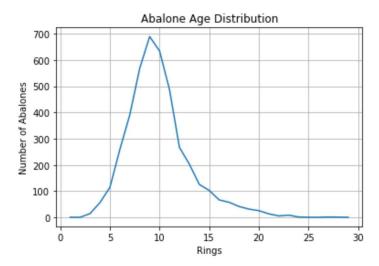
In lectures, we covered the basics of line plots, histograms, scatter plots, bar plots, and box plots. Let's try out a few below.

```
In [18]: # import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# from matplotlib import colors
# import numpy
from collections import defaultdict
```

#### **Line Plots**

Line plots show the change in data over time. The example Line Plot below plots the change in density as abalones age (i.e. the distribution of rings). Note that a line plot is not necessarily the best way to show this data since it doesn't deal with a trend! Use a histogram (next step) to better showcase this data.

Out[19]: [<matplotlib.lines.Line2D at 0x28c8ff7dcd0>]



## **Histograms**

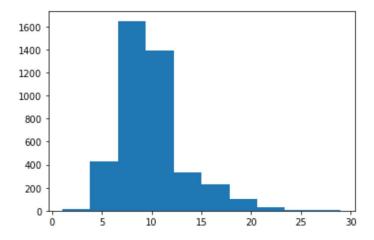
Histograms show the distribution of numeric continuous variables with central tendency and skewness. **Using the line plot data from above**, **plot a histogram showing the distribution of abalone age.** Feel free to explore <u>matplotlib</u> (https://matplotlib.org/gallery/index.html) on your own to customize your histogram and the following visualizations.

```
In [20]: # Complete this cell with a histogram of abalone age distribution

# Flatten distribution list into frequency distribution
age_freq = []
for key in abalone_rings.keys():
    for i in range(0, abalone_rings.get(key)):
        age_freq.append(key)
print(age_freq[:10])

# Plot your histogram here
plt.hist(age_freq)
plt.show()
```

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[1, 2, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3]
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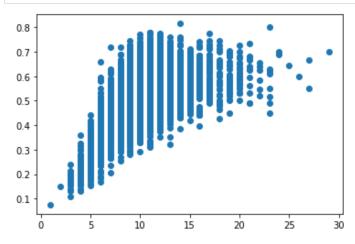


#### **Scatter Plots**

Scatter plots show the strength of a relationship between two variables (also known as correlations). From *Part 2: Simple Statistics*, we see that larger abalones tend to be larger, at least from a numbers perspective. **Let's see if this is actually true by creating a scatter plot showing the relationship between Rings and Length**.

On Your Own: Read up on sciPy and how you can calculate and graph the correlation as well.

```
In [21]: # Complete this cell with a scatter plot of age vs length
    rings = [d['Rings'] for d in dataset]
    length = [d['Length'] for d in dataset]
    plt.scatter(x=rings, y=length)
    plt.show()
```

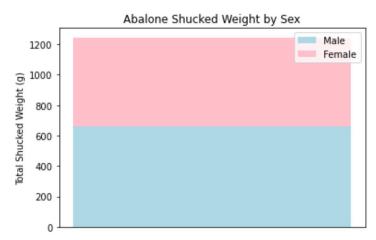


### **Bar Plots**

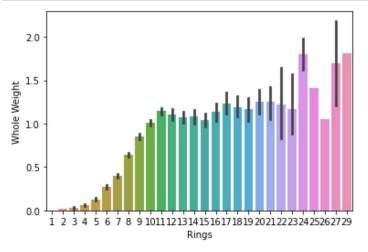
Bar plots are great for comparing categorical variables. There are a few subtypes of bar plots, such as the grouped bar chart or stacked bar chart. Since we have the Sex field to play with, we can compare data across M and F abalones. Below is a simple stacked bar chart comparing the Sex category with the Shucked Weight data. Create a bar chart of your choice of data.

You may refer to the cell below to parse out fields by sex.

```
In [22]: # Example Stacked Bar Chart - Comparisons Between Sexes
         Mweight = sum([d['Shucked Weight'] for d in dataset if d['Sex'] is 'M'])
         Fweight = sum([d['Shucked Weight'] for d in dataset if d['Sex'] is 'F'])
         index = [1]
         p1 = plt.bar(index, Mweight, color='lightblue')
         p2 = plt.bar(index, Fweight, bottom=Mweight, color='pink')
         plt.gca().set(title='Abalone Shucked Weight by Sex', ylabel='Total Shucked Weight
         (q)');
         plt.xticks([])
         plt.legend((p1[0], p2[0]), ('Male', 'Female'))
         plt.show()
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         ean "=="?
           Mweight = sum([d['Shucked Weight'] for d in dataset if d['Sex'] is 'M'])
         <ipython-input-22-26d7a4a33d97>:3: SyntaxWarning: "is" with a literal. Did you m
         ean "=="?
           Fweight = sum([d['Shucked Weight'] for d in dataset if d['Sex'] is 'F'])
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```
In [23]: # Complete this cell with your choice of data
    sns.barplot(x="Rings", y="Whole Weight", data=df)
    plt.show()
```



#### **Box Plots**

Length

Box plots are useful for comparing distributions of data and are commonly found in research papers. The box portion of a box plot represents 50% of the data, and there are versions where you can mark outliers and other extremes. We have the distribution of rings already from the line plot example under the variable name <code>age\_freq</code>, assuming you haven't modified it. Find the distribution of another field of your choice and create one or more box plots with both of these fields.

Hint: You can plot multiple box plots with the command <code>plt.boxplot([plot1, plot2, ..., plotn])</code> or use <code>subplots()</code> to draw multiple separate plots at the same time. See <code>this matplotlib example (https://matplotlib.org/gallery/statistics/boxplot demo.html#sphx-glr-gallery-statistics-boxplot-demo-py) for more.</code>

Whole Weight

Shucked Weight

Viscera Weight

Shell Weight

Rings

Height

## Free Response (optional)

Experiment and create visualizations of your own here.

```
In [26]: # Description of visualization
```

## Part 4: Web Scraping (Optional)

**BeautifulSoup Documentation:** <a href="https://www.crummy.com/software/BeautifulSoup/bs4/doc/">https://www.crummy.com/software/BeautifulSoup/bs4/doc/</a> (<a href="https:

This part of the notebook is not graded, but still contains some valuable tips for web-scraping! You were introduced to a method of creating your own dataset by parsing a webpage in lecture videos and this week's notebook. Here is another way to parse a webpage with BeautifulSoup. We will be using a short story from Project Gutenberg (<u>Little Boy</u> (<a href="http://www.gutenberg.org/files/58743/58743-h/58743-h.htm">http://www.gutenberg.org/files/58743/58743-h/58743-h.htm</a>) by Harry Neal, 1954) as an example.

On Your Own: Read this page on webscraping and try out a project! <a href="https://automatetheboringstuff.com/chapter11/">https://automatetheboringstuff.com/chapter11/</a> (https://automatetheboringstuff.com/chapter11/)

## **Introduction to Beautiful Soup**

Below are a few useful commands we will be using throughout the next section as we parse a webpage.

```
In [27]: from urllib.request import urlopen
    from bs4 import BeautifulSoup

In [28]: # Open and extract HTML from the webpage
    f = urlopen("http://www.gutenberg.org/files/58743/58743-h/58743-h.htm")
    html = str(f.read())

# First 100 characters of the HTML we grabbed
html[:100]

Out[28]: 'b\'<!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD XHTML 1.0 Strict//EN"\\r\n "http://ww
    w.w3.org/TR/xhtml1/DTD/x'</pre>
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In [29]: # Convert our HTML object to a BeautifulSoup object and make it readable
 soup = BeautifulSoup(html, 'html.parser')
 print(soup.prettify())

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LITTLE BOY

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  There are times when the animal in Mankind
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He dropped over the stone wall and flattened to the ground. He looked\r\nwari ly about him like a young wolf, head down, eyes up. His name was\r\nSteven—but he\'d forgotten that. His face was a sunburned, bitter,\r\nfilthy eleven—year—old face—tight lips, lean cheeks, sharp blue\r\neyes with startlingly clear whites. His clothes were rags—a pair of\r\ncorduroy trousers without any knees; a man\'s white shirt, far too big\r\nfor him, full of holes, stained, reeking with sweat; a pair of dirty\r\nbrown sneakers.

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He lay, knife in hand, and waited to see if anyone had seen him coming\r\nover the wall or heard his almost soundless landing on the weedgrown\r\ndirt.

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Above and behind him was the grey stone wall that ran along Central\r\nPark W est all the way from Columbus Circle to the edge of Harlem.\r\nHe had jumped ove r just north of 72nd Street. Here the park was\r\nconsiderably below street leve l—the wall was about three feet high on\r\nthe sidewalk side and about nine feet high on the park side. From where\r\nhe lay at the foot of the wall only the jag ged, leaning tops of the\r\nshattered apartment buildings across the street were visible. Like the\r\nteeth of a skull\'s smile they caught the late afternoon su nlight that\r\ndrifted across the park.

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For five minutes Steven had knelt motionless on one of the cement\r\nbenches on the other side of the wall, just the top of his head and his\r\neyes protruding over the top. He had seen no one moving in the park.\r\nEvery few seconds he had looked up and down the street behind him to\r\nmake sure that no one was sne aking up on him that way. Once he had\r\nseen a man dart out halfway across the street, then wheel and vanish\r\nback into the rubble where one whole side of an apartment house had\r\ncollapsed into 68th Street.

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  Steven knew the reason for that. A dozen blocks down the street, from\r\narou
nd Columbus Circle, had come the distant hollow racket of a pack of\r\ndogs.
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  Then he had jumped over the wall-partly because the dogs might head\r\nthis w
ay, partly because the best time to move was when you couldn\'t\r\nsee anyone el
se. After all, you could never be
  <i>>
   sure
   </i>
  that no one was\r\nseeing
   you
  </i>
   . You just moved, and then you waited to see if anything\r\nhappened. If some
one came at you, you fought. Or ran, if the other\r\nlooked too dangerous.
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  No one came at him this time. Only a few days ago he\'d come into the\r\npark
and two men had been hidden in the bushes a few yards from the\r\nwall. They\'d
been lying very still, and had covered themselves with\r\nleaves, so he hadn\'t
seen them; and they 'd been looking the other way, \r\nwaiting for someone to com
e along one of the paths or through the\r\ntrees, so they hadn\'t seen him looki
ng over the wall.
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  The instant he\'d landed, they were up and chasing him, yelling that if\r\nh
e'd drop his knife and any food he had they'd let him go. He dropped'r'nthe kn
ife, because he had others at home-and when they stopped to paw\r\nfor it in the
leaves, he got away.
  \r\n\r\n
  Now he got into a crouching position, very slowly. His nostrils dilated\r\nas
he sniffed the breeze. Sometimes you knew men were near by their\r\nsmell-the on
es who didn\'t stand outside when it rained and scrub the\r\nsmell off them.
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  He smelled nothing. He looked and listened some more, his blue eyes\r\nhard a
nd bright. He saw nothing except trees, rocks, bushes, all\r\ncrowded by thick w
eeds. He heard nothing except the movement of\r\ngreenery in the afternoon breez
e, the far off baying of the dog pack, \r\nthe flutter of birds, the scamper of a
squirrel.
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  He whirled at the scamper. When he saw that it was a squirrel, he\r\nlicked h
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is lips, almost tasting it. But it was too far away to kill\r\nwith the knife, a nd he didn\'t want to risk stoning it, because that\r\nmade noise. You stoned sq uirrels only after you\'d scouted all around,\r\nand even then it was dangerous—someone might hear you anyway and sneak\r\nup and kill you for the squirrel, or for anything else you had, or just\r\nkill you—there were some men who did that. Not for guns or knives or\r\nfood or anything else that Steven could see ... the y just killed, and\r\nhowled like dogs when they did it. He\'d watched them. The y were the men\r\nwith the funny looks in their eyes—the ones who tried to get y

In a half-crouch Steven started moving deeper into the park, pausing\r\neach

ou to\r\ncome close to them by pretending to offer you food or something.

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time he reached any cover to look around. He came to a long green\r\nslope and w ent down it soundlessly, stepping on rocks whenever he\r\ncould. He crossed the weedgrown bridle path, darting from the shelter\r\nof a bush on one side to pres s against the trunk of a tree on the other.

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He moved so silently that he surprised another squirrel on the tree\r\ntrunk. In one furious motion Steven had his knife out of his belt, and\r\nsliced it at the squirrel so fast the blade went

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in the air—but\r\nthe squirrel was faster. It scurried up out of reach, and the knife\r\njust clipped off the end of its tail. It went higher, and out onto a\r\nbranch, and chittered at him. It was funny about squirrels—they didn\'t\r\n seem to feel anything in their tails. Once he\'d caught one that way,\r\nand it had twisted and run off, leaving the snapped-off tail in his\r\nhand.

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Dogs weren't that way—once he'd fought a crippled stray from a pack,\r\nand he'd got it by the tail and swung it around and brained it on a\r\nlamppost.

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Steven had some dim, almost dreamlike memory of dogs that acted\r\nfriendly, dogs that didn\'t roam the streets in packs and pull you\r\ndown and tear you ap art and eat you alive; and he had a memory of the\r\nsquirrels in the park being so tame that they\'d eat right out of your\r\nhand....

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But that had been a long, long time ago—before men had started hunting $\r$  irrels, and sometimes dogs, for food, and dogs had started hunting $\r$  nmen.

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Steven turned south and paralleled the bridle path, going always\r\nwherever the cover was thickest, moving as silently as the breeze.\r\nHe was going no pla ce in particular—his purpose was simply to see\r\nsomeone before that someone sa w him, to see if the other had anything\r\nworth taking, and, if so, take it if possible. Also, he\'d try to get a\r\nsquirrel.

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Far ahead of him, across the bridle path and the half-mile or so of\r\ntree-c lumped park that lay beyond, was Central Park South—a sawtoothed\r\nridge of gre y-white rubble. And beyond that lay the ruin of midtown\r\nManhattan. The bomb h ad exploded low over 34th Street and Seventh\r\nAvenue that night six years ago, and everything for a mile in every\r\ndirection had been leveled in ten seconds. The crater started at around\r\n26th and sloped down to where 34th had been and then up again to 40th,\r\nand it glowed at night. It wasn\'t safe to go down aro und the crater,\r\nSteven knew. He\'d heard some men talking about it—they\'d sa id that\r\nanyone who went there got sick; something would go wrong with their\r\nskin and their blood, and they\'d start glowing too, and die.

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Steven had understood only part of that. The men had seen him and\r\nchased h

im. He\'d gotten away, and since then had never ventured below\r\nCentral Park S
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It was a "war", they 'd said. He didn 't know much about that either ... \r\nw ho was winning, or had won, or even if it was still being fought. He\r\nhad only the vaguest notion of what a war was-it was some kind of\r\nfight, but he didn\' t think it was over food. Someone had "bombed" the \r\ncity-once he had heard a m an call the city a "country"—and that was\r\nabout as early as he could remember anything. In his memory was the\r\nflash and roar of that night and, hours befor e that, cars with loud\r\nvoices driving up and down the streets warning everybo dy to get out of\r\nthe city because of the "war". But Steven\'s father had been drunk that\r\nnight, lying on the couch in the living room of their apartment on the\r\nupper west side, and even the bomb hadn\'t waked him up. The cars with\r\ nthe voices had waked Steven up; he\'d gone back to sleep after a while,\r\nand then the bomb had waked him up again. He\'d gone to the window and\r\nclimbed ou t onto the fire escape, and seen the people running in the\r\nstreet, and listen ed to all the screaming and the steady rumble of\r\nstill-falling masonry, and w atched the people on foot trample each\r\nother and people in cars drive across the bodies and knock other people\r\ndown and out of the way, and still other pe ople jump on the cars and \r\npull out the drivers and try to drive away themselv es until someone\r\npulled

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out.... Steven had watched, fascinated, because it was\r\nmore exciting than anything he\'d ever seen, like a movie. Then a man\r\nhad stood under the fire e scape, holding up his arms, and shouted up\r\nat Steven to jump for God\'s sake, little boy, and that had frightened\r\nSteven and he went back inside. His fathe r had always told him never to\r\nplay with strangers.

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Next afternoon Steven\'s father had gotten up and gone downstairs to\r\nget a drink, and when he saw what had happened, he\'d come back making\r\nchoked noise s in his throat and saying over and over again, "Everybody\r\nworth a damn got o ut ... now it\'s a jungle ... all the scum left, like\r\nme—and the ones they hu rt, like you, Stevie..." He\'d put some cans of\r\nfood in a bag and started to take Steven out of the city, but a madman\r\nwith a shotgun had blown the side o f his head off before they\'d gone\r\nfive blocks. Not to get the food or anything ... looting was going on\r\nall over, but there wasn\'t any food problem yet ... the man was just\r\none of the ones who killed for no reason at all. There\'d been a lot\r\nlike that the first few weeks after the bomb, but most of them h adn\'t\r\nlasted long—they wanted to die, it looked like, about as much as they\r\nwanted to kill.

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Steven had gotten away. He was five years old and small and fast on his\r\nfe et, and the madman missed with the other barrel.

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Steven had fled like an animal, and since then had lived like one. He\'d\r\ns tayed away from the men, remembering how his father had looked with\r\nhalf a he

ad—and because the few times men had seen him, they\'d chased\r\nhim; either the y were afraid he\'d steal from them, or they wanted his\r\nknife or belt or some thing. Once or twice men had shouted that they\r\nwouldn\'t hurt him, they only wanted to help him—but he didn\'t believe\r\nthem. Not after seeing his father t hat way, and after the times they\r\nhad tried to kill him.

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He watched the men, though, sneaking around their fires at\r\nnight-sometimes because he was lonely and, later on, hoping to find\r\nscraps of food. He saw ho w they lived, and that was the way he lived\r\ntoo. He saw them raid grocery sto res-he raided the stores after they\r\nleft. He saw them carrying knives and gun s-he found a knife and\r\ncarried it; he hadn\'t yet found a gun. They ran from the dogs; he\r\nlearned to run from them, after seeing them catch a man once. Th e men\r\nraided other stores, taking clothes and lots of things whose use Steve n\r\ndidn\'t understand. Steven took some clothes at first, but he didn\'t\r\nca re much about what he wore-both his shirt and his heavy winter coat\r\nhad come from dead men. He found toy stores, and had a lot of toys. The \r\nmen collected and hoarded wads of green paper, and sometimes fought\r\nand killed each other o ver it. Steven vaguely remembered that it was\r\ncalled "money", and that it was very important. He found it too, here\r\nand there, in dead men\'s pockets, in b oxes with sliding drawers in\r\nstores-but he couldn\'t find any use for it, so his hoard of it lay\r\nhidden in the hole in the floor under the pile of blanket s that was his\r\nbed.

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Eventually he saw the men begin to kill for food, when food became\r\nscarce. When that happened—the food scarcity, and the killing—many\r\nof the men left th e city, going across the bridges and through the\r\ntunnels under the rivers, he ading for the "country".

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  He didn\'t follow them. The city was all he\'d ever known.

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He stayed. Along with the men who said they\'d rather stay in the city\r\nwhe re there was still plenty of food for those who were willing to hunt\r\nhard and sometimes kill for it, and, in addition, beds to sleep in,\r\nrooms for protecti on from the weather and dogs and other men, all the\r\nclothes you could wear, a nd lots of other stuff just lying around for\r\nthe taking.

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He stayed, and so he learned to kill, when necessary, for his food.\r\nHe had six knives, and with them he\'d killed men higher than he could\r\ncount. He was good at hiding—in trees, in hallways, behind bushes,\r\nunder cars—and he was sm all enough to do a good job of trailing when\r\nhe saw somebody who looked as th ough they were carrying food in their\r\npockets or in the bags almost everyone carried. And he knew where to\r\nstrike with the knife.

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His home was the rubble of an apartment building just north of Columbus\r\nCi rcle, on Broadway. No one else lived there; only he knew the way\r\nthrough the broken corridors and fallen walls and piles of stone to\r\nhis room on the seven th floor. Every day or so he went out into the\r\npark—to get food or anything a t all he could get that he wanted. He\r\nwas still looking for a gun. Food was t he main thing, though; he had\r\nlots of cans up in his room, but he\'d heard en ough of the men\'s talk to\r\nknow that it was wise to use them only when you di dn\'t have anything\r\nelse, and get what you could day by day.

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And, of course, there was water-when it didn\'t rain or snow for a\r\nwhile, he had to get water from the lakes in the park.  $\r\n\$ > That was hard sometimes. You could go two or three days without water, \r\neve n if you went to one of the lakes and stayed hidden there all day,  $\$  it might be that long before a moment came when no one was near\r\nenough to kill y ou when you made your dash from the bushes and filled\r\nyour pail and dashed ba ck. There were more skeletons around the lakes\r\nthan anyplace.  $\r\rangle n\r\rangle n$ <hr class="tb"/>  $\r\n\r\n$ > The dogs were coming up Central Park West. Their racket bounced off the\r\nbr oken buildings lining the street, and came down into the park, and\r\neven the s quirrels and birds were quieter, as if not wanting to attract\r\nattention.  $\r\n\r\n$ > Steven froze by the bole of a tree, ready to climb if the dogs came\r\nover t he wall at him. He''d done that once before. You climbed up and \r\nwaited while the dogs danced red-eyed beneath you, until they heard  $or\r\$ e, and then they were off, bounding hungrily after\r\nthe new quarry. They\'d le arned that men in trees just didn\'t come down.  $\r\n\r\n$ <n> The dogs passed the point in the park where Steven waited. He knew from\r\nth e sound that they weren't after anybody-just prowling. The howls and \r\nsnarls and scratchy sounds of nails on concrete faded slowly.  $\r\n\$ > Steven didn't move until they were almost inaudible in the distance.  $\r\n\r\n$ > Then, when he did move, he took only one step-and froze again. <q\>  $\r \n \r \n$ > Someone was coming toward him.  $\r\n\$ Just a shadow of a motion, a whisper of sound, a breath-someone was\r\ncoming along the path on the other side of the bushes.  $\r\n\r\n$ Steven\'s lips curled back to reveal decayed teeth. He brought out his\r\nkni fe from his belt and stood utterly still, waiting for the steps\r\nto go on so h e could trail along behind his quarry, off to one side, \r\njudging the other\'s stature from glimpses through the bushes, and\r\nascertaining whether he was car rying anything worth killing him for.  $\r\n\r\n$ <q> But the footsteps didn't pass. They stopped on the other side of the\r\nbush

es. Then leaves rustled as whoever it was bent to come through\r\nthe bushes. St even hugged his tree trunk, and saw a short thin figure\r\ncoming toward him thr ough the green leaves, a bent-over figure. He\r\nraised the knife, started to br ing its point down in the short arc that\r\nwould end in the back of the other\' s neck...

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  He dropped the knife.
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  Wide-eyed, not breathing, he stared at her.
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  Knife in hand, its point aimed at his belly, she stared back.
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  She was dressed in a man\'s trousers, torn off at the ankles, and a\r\nyellow
blouse that might have belonged to her mother, and new-looking\r\nshoes she must
have found, or killed for, only a week or so ago. Her\r\nface was as sunburned a
nd dirty as his.
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  A squirrel chittered over their heads as they stared at each other.
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  Steven noted expertly that she seemed to be carrying no food and had\r\nno gu
n. No one with a gun would carry a drawn knife.
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  She still held the knife ready, though the point had drooped. She\r\nmoistene
d her lips.
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  He wondered if she would attack. He obviously didn\'t have any food\r\neithe
r, so maybe she wouldn\'t. But if she did-well, she was only a\r\nlittle larger
than he was; he could probably kill her with her own\r\nknife, though he might e
ven get his own knife from the ground before\r\nshe got to him.
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  But it was a
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   , he knew ... without knowing exactly what a woman\r\nwas, or how he knew. Th
e hair was long-but then, some of the men\'s\r\nhair was long too. It was someth
ing different-something about the face\r\nand body. He hadn\'t seen many women,
and certainly never one as little\r\nas this, but he knew that\'s what it was. A
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  Once he'd seen some men kill another man who'd killed a woman for her'r\nfo
od. By their angry shouts he knew that killing a woman was different\r\nsomehow.
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  And he remembered a woman. And a word: mother. A face and a word, a\r\nvoice
and a warmth and a not-sour body smell ... she was dead. He\r\ndidn\'t remember
who had killed her. Somehow he thought she had been\r\nkilled
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  the "bomb" fell; but he\r\ncouldn\'t remember very well, and didn\'t know how
she\'d been killed or\r\neven why people had killed each other in those days....
Not for food, \r\nhe thought; he could remember having plenty to eat. Another wor
d:\r\ncancer. His father had said it about his mother. Maybe somebody had\r\nkil
led her to get that, instead of food. Anyway, somebody had killed\r\nher, becaus
e she was dead, and people didn\'t just
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  Seeing a
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  , and such a little one \dots it had startled him so much\r\nhe had dropped his
knife.
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  But he could still kill her if he had to.
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  She stirred, her eyes wide on his. She moved just an inch or so.
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  Steven crouched, almost too fast to see, and his knife was in his hand, \r\nre
ady from this position to get in under her stab and cut her belly\r\nopen.
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  She made a strangled sound and shook her head.
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  Steven pulled his swing, without quite knowing why. He struck her knife\r\nou
t of her hand with his blade, and it went spinning into the leaves.
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  He took a step toward her, lips curled back.
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  She retreated two steps, and her back was against a tree trunk.
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  He came up to her and stood with his knife point pressing into her\r\nbelly j
ust above where the blouse entered the man\'s pants.
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  She whimpered and shook her head and whimpered again.
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  He scowled at her. Looked her up and down. She was wearing a tarnished\r\nrin
g on her right hand, with a stone that sparkled. He liked it. He\r\ndecided to k
ill her. He pressed the knifepoint harder, and twisted.
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  She said, "Little boy-" and started to cry.
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  Memories assailed Steven:
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   Jump for God\'s sake, little boy....
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  Distrust. Kill her.
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   My little boy ... my son....
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  His knifepoint wavered. He scowled.
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   Don\'t run away, little boy-we won\'t hurt you....
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  Kill.
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  Tears were rolling down her cheeks.
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   My son, my baby ... I\'m crying because I have to go away for a long\r\ntim
e....
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  Steven stepped back. She was weaponless, and a
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  -whatever that\r\nwas.
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  Leaves rustled. Steven and the girl froze motionless.
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  It was only a squirrel in the bushes.
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  He bent silently, looked around under the leafy green bushes that\r\nsurround
ed them, almost at ground-level. If there had been men nearby, \r\nhe could have
seen their legs. He saw nothing. He kept one eye on the\r\ngirl as he bent. She
wasn\'t crying, now that he\'d taken the knife away.\r\nShe was watching him and
rubbing her belly where he\'d pressed it.
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  When he straightened, she took a step away from the tree, moving as\r\nsilent
ly as he ever had. Suddenly she stooped to pick up her knife, \r\nmade a slashing
motion at the ground with it, looked up at him.
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  He was in mid-air. On her. She flattened beneath him with a squeal. She\r\nwa
s stronger than he was, and experienced. She brought her knife back\r\nover her
shoulder, and if he hadn't ducked his head it would have laid\r\nhis face open.
When she brought it down for another try, he clubbed the\r\nback of her hand wit
h the hilt of his knife, and she gasped and dropped\r\nit.
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  Astride her, he raised his knife to kill her. She was pointing with\r\nher le
ft hand, frantically, at something that lay on the ground\r\nbeside them, and sa
ying, "No, no, little boy, no, no-" Then she just\r\nwhimpered, knowing that his
knife was poised, and kept stabbing her\r\nfinger at the ground. Because she was
helpless, he paused, looked, and\r\nsaw a squirrel lying there, head bleeding.
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  He understood. She hadn't been trying to kill him. She had seen the\r\nsquir
rel, and gotten it.
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  He decided to kill her anyway. For the squirrel.
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   No, little boy-
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  He hesitated.
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   Friends
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  , little boy...."
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After a moment he rolled off her.
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  She sat up, cheeks tear-streaked. She pointed at the squirrel, then at\r\nSte
ven, and shook her head violently.
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  Knife threatening her, he reached out to pick up the squirrel.
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   Mine
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   , the knife said.
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  At that point the squirrel, which had been only momentarily stunned by\r\nher
blow, shook itself and scrambled for the bushes. His hand missed\r\nit by inche
s. He lunged for it, flat on his belly, and caught its tail\r\nwith one hand.
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  As another squirrel\'s tail had done long ago, this one broke off.
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  He lay there for a moment, snarling, the tail in his hand; and when\r\nhe tur
ned over, the girl had her knife in her hand and her teeth were\r\nbared at him.
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  Blue eyes blazing, he got to his feet, expecting her to attack any\r\nsecond.
He dropped the tail. He crouched to fight.
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  She didn\'t attack.
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  Nor, for some reason, did he.
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  The way her chapped lips were stretched back over her teeth disturbed\r\nhim
... or rather it unsettled him, because it
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  disturb him. At\r\nleast not the way a snarl did. It didn\'t put him on guar
d, every muscle\r\ntense; it didn\'t make him feel that he had to fight. She did
n\'t look\r\nangry or eager to have anything he had or ready to kill ... he did
n''t\n how the word for how she looked.
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  She weighed her knife in her hand. Then she struck it in her belt, and\r\nsai
d again, "
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   , little boy."
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  He stared. At her strange snarl that wasn't a snarl. At the knife she\r\nhad
put away. He had never seen anyone do that before.
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  Slowly he felt his own lips curl back into an expression he could\r\nhardly r
emember. He felt the way he felt sometimes late at night when, \r\nsafe and alone
in his room, he would play a little with his toys. He\r\ndidn\'t feel like killi
ng her any more. He felt like ... like
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  He looked at the squirrel tail lying on the ground. He worried it with\r\na f
oot, then kicked it away. It wasn't good to eat-and he thought of\r\nhow the sq
uirrel had looked scrambling off, and felt his lips stretch\r\ntighter.
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  He tried to think of the word. Finally it came.
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  "Funny squirrel," he said, through his tight lips.
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  He stuck his knife in his belt.
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  They stared at each other, feeling each other\'s pleasure at the\r\npeacemaki
ng.
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  She bent, picked up a small stone and flipped it at him. He made no\r\nattemp
t to catch it, and it struck him on the hip. He half-crouched, \r\ninstantly war
y, hand on knife. A thrown stone had only one meaning.
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  But she was still smiling, and she shook her head. "No, little boy,"\r\nshe s
aid. "
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   Play.
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   " She tossed another stone, high in the air.
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  He reached out and caught it as it descended.
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  He started to toss it back to her, and remembered only at the last\r\nmoment
not to hurl it at her head.
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He tossed it, and she missed it.
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  He grinned at her.
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  She tossed another one back at him, and he missed, and they both\r\ngrinned.
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  Then he grunted, remembering something from the dim past. He picked up\r\na s
mall fallen branch from the ground.
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  When he looked up, she was poised to run.
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  This time he shook his head, waving the stick gently. "Play," he said.
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  She threw another stone, eyes warily on the stick. He swung, missed.
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  He hit the next one, and the sharp crack, and the noise the stone\r\nmade rat
tling off into the bushes, flattened him to the ground, eyes\r\nsearching for si
gn of men.
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  She was beside him. He smelled her body and her breath.
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  They saw no one.
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  He looked at her lying beside him. She was grinning again.
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  Then she laughed; and, without knowing what he was doing or why-he\r\ncould h
ardly remember ever doing it before-he laughed too.
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  It felt good. Like the snarl that wasn't a snarl, only better. It\r\nseemed
to come from way inside. He laughed again, sitting up. He\r\nlaughed a third tim
e, tight hesitant sounds that came out of his throat\r\nand stretched his lips u
ntil they wouldn\'t stretch any more.
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  Tears were on his cheeks, and he was laughing very tightly, very\r\nsteadily,
and she was laughing the same way, and they lay that way for\r\na few minutes un
til they were trembling and their stomachs ached, and\r\nthe laughter was almost
crying.
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He saw her face, so close by, and felt an impulse. He rolled over and\r\nstar
ted to scuffle with her. When she realized that he wasn\'t trying to\r\nkill he
r, that he was playing, she scuffled back, rubbing his face in\r\nthe dirt harde
r than he had hers, because she was stronger.
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  He spat dirt and grass and grinned at her, and they fell apart.
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  Footsteps.
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  His knife was out and ready, and so was hers.
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  Legs moved on the other side of the bushes, stopped.
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  Silently, almost stepping between the leaves on the ground, Steven and\r\nthe
girl crawled out the other side of the bushes and took up positions\r\nagainst t
reetrunks, just enough of their heads protruding to see around.
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  A man came probing into the head-high bushes from the path side ...\r\nstood
there a moment looking around, only a vague brown shape through\r\nthe leaves.
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  He grunted, went out to the path again, walked on.
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  Steven and the girl followed him by his sounds, trailing about twenty\r\nfeet
behind, until Steven got a good look at him when he passed an open\r\nspace betw
een the bushes.
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  He was a big man in brownish-green clothes-new-looking clothes, not\r\nfull o
f holes. He walked almost carelessly, as if he didn\'t care who\r\nheard him.
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  And Steven saw the reason for that.
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  Men with guns always walked louder. This man wore a holstered gun at\r\nhis b
elt, and carried another one-a long gun something like a rifle, \r\nonly bulkier.
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  Steven\'s lips curled. He darted a look at the girl. Across his mind\r\nflash
ed the vague idea of sharing whatever the man had with her, but he\r\ndidn\'t kn
ow how to let her know.
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She was looking at the guns, eyes wide. Afraid. She shook her head.
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  Steven snarled silently at her, put a hand on her chest, shoved gently.
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  She stayed there as he moved on.
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  Silently he drifted from tree to tree, bush to bush, getting ahead of\r\nhis
quarry. The big man\'s shoes clumped noisily along. Steven had no\r\ntrouble tel
ling where he was.
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  At last Steven spotted a good tree, a thick-foliaged one about forty\r\nfeet
up the path, where the sun would be in the man\'s eyes.
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  If the man kept following the path-
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  He did.
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  And when he passed below the tree, Steven was waiting on the low branch\r\nth
at overhung the path-waiting with his face taut and his eyes staring\r\nand his
knife ready. One stab at the base of the skull, and the guns\r\nwould be his.
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  He jumped.
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  They brought them into the camp. By this time Steven and the girl had\r\nfoun
d that their captors were far too strong and too many to escape\r\nfrom, and qui
te adept at protecting themselves from the foulest of\r\nblows. But still the tw
o of them struggled now and then, panting like\r\nanimals.
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  Everything at the camp, which was over on Long Island, near Flushing\r\nBay,
was neat and trim and olive-drab, and it was almost evening now, \r\nand as the j
eep rolled up the avenue between the rows of tents Steven\r\nand the girl stoppe
d struggling to blink at the first artificial lights\r\nthey\'d seen in a very l
ong time.
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  In the lieutenant\'s tent, the big man Steven had tried to kill said to\r\nth
e man behind the desk, "Like a jaguar, sir. Right out of the tree\r\nhe came. I
had him spotted, of course, but he did a peach of a job of\r\ntrailing me. If I
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  been ready for him, I\'d be a dogtag."
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  The lieutenant looked at Steven and the girl, standing before him, and r \in \mathbb{R}
four soldiers who stood behind them, one to each strong dirty young\r\narm.
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  "The others got the girl, eh?" he said.
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  "Yessir. When we first heard \'em, I started making enough noise to\r\ncover
the rest of the boys." The sergeant grinned. "I swear, he came at\r\nme as neat
as any commando ever did."
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  "God," said the lieutenant, and closed his eyes for a moment. "What\r\na thin
g. Let this war be the last one, Sipich. So
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   this
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   is what\r\nhappened to New York in six years. Maniacs. Murderers. Worst of al
1, \r\nwolf-children. And the rest of the country...."
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  "Well, we\'re back now, sir. We can start putting it all back together-"
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  "God," said the lieutenant again. "Do you think the pieces will fit?"\r\nHe l
ooked at Steven. "What is your name, son?"
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  Steven snarled.
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  "Take them away," said the lieutenant wearily. "Feed them. Delouse\r\nthem. S
end them to the Georgia camp."
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  "They\'ll be okay, sir. In a year or so they\'ll be smiling all over the\r\np
lace, taking an interest in things. Kids are kids, sir."
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   Are
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  they?
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   These
  kids, Sipich? ... I don\'t know. I just don\'t\r\nknow."
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  The sergeant gave an order, and the four soldiers urged Steven and the \r\ngir
1 out of the tent. There was a bleat of pain as one of the children\r\nplaced a
kick.
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  The sergeant started to follow his men out. At the tent flaps he\r\npaused. "
Sir ... maybe you\'d like to know: we found these two because\r\nthey were playi
ng and laughing. We were scouting the park, and heard\r\nthem laughing."
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  "They were?" said the lieutenant, looking up from the forms he was\r\nfilling
out. "
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   Playing?
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  "It\'s still there, sir. Deep down. It has to be."
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  "I see," said the lieutenant slowly. "Yes, I suppose it is. And now\r\nwe\'ve
got to dig it up."
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  "Well ... we buried it, sir."
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With a BeautifulSoup object, we can easily search through HTML and create lists and other structures.

```
In [30]: # Number of paragraph tags
          len(soup.find_all('p'))
Out[30]: 165
In [31]: # Create list of all paragraphs
          paragraph_list = soup.find_all('p')
          paragraph_list[100]
Out[31]: Slowly he felt his own lips curl back into an expression he could\r\nhardly r
          emember. He felt the way he felt sometimes late at night when, \r and alone
          in his room, he would play a little with his toys. He\r\ndidn\'t feel like killi
          ng her any more. He felt like ... like <i>friends</i>.
We can also extract all the text from a page and use it to create a bag of words or other measures.
In [32]: # Extract all text from page
          text = soup.get_text()
          text[:100]
Out[32]: "b'\\r\\n\\r\\n
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                                    \\r\\n
                                               \\r\\n
                                                                      The Project Gutenberg
          eBook of Little Boy, by Harry Ne"
In [33]: import string
          from collections import defaultdict
          letters = defaultdict(int)
          punctuation = set(string.punctuation)
          for char in text:
              if char not in punctuation:
                  letters[char] += 1
          letters.items()
Out[33]: dict_items([('b', 594), ('r', 3484), ('n', 3772), (' ', 7958), ('T', 160), ('h',
          2175), ('e', 4876), ('P', 119), ('o', 2967), ('j', 115), ('c', 968), ('t', 361
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          ('V', 8), ('X', 2), ('Q', 1)])
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## **Creating Our Own Dataset**



In previous lectures and notebooks, we wrote our own parser method to extract parts of the text. Here is a trivial example of how you can do the same with BeautifulSoup using a list of <u>Top 10 Chefs by Gazette Review (https://gazettereview.com/2017/04/top-10-chefs/)</u>.

```
In [34]: # Open and extract HTML from the webpage
    f = urlopen("https://gazettereview.com/2017/04/top-10-chefs/")
    html = str(f.read())
    soup = BeautifulSoup(html, 'html.parser')
    print(soup.prettify())
```

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<!--[if IE 9]><html class="ie9" lang="en"> <![endif]-->
<!--[if qt IE 8]><!-->
<html lang="en-US">
 <!--<![endif]-->
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  Top 10 Chefs In The World - The Best in 2018 - Gazette Review
  </title>
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nd building their brands and make millions of dollars from food." name="descript
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or.userAgent) ) {\n
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rAgent.indexOf(\'Mac OS X\') ) {\n
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-is-os-x\';\n
                         } \n \n
                                          if ( /chrom(e | ium) /.test(navigator.use
                                          htmlTag.className += \' td-md-is-chrom
rAgent.toLowerCase()) ) {\n
                                   if ( -1 !== navigator.userAgent.indexOf(\'Fir
e\';\n
                  \n
                            htmlTag.className += \' td-md-is-firefox\';\n
efox\') ) {\n
                 if ( -1 !== navigator.userAgent.indexOf(\'Safari\') && -1 === n
avigator.userAgent.indexOf(\'Chrome\') ) {\n
                                                            htmlTag.className +=
\' td-md-is-safari\';\n
                                   }\n\n
                                                }) (); \n\n\n\n
                                                                       var tdLoc
alCache = {}; \\ n\n
                         (function () {\n
                                                      "use strict"; \n\n
tdLocalCache = {\n
                                  data: {},\n
                                                             remove: function (r
esource_id) {\n
                                   delete tdLocalCache.data[resource_id]; \n
},\n
                    exist: function (resource_id) {\n
tdLocalCache.data.hasOwnProperty(resource_id) && tdLocalCache.data[resource_id]
!== null; \n
                           },\n
                                               get: function (resource_id) {\n
return tdLocalCache.data[resource_id];\n
                                                        },\n
function (resource_id, cachedData) {\n
                                                          tdLocalCache.remove(re
source_id); \n
                                 tdLocalCache.data[resource_id] = cachedData;\n
} \ n
               };\n
                           })();\n\n
                                        \n
                                              \nvar td_viewport_interval_list=
[{"limitBottom":767,"sidebarWidth":228},{"limitBottom":1018,"sidebarWidth":30
0}, {"limitBottom":1140, "sidebarWidth":324}]; \nvar td_animation_stack_effect="typ
e0";\nvar tds_animation_stack=true;\nvar td_animation_stack_specific_selectors
=".entry-thumb, img";\nvar td_animation_stack_general_selectors=".td-animation-s
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tack img, .post img";\nvar td_ajax_url="https:\\/\\/gazettereview.com\\/wp-admi
n\\/admin-ajax.php?td_theme_name=Newspaper&v=7.4";\nvar td_get_template_director
y_uri="https:\\/\\/qazettereview.com\\/wp-content\\/themes\\/Newspaper";\nvar td
s_snap_menu="";\nvar tds_logo_on_sticky="";\nvar tds_header_style="";\nvar td_pl
ease_wait="Please wait...";\nvar td_email_user_pass_incorrect="User or password
incorrect!";\nvar td_email_user_incorrect="Email or username incorrect!";\nvar t
d_email_incorrect="Email incorrect!";\nvar tds_more_articles_on_post_enable="";\
nvar tds_more_articles_on_post_time_to_wait="";\nvar tds_more_articles_on_post_p
ages_distance_from_top=0;\nvar tds_theme_color_site_wide="#4db2ec";\nvar tds_sma
rt_sidebar="";\nvar tdThemeName="Newspaper";\nvar td_magnific_popup_translation_
tPrev="Previous (Left arrow key)";\nvar td_magnific_popup_translation_tNext="Nex
t (Right arrow key)";\nvar td_magnific_popup_translation_tCounter="%curr% of %to
tal%";\nvar td_magnific_popup_translation_ajax_tError="The content from %url% co
uld not be loaded.";\nvar td_magnific_popup_translation_image_tError="The image
#%curr% could not be loaded.";\nvar td_ad_background_click_link="";\nvar td_ad_b
ackground_click_target="";
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07-1">
    </script>
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sh(arguments);}\n gtag(\'js\', new Date());\n\n gtag(\'config\', \'UA-60151807
-1 \setminus ');
     </script>
    <noscript>
     <style type="text/css">
       .wpb_animate_when_almost_visible { opacity: 1; }
     </style>
    </noscript>
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     <meta content="76d9d0027d061b40ec8767bd8952c207" name="p:domain_verify"/>
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ormat-standard top-10-chefs wpb-js-composer js-comp-ver-4.12.1 vc_responsive td-
animation-stack-type0 td-full-layout" itemscope="itemscope" itemtype="https://sc
hema.org/WebPage">
     <div class="td-scroll-up">
      <i class="td-icon-menu-up">
      </i>
     </div>
     <div class="td-menu-background">
     </div>
     <div id="td-mobile-nav">
      <div class="td-mobile-container">
       <div class="td-menu-socials-wrap">
        <div class="td-menu-socials">
        </div>
        <div class="td-mobile-close">
         \n
         <a href="#">
          <i class="td-icon-close-mobile">
          </i>
         </a>
        </div>
       </div>
       <div class="td-mobile-content">
        <div class="menu-td-header-container">
         class="menu-item menu-item-type-post_type menu-item-object-page m
enu-item-home menu-item-first menu-item-12" id="menu-item-12">
           <a href="https://gazettereview.com/">
            Home
           </a>
          y menu-item-85" id="menu-item-85">
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<a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/us/">
           US
          </a>
          class="menu-item menu-item-type-taxonomy menu-item-object-categor"
y menu-item-86" id="menu-item-86">
          <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/world/">
           World
          </a>
          y menu-item-78" id="menu-item-78">
          <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/business/">
           Business
          </a>
          class="menu-item menu-item-type-taxonomy menu-item-object-categor"
y current-post-ancestor current-menu-parent current-post-parent menu-item-79" id
="menu-item-79">
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          </a>
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y menu-item-81" id="menu-item-81">
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           Health
          </a>
          class="menu-item menu-item-type-taxonomy menu-item-object-categor
y menu-item-82" id="menu-item-82">
          <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/science/">
           Science
          </a>
          y menu-item-83" id="menu-item-83">
          <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/sports/">
           Sports
          </a>
          class="menu-item menu-item-type-taxonomy menu-item-object-categor"
y menu-item-84" id="menu-item-84">
          <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/technology/">
           Technology
          </a>
          </div>
       </div>
      </div>
     </div>
     <div class="td-search-background">
     </div>
     <div class="td-search-wrap-mob">
      <div aria-labelledby="td-header-search-button" class="td-drop-down-searc</pre>
h">
       <form action="https://gazettereview.com/" class="td-search-form" method</pre>
="get">
        <div class="td-search-close">
         <a href="#">
          <i class="td-icon-close-mobile">
          </i>
         </a>
        </div>
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<div class="td-search-input" role="search">
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        <span>
        Search
        </span>
        \n
        <input autocomplete="off" id="td-header-search-mob" name="s" type="tex</pre>
t" value=""/>
       </div>
      </form>
      <div id="td-aj-search-mob">
      </div>
     </div>
     </div>
     <div id="td-outer-wrap">
     <div class="td-header-wrap td-header-style-1">
      <div class="td-header-top-menu-full">
       <div class="td-container td-header-row td-header-top-menu">
        <div class="top-bar-style-1">
         <div class="td-header-sp-top-menu">
         <div class="td_data_time">
          <di>17>
           Sunday, August 23, 2020
          </div>
         </div>
          <div class="menu-top-container">
          menu-item-home menu-item-first td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-714" id="me
nu-item-714">
            <a href="https://gazettereview.com">
            Home
            </a>
           td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-710" id="menu-item-710">
            <a href="https://gazettereview.com/about">
             About
            </a>
           td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-711" id="menu-item-711">
            <a href="https://gazettereview.com/our-team">
            Our Team
            </a>
           td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-712" id="menu-item-712">
            <a href="https://gazettereview.com/about">
             Careers
            </a>
           class="menu-item menu-item-type-post_type menu-item-object-pag
e td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-709" id="menu-item-709">
            <a href="https://gazettereview.com/contact/">
            Contact
            </a>
           </div>
         </div>
        </div>
        <div class="white-popup-block mfp-hide mfp-with-anim" id="login-form">
         <div class="td-login-wrap">
         <a class="td-back-button" href="#">
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<i class="td-icon-modal-back">
             </i>
            </a>
            <div class="td-login-form-div td-display-block" id="td-login-div">
             <div class="td-login-panel-title">
              Sign in
             </div>
             <div class="td-login-panel-descr">
              Welcome! Log into your account
             </div>
             <div class="td_display_err">
             </div>
             <div class="td-login-inputs">
              <input class="td-login-input" id="login_email" name="login_email"</pre>
required="" type="text" value=""/>
              <label>
               your username
              </label>
             </div>
             <div class="td-login-inputs">
              <input class="td-login-input" id="login_pass" name="login_pass" re</pre>
quired="" type="password" value=""/>
              <label>
               your password
              </label>
             </div>
             <input class="wpb_button btn td-login-button" id="login_button" nam</pre>
e="login_button" type="button" value="Login"/>
             <div class="td-login-info-text">
              <a href="#" id="forgot-pass-link">
               Forgot your password? Get help
              </a>
             </div>
            </div>
            <div class="td-login-form-div td-display-none" id="td-forgot-pass-di</pre>
v">
             <div class="td-login-panel-title">
              Password recovery
             </div>
             <div class="td-login-panel-descr">
              Recover your password
             </div>
             <div class="td_display_err">
             </div>
             <div class="td-login-inputs">
              <input class="td-login-input" id="forgot_email" name="forgot_email"</pre>
l" required="" type="text" value=""/>
              <label>
               your email
              </label>
             </div>
             \n
             <input class="wpb_button btn td-login-button" id="forgot_button" na</pre>
me="forgot_button" type="button" value="Send My Password"/>
             <div class="td-login-info-text">
              A password will be e-mailed to you.
             </div>
            </div>
           </div>
          </div>
         </div>
        <div class="td-banner-wrap-full td-logo-wrap-full">
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4/gazette-v2.png"/>
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           <span class="td-visual-hidden">
           Gazette Review
           </span>
           \n
          </a>
         </div>
         <div class="td-header-sp-recs">
          <div class="td-header-rec-wrap">
          </div>
         </div>
        </div>
       </div>
       <div class="td-header-menu-wrap-full">
        <div class="td-header-menu-wrap td-header-gradient">
         <div class="td-container td-header-row td-header-main-menu">
          <div id="td-header-menu" role="navigation">
           <div id="td-top-mobile-toggle">
            <a href="#">
            <i class="td-icon-font td-icon-mobile">
            </i>
            </a>
           </div>
           <div class="td-main-menu-logo td-logo-in-header">
            <a class="td-mobile-logo td-sticky-disable" href="https://gazettere</pre>
view.com/">
             \n
             <img alt="" class="td-retina-data" data-retina="https://gazetterev</pre>
iew.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/10/gazettemobile-retina.png" src="https://gazett
ereview.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/10/gazette-mobile.png"/>
            \n
            </a>
            \n
            <a class="td-header-logo td-sticky-disable" href="https://gazettere</pre>
view.com/">
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/04/gazette-v2.png"/>
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              Home
             </a>
             gory td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-85">
             <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/us/">
              US
             </a>
             class="menu-item menu-item-type-taxonomy menu-item-object-cate
gory td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-86">
             <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/world/">
              World
             </a>
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gory td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-78">
            <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/business/">
             Business
            </a>
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qory current-post-ancestor current-menu-parent current-post-parent td-menu-item
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            <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/entertainment/">
             Entertainment
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             Health
            </a>
            gory td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-82">
            <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/science/">
             Science
            </a>
            gory td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-83">
            <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/sports/">
             Sports
            </a>
            class="menu-item menu-item-type-taxonomy menu-item-object-cate
gory td-menu-item td-normal-menu menu-item-84">
            <a href="https://gazettereview.com/category/technology/">
             Technology
            </a>
            </div>
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         <div class="td-search-wrapper">
          <div id="td-top-search">
           <div class="header-search-wrap">
            <div class="dropdown header-search">
            <a class="dropdown-toggle" data-toggle="dropdown" href="#" id="td</pre>
-header-search-button" role="button">
             <i class="td-icon-search">
             </i>
             </a>
            \n
             <a class="dropdown-toggle" data-toggle="dropdown" href="#" id="td</pre>
-header-search-button-mob" role="button">
             <i class="td-icon-search">
             </i>
            </a>
            </div>
           </div>
          </div>
         </div>
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search">
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ethod="get">
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ext" value="">
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rch-top" type="submit" value="Search"/>
                </input>
               </div>
              </form>
              <div id="td-aj-search">
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        <div class="td-container td-post-template-default">
         <div class="td-crumb-container">
         </div>
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dard has-post-thumbnail hentry category-entertainment tag-chefs tag-cooking tag-
top-10 tag-toplists" id="post-65275" itemscope="" itemtype="https://schema.org/A
rticle">
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                Entertainment
                </a>
               <header class="td-post-title">
               <h1 class="entry-title">
               Top 10 Chefs In The World - The Best in 2018
               </h1>
               <div class="td-module-meta-info">
                <div class="td-post-author-name">
                <div class="td-author-by">
                 Bv
                </div>
                 Jessica Deml
                 <div class="td-author-line">
                </div>
                </div>
                <time datetime="2017-04-25T00:57:48-05:00">
                April 25th, 2017
                </time>
               </div>
              </header>
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              <div class="td-default-sharing">
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p://www.facebook.com/sharer.php?u=https%3A%2F%2Fgazettereview.com%2F2017%2F04%2F
top-10-chefs%2F" onclick="window.open(this.href, \'mywin\',\'left=50,top=50,widt
h=600, height=350, toolbar=0\'); return false; ">
                <i class="td-icon-facebook">
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</i>
                <div class="td-social-but-text">
                 Share on Facebook
                </div>
               </a>
               \n
               <a class="td-social-sharing-buttons td-social-twitter" href="http</pre>
s://twitter.com/intent/tweet?text=Top+10+Chefs+In+The+World+%E2%80%93+The+Best+i
n+2018&url=https%3A%2F%2Fqazettereview.com%2F2017%2F04%2Ftop-10-chefs%2F&am
p; via=gazettereview">
                <i class="td-icon-twitter">
                </i>
                <div class="td-social-but-text">
                 Tweet on Twitter
                </div>
               </a>
               \n
               <a class="td-social-sharing-buttons td-social-google" href="htt</pre>
p://plus.google.com/share?url=https://gazettereview.com/2017/04/top-10-chefs/" o
nclick="window.open(this.href, \'mywin\',\'left=50,top=50,width=600,height=350,t
oolbar=0\'); return false;">
                <i class="td-icon-googleplus">
                </i>
               </a>
               \n
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tp://pinterest.com/pin/create/button/?url=https://gazettereview.com/2017/04/top-
10-chefs/& media=https://gazettereview.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Gordon-
Ramsay.jpg&description=These chefs spend their entire lifetimes opening rest
aurants and building their brands and make millions of dollars from food." oncli
ck="window.open(this.href, \'mywin\',\'left=50,top=50,width=600,height=350,toolb
ar=0\'); return false;">
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                </i>
               </a>
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tsapp://send?text=Top+10+Chefs+In+The+World+%E2%80%93+The+Best+in+2018%20-%20htt
ps%3A%2F%2Fgazettereview.com%2F2017%2F04%2Ftop-10-chefs%2F">
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                </i>
               </a>
              </div>
             </div>
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oads/2017/04/Gordon-Ramsay.jpg">
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gazettereview.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Gordon-Ramsay-1068x601.jpg 1068w, h
ttps://gazettereview.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Gordon-Ramsay-747x420.jpg 74
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dsbygoogle.js">
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               <script>
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              </div>
              >
               For many people, food is more than just a biological need but a c
ompletely different experience. Some chefs are so passionate about food they ded
icate their lives to creating new sensory experiences. These chefs spend their e
ntire lifetimes opening restaurants and building their brands. As a result, thes
e chefs have become international icons and are respected by even those with a c
asual interest in food.
              < h2 >
               10. Anthony Bourdain
              </h2>
              >
               <img alt="" class="size-medium wp-image-65278 alignleft" height="</pre>
300" sizes="(max-width: 200px) 100vw, 200px" src="https://gazettereview.com/wp-c
ontent/uploads/2017/04/Anthony-Bourdain-200x300.jpg" srcset="https://gazetterevi
ew.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Anthony-Bourdain-200x300.jpg 200w, https://gaz
ettereview.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Anthony-Bourdain-280x420.jpg 280w, htt
ps://gazettereview.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Anthony-Bourdain.jpg 320w" wid
th="200"/>
               <hr/>
               \nIt\xe2\x80\x99s hard to believe that the world renowned chef, w
riter, and television personality Anthony Bourdain\xe2\x80\x99s career started o
ut with him washing dishes as a college dropout. He is now one of the most popul
ar travel and food personalities. Although he is no longer officially a chef, hi
s career spanned several decades. He was a chef at elite restaurants in New York
such as the Supper Club, Sullivan\xe2\x80\x99s, and One Fifth Avenue.
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               </ins>
               <script>
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               </script>
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               Bourdain has written several successful novels about his culinary
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7. Emeril Lagasse
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\nAlthough many elite chefs are only known by name to the public, Emeril Lagasse\xe2\x80\x99s loud and larger than life persona has made him an in ternational icon. Catchphrases such as  $\xe2\x80\x9cBam!\xe2\x80\x9d$  and  $\xe2\x80\x9ckick$  it up a notch\xe2\x80\x9d made him a hit with audiences from the begin ning.

His cooking style is a fusion of Creole and Cajun which he calls  $xe2\x80\x9cNew$  New Orleans $xe2\x80\x9d$ . His television appearances, restaurant s, and endorsements earn over \$150 million in revenue per year.

<h2>
6. Vikas Khanna
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\nMost famous Chefs are American or French, but Vikas Khanna is o ne of the first Indian Chefs to receive international acclaim. Since 2011, his m ain restaurant Junoon in New York City has received a Michelin star. Khanna has also collaborated with many other famous chefs.

Vikas Khanna is known for creating the most expensive cookbook in the world. The book was created over a span of 12 years and details the rich his tory of Indian cuisine. The book costs \$13,000, and only 12 have ever been made. Khanna has personally gifted it to famous people including Queen Elizabeth.

<h2>
5. Marco Pierre White </h2>

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\nBritish star chef Marco Pierre White permanently changed the way the world looked at food. By the age of 33, he had won three Michelin stars, making him the youngest chef to do so. He blends classical British, French, and I talian cooking together to create his unique style.

Marco Pierre White has been featured on popular shows like Master chef and  $Hell\xe2\x80\x99s$  Kitchen. White returned his stars later in his caree

r, citing negative impacts on his personal life. He is nonetheless highly respected.

<h2>
4. Heston Blumenthal
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\nMost chefs primarily focus on their food being beautiful and de licious. Blumenthal is one of the first chefs to take a scientific approach to c ooking. He also creates food that interacts with all of the senses. His unique a pproach to cooking has earned his restaurant, the Fat Duck, three Michelin star s.

The British chef $\times2\times80\times99$ s advocation for a scientific underst anding of food has earned him a spot as fellow in the Royal Society of Chemistr y. Blumenthal has also pioneered many unique recipes. He is known for pairing fo od with molecular similarities together, even if such pairings seem bizarre.

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\nAfter moving to the USA at age 24, Austrian celebrity chef and culinary innovator Wolfgang Puck was inspired. He created his own unique style of cooking that blended Italian and American cooking styles together with Califor nian ingredients. His first restaurant, Spago, received a large amount of critic al acclaim.

Wolfgang Puck has released multiple cookbooks and appeared on man y popular cooking shows. He has even acted in famous TV shows. In 2017, he was g iven a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame.

<h2>
2. Jamie Oliver
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\nBritish star Jamie Oliver is an icon in Britain and beyond. Unl

ike most chefs, his style of cooking is primarily British. His personality and s kill have earned him numerous endorsements and millions of dollars. He is primar ily known for his cooking shows and advocation of healthy eating.

In 2002, Oliver released the five part series  $Jamie\xe2\x80\x99s$  Kitchen. He is also the creator of The Naked Chef. Jamie Oliver has also pushed for healthy eating in schools. Oliver was the face of British supermarket chain Sainsbury\xe2\x80\x99s until 2005. He has been featured in hundreds of commercia ls.

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1. Gordon Ramsay
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\nWith a staggering net worth of over 60 million dollars and an u nparalleled international reach, Gordon ramsay is by far the most successful che f in the world. His restaurants have received a total of 16 Michelin Stars. Rams ay is known for his fiery hot attitude and zero tolerance approach to incompeten ce in the kitchen.

Despite his seemingly angry persona, Gordon Ramsay keeps his cool outside of the kitchen. He has actually retained 85% of his staff since the beginning of his career. He has also been married since 1996 and has five kids. Rams ay is the first chef to appoint female head chefs (Clare Smith and Angela Hartne tt) to a restaurant with three Michelin stars.

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                 just say the truth
                 </cite>
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                 </time>
                  \n
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                 <a>>
                 If the list is "who make more money " then yes but best ? Don'
t think so
                 </div>
                <div class="comment-meta" id="comment-9112">
                 <a aria-label="\'Reply" class="\'comment-reply-link\'" data-bel</pre>
owelement="comment-9112" data-commentid="9112" data-postid="65275" data-responde
lement="respond" href="\'#comment-9112\'" just="" rel="\'nofollow\'" say="" the
="" to="" truth\'="">
                 Reply
                 </a>
                </div>
               </article>
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<div class="comment-pagination">
            </div>
            <div class="comment-respond" id="respond">
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             LEAVE A REPLY
             <small>
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y-link" rel="nofollow" style="display:none;">
               Cancel reply
              </a>
             </small>
             </h3>
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s="comment-form" id="commentform" method="post" novalidate="">
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             </div>
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="b8c30cea33" name="b8c30cea33" placeholder="Comment:" rows="8"></textarea>
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mportant; white-space: nowrap; height: 1px; width: 1px; overflow: hidden; "tabindex="-1"
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"id", "comment");
              </script>
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ize="30" type="text" value=""/>
              </span>
              <span class="comment-req-wrap">
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ze="30" type="text" value=""/>
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consent" type="checkbox" value="yes">
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                Save my name, email, and website in this browser for the next
time I comment.
               </label>
              </input>
             <input class="submit" id="submit" name="submit" type="submit" va</pre>
lue="Post Comment"/>
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sbygoogle.js">
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43562542" \nstyle="display:inline-block; width: 300px; height: 600px" class="adsbygo
ogle">
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            </aside>
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                Most Read
               </span>
              </h4>
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fortnite-iphones-for-thousands/" rel="bookmark" title="People Are Selling Fortni
te iPhones For Thousands">
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ntent/uploads/2020/08/fortnite-iphone-800x400-1-324x160.jpg 324w, https://gazett
ereview.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/fortnite-iphone-800x400-1-533x261.jpg 533
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w" title="People Are Selling Fortnite iPhones For Thousands" width="324"/>
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ortnite-iphones-for-thousands/" rel="bookmark" title="People Are Selling Fortnit
e iPhones For Thousands">
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-08-21T05:36:26+00:00">
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                  </time>
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                 \nFortnite is a free-to-play game that is available on many pla
tforms. The battle royale game has been available on mobile, including iOS, for
a...
                </div>
               </div>
              </div>
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ck-title a,\n
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rand .td-post-category:hover {\n
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rder-color: #2b2b2b;\n
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               </span>
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enezuela-under-different-operator/" rel="bookmark" title="DIRECTV Returns To Ven
ezuela Under Different Operator">
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ontent/uploads/2020/08/directv-venezuela-2-1410x793-1-100x70.jpg 100w, https://g
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More">
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2020/08/nba-playoffs-218x150.jpg 218w" title="NBA Playoffs: Schedule, Matchups a
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nd More" width="100"/>

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le-matchups-and-more/" rel="bookmark" title="NBA Playoffs: Schedule, Matchups an
d More">
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ndefined"==typeof referer | | ""==referer) throw"undefined" } catch (exception) { referer
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ument.URL)}referer=referer.substr(0,700);\nvar rcel = document.createElement("sc
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            <div class="textwidget">
             The Gazette Review is your daily news source covering everything fr
om world news to personal finance. We provide the most recent, unbiased accounts
of the news that matters to you. Contact us: editor@gazettereview.com
            </div>
           </aside>
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              Connect With Gazette
             </span>
            </h4>
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>
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                </a>
               </span>
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ank">
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                Followers
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Follow
                </a>
               </span>
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                Follow
                </a>
              </span>
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              </a>
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               883
              </span>
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           <a href="https://gazettereview.com/copyright-notice/">
            Copyright Notice
           </a>
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           </a>
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        \n@ Copyright 2018 The Gazette Review
        </div>
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d_ads_pro ) {advanced_ads_pro.process_passive_cb();} else if ( window.console &&
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nitialized\');} });
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(\.ie9\.))) {\n\t\t\t}
es/Newspaper/style.css\';\n\n\t\t\tjQuery.get(path, function(data) {\n\n\t\t
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plits = data.split(str_split_separator); \n\t\t\t\t\tvar arr_length = arr_splits.
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s://gazettereview.com/wp-content/themes/Newspaper\';\n\t\t\t\t\tvar splited_cs
s = \''; \n\t\t\t\t
f(i > 0) {\n\t\t\t\t\t\t\t} = str_split_separator + \' \' + arr_s
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Note that all the names of the chefs are between <h2> and </h2> tags and the descriptions are between and tags. We can get the names of the chefs quite easily, as seen below.

<h2>10. Anthony Bourdain</h2>

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In [35]: # List of chef names
    # Note that find_all() returns a bs4 object, rather than a Python list.
    # The HTML tags are also part of the object.
    chefs = soup.find_all('h2')
    print(type(chefs))
    print(chefs[0])

<class 'bs4.element.ResultSet'>
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In [36]: # Clean and strip spaces and numbers from the bs4 element and turn it into a Python
         list
         import string
         letters = set(string.ascii_letters)
         chef_name = []
         # Grab relevant letters/spaces and remove extra HTML tags and spaces
         for chef in chefs:
             chef = [letter for letter in str(chef) if letter in letters or letter is ' ']
             chef = ''.join(chef[2:len(chef) - 1])
             chef_name.append(chef)
         chef_name
         <>:8: SyntaxWarning: "is" with a literal. Did you mean "=="?
         <ipython-input-36-e4ebee5d06a3>:8: SyntaxWarning: "is" with a literal. Did you m
         ean "=="?
           chef = [letter for letter in str(chef) if letter in letters or letter is ' ']
Out [36]: ['Anthony Bourdain',
          'Paul Bocuse',
          'Alain Ducasse',
          'Emeril Lagasse',
          'Vikas Khanna',
          'Marco Pierre White',
          'Heston Blumenthal',
          'Wolfgang Puck',
          'Jamie Oliver',
          'Gordon Ramsay']
```

Getting the list of chef names is trivial with the find\_all() function (and a little Python cleaning), but what about the descriptions? This is a little trickier since there may be overlapping uses for the and tags, so let's try navigating the BeautifulSoup tree (https://www.crummy.com/software/BeautifulSoup/bs4/doc/#navigating-the-tree).

This website is simple in that every chef has a two-paragraph description in the same format. We can use this to our advantage once we know what to look for. Let's say we want to extract just the text from these two paragraphs. How can we do so? With the .contents attribute, we can access the children of each tag.

```
In [37]: descriptions = soup.find_all('p')
         del descriptions [-12:]
         del descriptions[0]
         print("The number of paragraphs is:", len(descriptions))
         descriptions[:2]
         The number of paragraphs is: 21
Out[37]: [<img alt="" class="size-medium wp-image-65278 alignleft" height="300" sizes
         ="(max-width: 200px) 100vw, 200px" src="https://gazettereview.com/wp-content/upl
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         > nIt\xe2\x80\x99s hard to believe that the world renowned chef, writer, an
         d television personality Anthony Bourdain\xe2\x80\x99s career started out with h
         im washing dishes as a college dropout. He is now one of the most popular travel
         and food personalities. Although he is no longer officially a chef, his career s
         panned several decades. He was a chef at elite restaurants in New York such as t
         he Supper Club, Sullivan\xe2\x80\x99s, and One Fifth Avenue.
          >Bourdain has written several successful novels about his culinary adventure
         s. His shows are well known by his comedic and often profane commentary. He is a
         lso famous for the travel and food series No Reservations. Bourdain also has a b
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lue belt in Brazilian Jiu Jitsu.]

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In [38]: # Set up the loop
         i = 0
         chef_description = [''] * 10
         chef_image = []
         # Grab description text from paragraphs
         for d in descriptions:
             curr_desc = []
             if i % 2 == 0:
                 curr_desc = d.contents[2]
                 chef_image.append(d.contents[0]['src']) # Get images as well
             else:
                 curr_desc = d.contents[0]
             # Append relevant parts to corresponding index
             chef_description[int(i / 2)] = chef_description[int(i / 2)] + ' ' + curr_desc
             i += 1
         # Voila! We have combined 2 paragraphs into 1.
         chef_description[0]
```

We now have lists with the names, descriptions, and images of the chefs! You can arrange this however you want; chef\_data below is arranged like a JSON object but you can modify this section to make the data look more like a traditional dataset.

Out[39]: '\\nIt\\xe2\\x80\\x99s hard to believe that the world renowned chef, writer, an d television personality Anthony Bourdain\\xe2\\x80\\x99s career started out wit h him washing dishes as a college dropout. He is now one of the most popular tra vel and food personalities. Although he is no longer officially a chef, his care er spanned several decades. He was a chef at elite restaurants in New York such as the Supper Club, Sullivan\\xe2\\x80\\x99s, and One Fifth Avenue. Bourdain has written several successful novels about his culinary adventures. His shows are w ell known by his comedic and often profane commentary. He is also famous for the travel and food series No Reservations. Bourdain also has a blue belt in Brazili an Jiu Jitsu.'

## (Optional) Your Turn: Web-Scraping

Now that you've run through this section of the notebook, feel free to experiment with web-scraping on your own. Choose a site and get some raw data out of it!

Note: If you run into a <code>HTTP error 403</code> (Forbidden), this means that the site probably blocks web-scraping scripts. You can get around this by modifying the way you request the URL (see <a href="StackOverflow">StackOverflow</a> (https://stackoverflow.com/questions/28396036/python-3-4-urllib-request-error-http-403) for some useful tips) or try another site.

```
In [ ]: # Start parsing here
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## All Done!

In this notebook, we covered loading a dataset, simple statistics, basic data visualizations, and web-scraping to round out your toolset. These will be immensely helpful as you move forwards in building your skills in data science.

By now, you hopefully feel a little more confident with tackling your final project. It is up to you to find your own data, build your own notebook, and show others what you have achieved. Best of luck!

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