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## ? nameDiamond

**Language/Type:** C++ [string parameters](#)**Related Links:** [string](#) [strlib.h](#)

Write a function named **nameDiamond** that accepts a string as a parameter and prints it in a "diamond" format as shown below. For example, the call of `nameDiamond("MARTY");` should print:

```
M
MA
MAR
MART
MARTY
 ARTY
  RTY
   TY
    Y
```

```
1 string nameDiamond(string str);
2
3
4 string nameDiamond(string str){
5
6     string returnstr = "";
7     for(int i = 1 ; i< (str.size()*2); i++){
8         if(i<str.size()){
9             cout << str.substr(0,i) << endl;
10        }
11        else{
12            for(int j = 0;j<i-str.size();j++){
13                cout << " ";
14            }
15            cout << str.substr(i-str.size(),str.size()) << endl;
16        }
17    }
18    return returnstr;
```

19 }

**Function:** Write a C++ function as described, not a complete program.



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**test #1:** nameDiamond("MARTY");  
**console output:** M  
MA  
MAR  
MART  
MARTY  
ARTY  
RTY  
TY  
Y

**result:** ✓ pass

**test #2:** nameDiamond("Bill Nye");  
**console output:** B  
Bi  
Bil  
Bill  
Bill  
Bill N  
Bill Ny  
Bill Nye  
ill Nye  
ll Nye  
l Nye  
Nye  
Nye  
ye  
e

**result:** ✓ pass

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