

# async / await + SwiftUI : comment ça marche ?

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ASYNC/AWAIT TO SWIFT**

**IOS DEVELOPER**

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**John Sundell**  
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...

Amazing news, everyone! The new Swift concurrency system is now backward compatible all the way back to iOS 13, macOS Catalina, watchOS 6, and tvOS 13! 🎉



Huge thanks to everyone at Apple and in the Swift open source community who made this happen! 🙌

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## Swift

### New Features

- You can now use Swift Concurrency in applications that deploy to macOS 10.15, iOS 13, tvOS 13, and watchOS 6 or newer. This support includes `async/await`, `actors`, `global actors`, `structured concurrency`, and the `task APIs`. (70738378)

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They are pretty easy to understand for beginners 

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It's so bad that it even has names: callback hell, pyramid of doom, etc.

It's even worst if we want to  
add concurrent execution

How do we deal with this?

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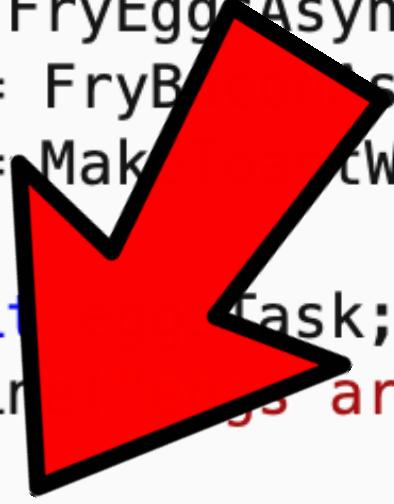
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Pretty cool, isn't it?

**Well it's now also part of Swift!**

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# Async/await

- Proposal: [SE-0296](#)
- Authors: [John McCall](#), [Doug Gregor](#)
- Review Manager: [Ben Cohen](#)
- Status: **Implemented (Swift 5.5)**
- Implementation: Available in recent `main` snapshots behind the flag `-Xfrontend -enable-experimental-concurrency`
- Decision Notes: [Rationale](#)

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<https://github.com/apple/swift-evolution/blob/main/proposals/0296-async-await.md>

# How do we start using it?

Step 1  
Download Xcode 13

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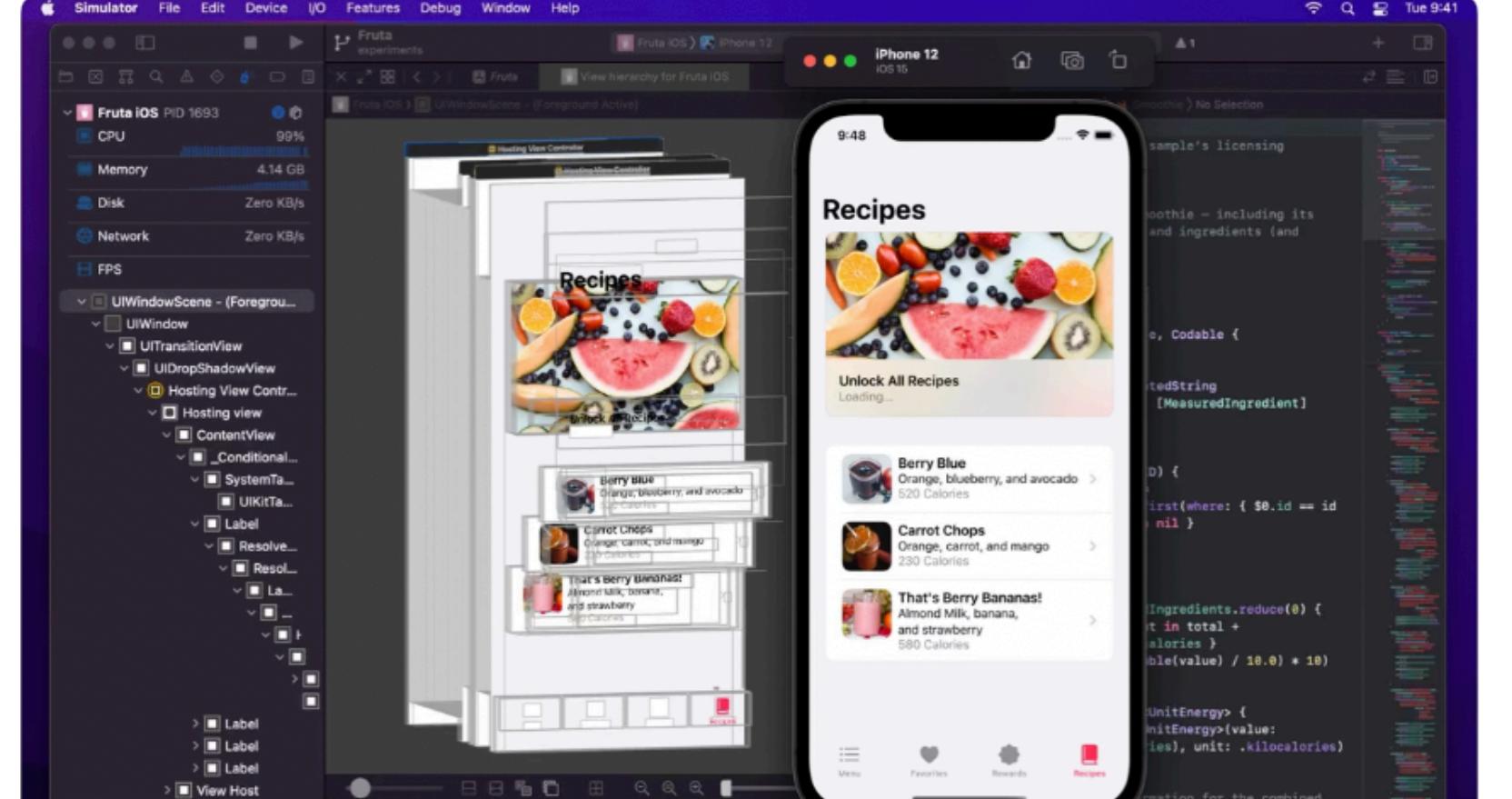
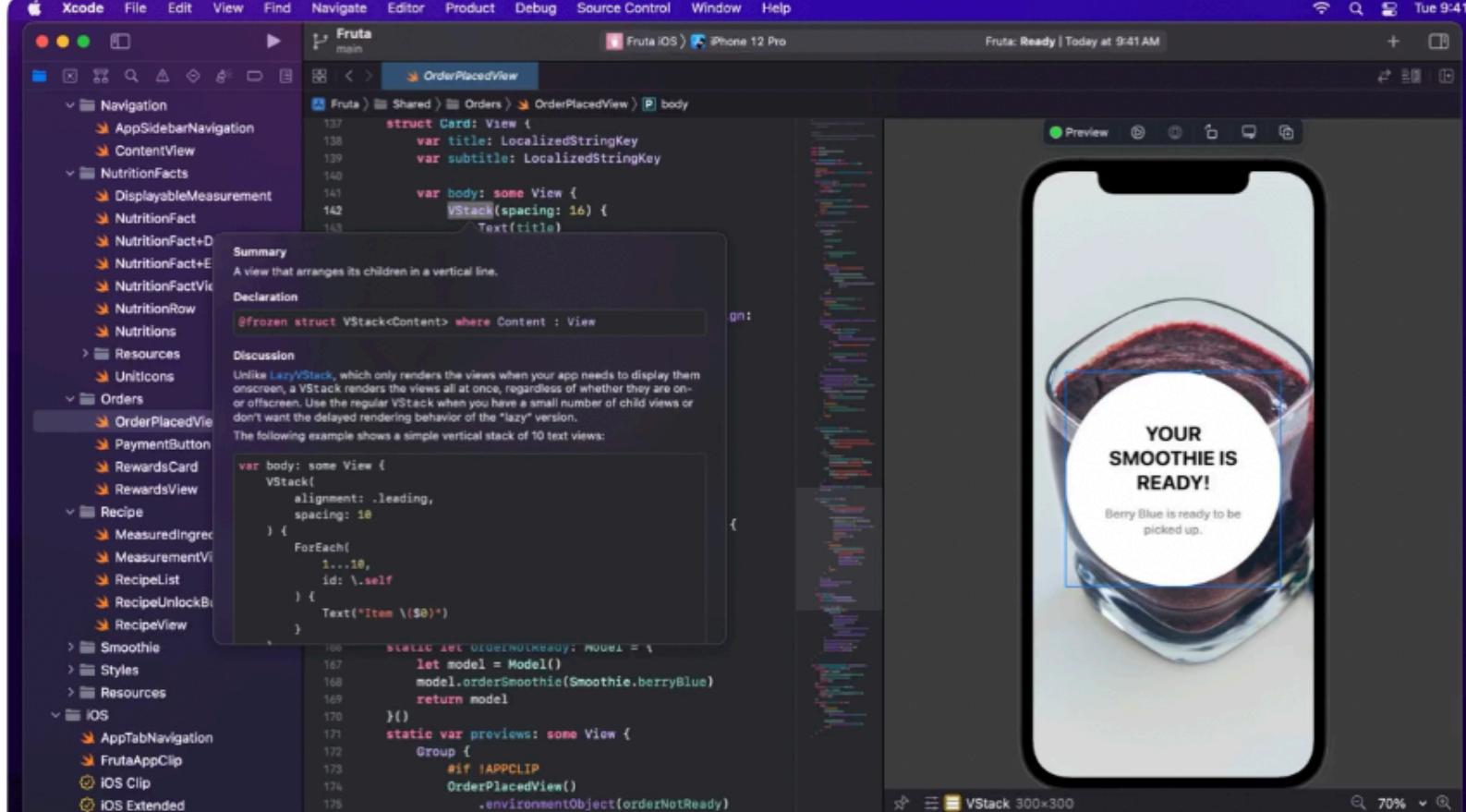
**Nouveautés**

Xcode 13.1 includes Swift 5.5 and SDKs for iOS 15, iPad OS 15, tvOS 15, watchOS 8, and macOS Monterey.

**Historique**

Il y a 1 j suite Version 13.1

**Aperçu**



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## Step 2

Set the deployment target to iOS 15

▼ Deployment Info

- iOS 15.0
- iOS 14.7
- iOS 14.5
- iOS 14.3
- iOS 14.1

iPhone

iPad

Mac

Main

(Yeah, I know that sucks)

Step 3  
Time to experiment!

Let's implement a network call  
using async / await

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Taking a look at a simplified  
networking and model layer

# simplified networking and model layer

```
struct Movie: Decodable, Equatable, Identifiable {  
    let id: Int  
    let title: String  
    let overview: String  
}
```

```
struct MovieResponse: Decodable {  
    let results: [Movie]  
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let apiKey = "redacted 🙅"
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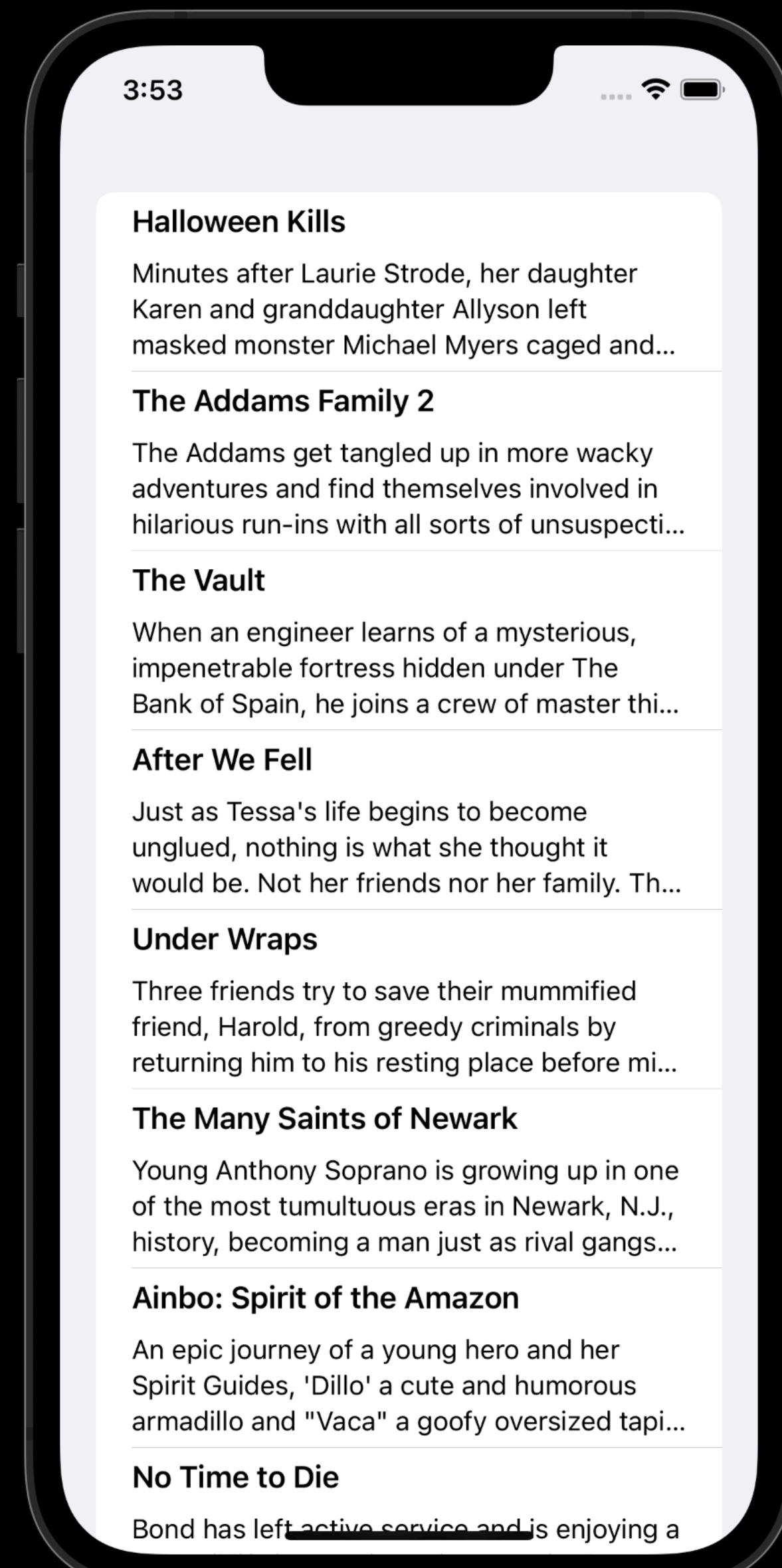
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`loadMovies(page:)`?

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        .onAppear {  Invalid conversion from 'async' function of type '() async -> ()' to synchronous function type '() -> Void'  
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an infinite scroll

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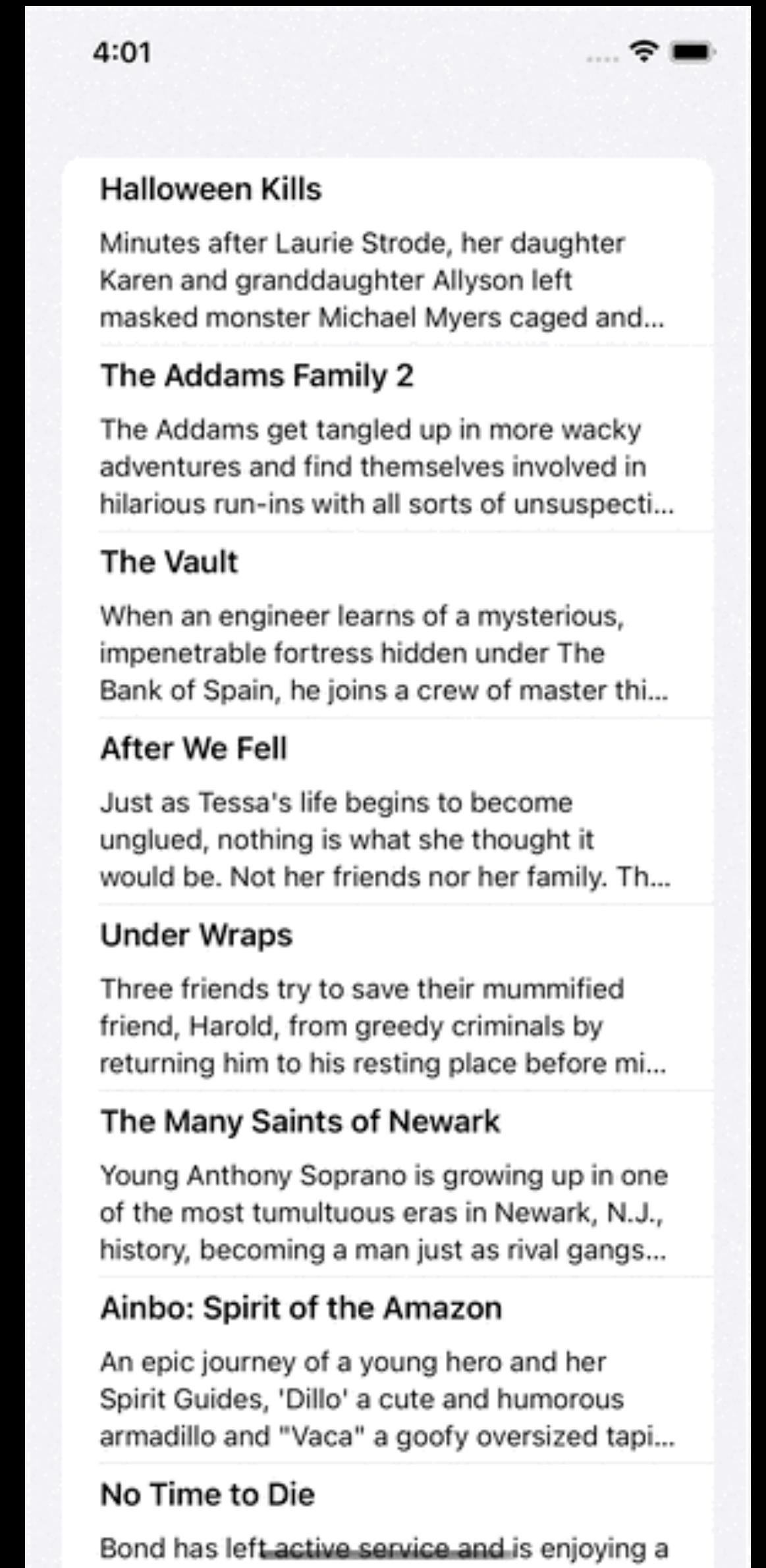
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- Swift concurrency: Update a sample app <https://developer.apple.com/videos/play/wwdc2021/10194/>

# To go further with me



How do you go from  
completionHandler to asyn...

1 k vues • il y a 3 mois

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9CI8O7iufDI>



You hate  
DispatchQueue.main.asyn...

1,3 k vues • il y a 2 mois

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6qHgFjbp90U>

Thank You! 😊

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