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# Mrs.Sylvia Loven Carter

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## Mrs.Sylvia Loven Carter (June 13,1963)

God healed me from 2 aneurysms and to small strokes in 1999 I had to learn to walk again. I'm a redeemed child of God whose given birth to 1 son who is 32 years young, I was a preachers for wife for 4 years. grandmother of 4 beautiful little girls  I enjoy writing poetry/lyrics

**2 Timothy 1: 7**

What I have
I Love my Family 'I have a sound mind'
I Like Luciano Pavarotti
even though.I don't a word of italian 'I have a sound mind'

I love my family even though none of us had a choice in the picking :)
I Love my church family..... 'I have a sound mind'

I like the motto of the church on 1212 Hendrick called Faith Fellowship Baptist Church.
'if the bible says, we believe it'

I Love Jesus, my family, friends and I have a sound mind.

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**A Woman In Love**

She has
given a  lot of herself
to please you

She is a woman in Love,
pleasing you used to give her
joy

what YOU of asked of her she'd do
she Loved you, with no questions asked

She's a woman in Love
why didn't you ever show her
any appreciations?
you chose
not to ever say
thank you honey

She's a woman in Love

Guess what has happened,
some days ago and it took her a long time to make the step she met a MAN
he giving and doing all
the things you
refused to do

She's a woman in Love
 a woman will sometimes continue holding on to a person
that she knows deep in her heart is lying to her face

Right now this day
she's a woman in Love

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**All In One Place**

All in one place
waiting eyes
hurt, pain

No one really speaks,
you look at them
looking at you

All in one place
walking canes, walkers
wheelchairs.

Snack machine
Soda machine

Security guard/police

All in one place

Gold real and fake
Silver real and fake

Diamonds real and fake

No one above anyone else

Old, young, babies, toddlers

we are different ethnically
All in one place waiting

smiles here and there laughter

skinny, fat
sitting, standing

all of us are waiting at 4917 Harry Hines Boulevard
waiting out turn

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**All is Well**

It happened so
so smooth that it shocked me
'all is well'

All is well as I'm moving
taking me on a journey
so you've lost respect for me huh?
why didn't you let me know
'all is well'
did you know I cried.
'all is well'
dispite the upheaval

all is well Jugar Olay now.
'all is well'

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**Alternative**

Native
Alter
tear tar rate live

nile tile nail tail

tile rat nate

lie ire rain

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**April 10,2003**

I bind the spirit of slowfulness and
fear, doubt, April 10,2003

I Loose the spirit of obedience April 10,2003
when God speaks are gives instructions

JUMP to IT April 10.2003

I heard that everyday we are writing our obituaries
what story do you are I have to leave about our lives?

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**DH poem cont.....**

It is your home I don't pay bills?
Do you have to take my pride is this the way
you want me to go. God know I would not do
you like that. But I learned that early in life

What hurts me is most is What I'm doing to you
Or were you always this disrespectful
  to your men.

Our love seems to go up and down to me
We got to come to a decision you've got a son
the way you treat me is the way he'll
expect women to treat him it's okay cause mom
use to talk to her old boyfriends like this
 I am not going to let him believe this.

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**Do You?**

Do you get me?
NOW?
okay how about now?
do you?

Did
you ever see me?
are were you looking for her?
when you saw me?

Do you
understand
me?

how about now?

I am me and no
one else
I cannot be her
because I'm me

and she's her
She's not me

don't and try and see any of her
in me

I'm me and not her

Do you see me?
did you ever see me?

how about now?
is there an answer.

Can you handle my ways?
how about now?
okay now?

is there an answer?

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**Evinces**

anyone searching for the truth

evince, to make plain; make clear
A voice said speak!
what should I say?
The voice said people don't live forever
yes, all people are like grass
grass dies and the wildflowers fall

But the word of God continues.....FOREVER

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**From Me to You**

Hi Honey,
why are you up this time of morning? 2: 33am
I'm so Happy that our Heavenly Father is getting us
Prepared for each other, this time around will be the for
real thing.

I pray that we do every thing possible to keep our relationship
sparkling okay, I'll write more later,

  Your person, home-girl, woman, wife 'from me to you'
Hi Honey, how was your day?
I want to hear, even if was hectic, I'm sure you made it though
in victory
'me'  'from me to you'

Hey baby, I got excited
today I heard a lady speak about how she asked God
for the type of redeemed husband she wanted
so I'm doing the same I pray that all is well be blessed on purpose my one

your person, home-girl, girlfriend, woman, wife 'from me to you'

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**Happy Being You**

I see ya baby,
Being who YOU are.....HAPPY being you

Standing in the clouds....HAPPY being you

I see you baby  walking with sure steps...HAPPY being you looking forward to you're beautiful.....

FUTURE.even in hard times ou are HAPPY being you

I see YOU baby encouraging the PEOPLE around you

HAPPY BEING YOU.

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**He**

The men I've seen on public transportation back in the day...
He has beautiful skin he's searching for something from any woman..
you can see he's a that Man takes care of himself and willing to go to a job everyday.
Right now any woman's attention he can get he'll take he's searching

Wait not sure if he just made eye contact with her is she the one? searching wondering will we stick together searching or is this a game that people enjoy playing for their own reasons. So many to choose from who will be my good thing?

He has beautiful skin he's searching, not knowing the one he's looking for is still waiting for him to find her.

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**He doesn't**

Try and understand he says that he doesn't

It's the same game different century and players/play
the game from Antiquity 'he doesn't LOVE YOU'

He'll do anything to convince/persuade you.. 'he doesn't'
he'll smile and grin with you for awhile...

that is until his fresh bag of strange comes into the picture to replace you

He really thinks he'll have you anytime he wants 'he doesn't LOVE YOU'

I wish I could warn you.

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**He Loves Me**

I Know a man who LOVES me,
although he hide himself from me from time to time
I know for a fact that YOU LOVE me, and offer to me you're everlasting LOVE, Kindness and Mercy which endures forever. I know a man who Loves me,

The enemy tries to cause me doubt you're LOVE, you said you'd never leave me nor forsake me with an everlasting you've LOVE me,

I like that EVERLASTING LOVE has made me a prisoner of hope, I know a man who LOVES ME,

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**Heart Breaking Woman**

I'm heart breaking
rule making woman
if you want to play with me you'll have follow my rules

I'm a heart breaking
rule making woman
if you'd  wanna get to me know there are rules

I've got the hips
lips and swagger

I am a heart breaking rule making
WOMAN! ! !

Understand me
understand me

I am a Heart Breaking rule making Woman
I'll be called by my name

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**'How Can I'**

You're lost again
aren't you?
How, How may I help you?
can I help?

YOU

How can I make you see
you are worth diamonds
Where were you when you needed me?
I was there as always.....

How can I put you aside and go on with me without you,
getting lost again?
How can I help you be?
keep still don't move, snakes are all around, move when I move when it's your turn I'll move when you move,
How can I make you see we are one together

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**Human Race**

I was in a home today that I'm sure
I'd probably wouldn't have been invited to come over sometimes.

It's funny we never met in person it appears you lived a comfortable life
the only things we had in common is we are part of the Human Race,
would you have befriended me or vise versa? guess that's something I'll never know
rest in peace my departed one

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**I remember**

I remember you holding me
kissing me
I remember our scent together
how I enjoyed believing it was just you and I
my theory was I had the ability to satisfy you
I mean something I could succeed at.....

Until you brought another scent home to me, and still claim to LOVE me,
I'm not understanding, and I know it should not have been My fault
it hurt deeply because you did it over, and over, and over again

I got tired, lonely, frustrated, angry
I had to let you go in order for me to survive
I remember you holding me kissing me, before it all went wrong
I remember.

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**I will fear no evil**

Nobody knows the troubles I've seen
except my heavenly Father, and I
I will fear No evil
he knows that my heart and mind was hurting
deep down inside....I will fear No evil
he knows all, all, about my many faults
I mean many, many faults and still Loves me....
I will fear no evil no body understood
the distress I've felt, except my heavenly Father
he knows how I was hurting and why there is nothing done in secret that
he doesn't know about I will fear no evil
Jesus came into my life, to wipe away my tears and said child I've been waiting you, to ask me for help I've been here all of you're life and afterward call me you're being hindered, when troubles try and ease it's way back, just cry out Father help me. I will fear no evil

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**If I could**

Could I sing a to you
LORD
what would be the melody
will  it bring glory
to who you are?

If I could sing a song to you
LORD would you like the tune, the tempo and the beat?
what words should I use to bring all the glory that's due
you're name

If I could sing a song to you Lord,
how would I express how GRATEFUL
and thankful for all you've been
to me.

If I knew the words I'd sing them they way you want me to
If I could sing an anointed song that would the hearts of everyone
who hears it or sings it
would that be pleasing to you

If I could sing a song to you
LORD
what would the melody?

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**I'm a Kings Daughter**

I'm a Kings daughter
I'm a Kings daughter
I'm a Kings daughter
I

am one of the redeemed children of the King
why can't all the children come together under one name
to feed the hungry and suffering at home first
and abroad?
as children of the exquisitely Perfect King Of Kings
we should, if we can why don't we?
I'm a Kings child, one of many...

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**It's A Privilege**

It's really nice to be able to voice
your opinion(s) on any give topic(s)
however you opinion (s) , or mine may not be the
final end all answer ~it's a privilege~

Whatever the question or topic
the bottom line is you're not always
going to agree with some people no
matter
who they are, or who you are they claim to ~it's a privilege~

Just take it in stride there may be other
days to be seen, heard and agree or disagree
and please remember that ~it's a privilege~
to voice one's opinion.

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**It's Automatic**

When we humans don't understand why something
is
happening, in our lives or profession.  We go with
our
assumptions  'It's automatic'
and gladly share
what we assumed, to be true 'It's automatic'

We share what we think, the solutions to any give situation
'it's automatic
we'll share with who will pay us any attention
'It's automatic

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**Keep Them Encouraged**

They stand and sit around
watching
talking, joking
making fun of each other and total strangers....
cars going by too fast and sometimes too slow
who are they

They're ordinary, everyday
different colors, human people they are our children
soon becoming adults Lets keep them encouraged
whether they are ours or not Lets keep them encouraged

Let stop the creation of more defeated before they get started human-beings
living in seemingly defeated, situations and conditions

Lets keep them encouraged our young people have so many talents
and energy to spare Lets keep them encouraged.

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**Knew**

Oak trees under water, the sky upside down
beautiful sun shining
you knew, she knew who else knew?
you're friends knew, some of my friends knew
some of you're family knew, some of my family knew

They tried to tell me some directly and indirectly
I didn't want to hear or accept it
although deep in my heart and mind I knew
and at the same time was in deep denial
because it hurt my heart
are was it my pride?

Maybe if I stayed he'd/she'd, they'd change just
cause they know I and knew my heart was all for LOVE them
You knew I knew so why didn't it change?

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**Life Is Short.....**

Live each day
Love while you're able

some days seems to knock u off you're feet 'life is short'

I've heard on occasion that what's for you is for you
is this a myth are a ole wives tale?

'life is short' don't waste time hurting yourself or anyone else for that matter
the word says we are midst that appears for a little while.

LIFE IS SHORT.

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**Like He Can**

The power of the world
come from the creator of the Heavens and the Earth
nothing and no one is able to stop the plans he's already made for me
nothing and nobody is more powerful than MY GOD, GOD
is all over the place, he dwell outside of time He is the great I AM
no one can LOVE me Like he can, no one can heal me like he can and has,
no one can protect me like he can

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**lying.sneaking.cheating.game**

It was extremely difficult
when the deed had been done 'LSCG'
so now my mind.
Yes I'm talking about me wondering
weather or not to keep my stride going
or give up and stop in my tracks.

Did I see you smiling as you finally let the real you out?
I'd never experienced this cold blooded side of you until you started playing the 'LSCG'

Can anyone tell me how you moved on from the pain?
did you think it was anything different you could've or should've done to make this person Love you?

Are did you figure they'd made up their minds to do the deed you know the 'LSCG'

You are allowed to be hurt however don't make it you're home in the end it's their loss and not yours.

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**Marriage**

Rage
Gear rear
Age ire marge

mire game marr are
rim

Mirage ear rag grim grime

me aim 'MIGE'

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**May 6,2003**

I believe thing and life situations would work out a lot
differently today May 6,2003
If some people would admit I'm a player and do it today May 6.2003
In my own MIND!
at least that's vibe thy are sending out today May 6,2003

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**Mistakes**

How many people,
actually keep an account of every
mistake they've made

in their lives
this means all of us
I've made some that I truly
regret
Mistakes that should and could have been avoided,
it happened
mistakes

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**Mother's Continue...**

Through eternity Mother's continue.....
her mother bare her
and mother's continue.....
WE all started out as some mother's baby boy or girl, except for Adam & Eve mother's continue Adam & Even were created fully grown, that means God was mother to them.
Mother's continue
babies are still being conceived
Mother's continue.....

Hey Mom I know you've been wounded by life
before
I know you've cried, worried and needed someone to hold you up, pray for you, you will continue....

I thought when you I saw you take you're last breathe Friday July 13,2007 I would go too, you leaving was hard for me.
Lady Alice Carter I see you when Iook in the mirror

Mother's continue.....

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**Night Time Prayer: based on Psalm 4: 8**

Thank you Father for another day that has
passed.....Thank you for the life, health and strength
that you've blessed me with
Thank you for all your great Love
and forgiveness
help me be the person you planned for me to be
when you created me.

I will both lay me down in peace and sleep
for thou Lord only make me sleep and dwell
in safety.

Amen THANK YOU JESUS added by Taylor age 4 December 2002

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**No Clue Of What I'm Doing**

Honestly most of the time
I have no clue of what I'm doing
I mean I'd like to do the best possible thing in every area of life

Like most people
I'd enjoy
giving my Love to my one
and receiving Love from my one

I have deceived and been
deceived
more than
enough times

I sometimes have no clue of what I'm doing

yes I've confused
Bambboozled,
tricked ect, , until the LIGHT COMES ON

there is always hope as long as I have breathe I'm not the only
I'm sure there are other
peoples
who have no clue of what they are doing.

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**No Longer Mine 10-6-05**

I saw him/you of course
and felt
like touching you 'No longer mine'

although I still carried you're last name,
I remember some of our times
and regret the times
we couldn't and wouldn't say I'm sorry 'No longer mine'

The last time I saw you sleeping
I kissed
you
hugged
you I saw the hurt of
you two friends I'd like
to be your friend

But I'm sure how that work
your No longer mine.

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**Opportunity Discontinued 'you know who you are'**

I gave you so many chances
Had so many
opportunities to be here
with me
to be part of my life 'Opportunity Discontinued'

however you selected a different
course to examine.

Took for granted the times
many times I invested in you 'Opportunity Discontinued'
~you know who you are~

You LOVE ME?
I felt dubious about you're
concept your reliability 'Opportunity Discontinued'
~you know who you are~
Now that reality has arrived
you and I know who you are
the open door of your opportunities has been discontinued
'Opportunity has been Discontinued'
~you know who you are

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**Poem From DH**

Pictures on the wall trees at
their best.
The fire place is cold
I woke up in the morning to
hear your voice sweet and low
Your laughter fill the room, unfortunatley
it's not me your talking to WOMAN

The love we made last night was it just a physical?
why would you call another man? No I am
not doing good I know it.
Do you have to take all my pride by
telling everyone else I am hungry will you buy
me some food? Yeah you can call it's my phone! !

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**Random Thoughts.....It can happen in the movies.....**

When an
ice cube begins to melt
can anyone's
hand cause
it to freeze solid again? Random thoughts.....it can happen in the movies
are is it possible to
keep the water that it will
make
from slipping
through
your fingers? Random thoughts...it can happen in the movies

Memories aren't always
beautiful
are they? Random thoughts..it can happen in the movies

Is it possible for day once it is gone? be relived Random thoughts it happens in the movies.

are adult temper
tantrums
a waste of time and energy
is it really difficult
to forgive
being betrayed if and when you are
Random thoughts...it happens in the movies

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**Shoe On The Other Foot....**

Tell me
what would you're first thought be?
would you be angry?
would you be hurt?
would you be confused
would you be devastated

'If the shoe was/were on the other foot'
if you smelled another mans colonge
anywhere on my body

'if the shoe was/were on the other foot'
if I stopped showing you tender loving moments
you know like the many times we 'knew each ' other
if?

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**Stupidity...**

A lot of people don't realize they are not perfect;

But you should have Loved me any  way and you really didn't
'Stupidity'
caused you to flip our journey together my questions is was it worth it?
to  you and I know we'll never be together again ever! ! ! ! ! mode

It was all you're decision or did you need some help?

'Stupidity' has caused you to believe she'll Love you
I wasn't the user you were and are.

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**Thank you Heavenly Father**

You are the one and only true God
Thank you heavenly Father, for being the on who has and still
working on my behalf

I think...no I know my puny mind could not figure
the whole thing out
not by myself,
I'd lost my sanity had it not been for you
years ago 'Thank you Father'
You are GOD and there is no other
and there will never, never, ever be another
Thank you Father
for giving me peace

you know how I run to you when I'd get alarmed
especially when I have a heavy heart while shedding tears
Thank you Father for forgiving me of
disobedience, contrary, behavior 'Thank you Father'
thanks for not allowing me to die in those sins I was in
Thank you Father for our union

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**The Announcement**

So now you've
decided that you no longer
want to be a husband or dad
to all of you're children
What is going on in your mind?
who exactly are you?
really what's gone wrong in you're thinker 'The Announcement'
I personally think you are a very confused person
and you don't even know it yet and you've gone and made
The Announcement.

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**The Gimmick**

He had me going
believing we were
created a winning team
presumably, first rate
agreement who would've
supposed you were
a Prententious man
and it was all a
Gimmick.

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**The Man**

you've always moved fast, I blink 'once' you're gone. I close my eyes, you're back again and again moving faster Oh my God some, one has chained him
you looked confused not sure what has happened, They've chained you I start screaming let him go.I scream till I'm getting hoarse Let him go, freedom is his destiny, please no more pain, don't push him let him gain his strength so he fight back.....He's back, He's strong is eyes glow with peace and serenity why are you afraid? he'd never hurt you he is fast once again, but now he's learned wisdom is his kinswoman, whose always been there waiting for him and his plans.

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**What Am I Supposed To Do?**

How will I know?
So, confused
what do I do?

Do you Love her? then why not let me know

What am I supposed to do
when you are silent,
 sometimes I speak to you and you look past me
as if I don't exist.

What am I supposed to do
Love
I know you, seen you and felt you

What am I supposed to do,
I see the way you look me when you want my attention
Do you love her?

What am I supposed to do
I know you crossed the line and it hurts
Do you Love her?

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**What condition?**

When someone
Says they love you
Are there
Conditions ?
What's attached to it ?

When i've said i love someone
I mean / meant it
At least thought i really did
'What condition'
How does one qualify for you're love

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**What Is The Name of That Bird?**

I heard
a bird singing at 2: 05 a.m.
'what is the name of that bird? '

What kind of bird is it? it's not the first time I've heard it?
What kind of bird deep in the heart of Texas in Oakcliff?
'what is the name of that bird? '

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**What My Mother Said**

Mom said it's really
Does a Mother's heart good to see
Her child or children 'what my mother said'

Happy healthy and smiling
She said God
Feels the same way
About his children
I say agree with what she said
About you?

What my mother said

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**When I'm gone.....**

I'm gone what will u know are ask about me?
do you suppose you'll experience anything, something i never have?
or perhaps do something I never did?
will u look at my pictures and think oh she was so beautiful or no?
will u be able to recognize that I'd had my heart broken and cried tears as you have and will someday.

That I was made fun of from time to time, I bet you're wondering
right now why r thinking about something I'll probably never read?
well I'm hoping by chance you will and pass this one on.
I'm gone what will u know?

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**You Knew**

I had the feeling you'd do this to me again,
I chose to ignore it
  You knew
why couldn't you tell me sooner especially since
  You knew
did everybody know before me?
  You knew
will I get over this any time soon? ? ?

Why sure
You know it

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