



SAINT XAVIER UNIVERSITY
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2026

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The Seal of Saint Xavier University

From its earliest design honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary to the Coat of Arms seal of today, the seal of Saint Xavier University symbolizes a proud history of Catholic education in Chicago.

Designed by Art Department faculty member Sister Mary Solina Hicks, R.S.M., this seal includes a black-and-white checkerboard and diagonal gold bars from the family coat of arms of Saint Francis Xavier, red and gold bars and a white Jerusalem cross taken from the shield of the Sisters of Mercy of the Americas, an open book to represent education and the Scripture verse: "I am the way, and the truth, and the life." (John 14:6)

Saint Xavier University continues to use this seal as a symbol of its heritage and mission.



Congratulations, Graduates!

On behalf of the Saint Xavier University community, we are incredibly proud of each of you. You had many choices for your education, and we are honored you chose Saint Xavier as the place to learn, grow, and discover your purpose.

Commencement is a significant milestone. Please take the time to celebrate your achievements and reflect upon the experiences and relationships that have shaped you. Today also marks a new beginning, and we are confident that the knowledge you gained at Saint Xavier has prepared you to lead with purpose and compassion in service of the common good, as called for by our Mercy mission.

We encourage you to remain connected as new members of the Saint Xavier alumni community. Your involvement will make Saint Xavier better for generations to come.

We extend our best wishes as you embark on the next exciting chapter of your story.

Sincerely,

Keith Elder, Ph.D., MPH, MPA

President

“We can never say ‘it is enough.’”

Catherine McAuley, Familiar Instructions

Mission Statement

Saint Xavier University, a Catholic institution inspired by the heritage of the Sisters of Mercy, educates persons to search for truth, to think critically, to communicate effectively, and to serve wisely and compassionately in support of human dignity and the common good.

University Vision

Saint Xavier University, the affordable, Catholic Mercy institution, will become known for the strength of its relevant curricular and co-curricular offerings; accomplishments of its faculty, staff and students; robust community engagement; and the success of its graduates.

Core Values

The Saint Xavier University community commits itself to practicing eight core values as it engages in a search for truth and knowledge, both for personal enhancement and to understand and improve our world.

RESPECT

moves us to understand the gifts and unique contributions of every person in the University community and to value diverse perspectives.

EXCELLENCE

commits us to challenge ourselves to utilize our God-given gifts: intellectual, social, physical, spiritual and ethical.

COMPASSION

compels us to stand with and embrace others in their suffering that, together, we may experience God's liberating and healing presence.

SERVICE

calls us to use our gifts, talents and abilities to advance the genuine well-being of our community and those we encounter.

HOSPITALITY

draws us to do our daily work with a spirit of graciousness that welcomes new ideas and people of all backgrounds and beliefs.

INTEGRITY

gives us the ability to realize the greater good in our actions and programs and challenges us to look at our work and ourselves holistically and as one united with others across the globe.

DIVERSITY

builds a community that fosters a climate that is open and welcoming to diverse people, ideas and perspectives; that promotes a constructive discourse on the nature of diversity; and that engages faculty, staff and students in activities that promote the University's core values.

LEARNING FOR LIFE

in the liberal arts tradition, encourages us to pursue knowledge and truth throughout our lives in ways that improve our communities and ourselves and that strengthen our understanding of each other.

The Ceremonial Mace

Saint Xavier University introduced a ceremonial mace to the commencement procession in January 2004. The mace is an ornamental staff that has historically symbolized academic authority and adds to the pageantry of the ceremony. The Saint Xavier University mace consists of a carved walnut staff adorned with the Saint Xavier seal, cast in bronze, and is ushered in by a faculty member serving as the grand marshal of the procession. The mace is displayed in the University's Robert and Mary Rita Murphy Stump Library.



Academic Dress

“The formal academic regalia being worn today had their origins in the clerical costumes of medieval Europe and have evolved into a great variety of patterns and styles. Late in the last century, the American colleges and universities agreed to standardize their regalia; however, there is now a movement to return to individual designs for each institution.

The gown worn by those holding or receiving the bachelor’s degree is plain black with pointed sleeves. The master’s gown was characterized by a unique, long, closed sleeve with a slit at the elbow, through which the arm protruded; this peculiarity is now being replaced by a sleeve more like that of the bachelor’s. The doctoral gown has very full bell sleeves and is trimmed with velvet in panels down the front and in strips across the sleeves. This trim may be either black or in a color that denotes the particular type of doctorate – royal blue for the Ph.D., green for the M.D. and various others.

The familiar mortarboard cap bears only a faint resemblance to its close relative, the clerical biretta. Some institutions now specify a soft cap somewhat like a tam o’shanter. The bachelors decorate the cap with a tassel in black or the color indicative of the degree. Masters wear black tassels; the doctors wear either black or metallic gold.

Most symbolic and informative of the regalia is the hood, which is no longer raised over the head but is hung down the back, just as a cleric wore it when baring the head in church. The bachelor’s hood is three feet long, the master’s is three-and-one-half feet, and the doctor’s is four feet long with a rectangular panel, which once served as a shoulder cap when the hood was raised. A curious short tail at the peak of the hood is all that now remains of a long strip, which was wrapped around the throat as a scarf. All of the hoods have a velvet border in the color of the degree according to the same system used for the trim of the doctoral gown.

In the Middle Ages, academic hoods were lined with miniver, lamb’s wool or rabbit fur – a necessity in unheated schools and churches. By the 14th century, professors wore silk-lined hoods in summer; satin is now used to line the hoods. The colors and patterns of the satin lining of the hood identify the college or university conferring the degree.”

*Richard C. Pilger, Jr., Marshal Emeritus, Saint Mary’s College, Notre Dame, Indiana.
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The following is a list of common academic colors:

Arts, Letters, Humanities	White	Philosophy	Dark Blue
Business, Accounting	Light Brown	Public Health	Salmon Pink
Education	Light Blue	Science	Golden Yellow
Fine Arts	Brown	Social Work	Citron
Music	Pink	Speech	Gold
Nursing	Apricot	Theology, Religious Studies	Scarlet



Graduation Honors

Due to grade reporting and program printing deadlines, graduation honors are not listed in the commencement booklet. However, graduation honors are announced with the students' names as the diploma is awarded.

To be eligible for graduation honors, students must have completed at least 50 graded semester hours at Saint Xavier University and earned a cumulative grade-point average of:

3.50 for Cum Laude (with honors, white Honor Cords)

3.70 for Magna Cum Laude (with high honors, silver Honor Cords)

3.90 for Summa Cum Laude (with highest honors, gold Honor Cords)

The cumulative GPA is based exclusively on credits earned at Saint Xavier University and is the higher of (a) the GPA for all credits earned at Saint Xavier University or (b) the last 50 hours earned prior to graduation. If the student reaches and exceeds 50 hours in a term, then all courses earned that term are counted in the GPA for the "last 50 hours." The student is not allowed to pick the courses to equal exactly 50 hours. Graduation honors are recognized for undergraduate degrees only.

Honors announced during the commencement ceremonies are anticipated honors based upon grades posted to the student record, excluding the current active semester. The honors posted on the transcript, as part of the student's official record, are based upon grades earned through the final semester. The posted honors may differ from the announced honors.

"Honors Scholar" denotes a student who has completed all requirements of the Saint Xavier University Undergraduate Honors Program, including senior-year research or creative project.

Nursing, Health Sciences and Business

Commencement Speaker

Tasha Henderson, Chair of the Board of Trustees



Tasha Henderson, CPA, CGMA, chair of Saint Xavier University's Board of Trustees, is a highly experienced financial expert and strategic leader, currently serving as the chief financial officer (CFO) and chief operating officer (COO) of MJE-Loop Capital Partners, LLC dba JLC Infrastructure, where she leads financial management inclusive of audit, tax and financial reporting, administration, investor relations, and day-to-day operations. She was involved with the launch of the organization and also serves as the corporate secretary and is a member of JLC's valuation committee.

With over 30 years of experience working in financial service corporations, asset managers, and nonprofits, Henderson boasts a strong foundation in finance and accounting and brings a wealth of expertise to her roles. Henderson began her career as an auditor with KMPG, LLP. Previously, Henderson was the CFO and corporate secretary of Loop Capital LLC and its affiliates. Her commitment to excellence and strategic vision has been a driving force in her impressive career trajectory from startup environments to managing complex global businesses.

Henderson has extensive experience in governance and strategic financial management. She has served on various boards, including as corporate fiduciary board director and audit committee chair for Hearken, Inc, and board director and membership committee chair of the Chicago Finance Exchange, an invite-only association of top Chicago women in finance. As board chair at SXU, she significantly contributes to the institution's governance and financial priorities and, since joining the Board of 2015, previously chaired SXU's Sustainable Financial Model Committee and Governance Committee. She began her Board service on the Audit and Finance Committees.

Henderson has a bachelor's degree in accounting from Hampton University and holds both a Certified Public Accountant designation and a Chartered Global Management Accountant designation. She is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the Illinois Certified Public Accountants Society, and the National Association of Black Accountants.

Nursing, Health Sciences and Business Ceremony

Musical Prelude

Saint Xavier University Commercial Ensemble
Fish 'n' Chips
Shawn Salmon, D.A.
Director of Jazz and Commercial Music

Processional

“Pomp and Circumstance”
by Edward Elgar

Order of Procession

Marshal

Karen M. Wood, DNSc, RN, CCRN
President, Faculty Senate
Associate Professor, School of Nursing

Master of Ceremonies

Brian Hotzfield '99, '10, MBA
Vice President, Enrollment

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Members of the Board of Trustees

Commencement Speaker

Provost

Procession of Graduates

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Vice President, Enrollment

Invocation

Jenny DeVivo '99, Ph.D.
Vice President, Mission and Heritage

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arr. Thomas McNichols

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Provost's Address

Caress Dean, Ph.D.

Commencement Address

Tasha Henderson
Chair of the Board of Trustees

Presentation of Candidates

Graham School of Management

Indranil K. Ghosh, Ph.D.
Professor and Director, Graham School of Management

School of Nursing
Health Sciences

Charlene Bermele, DNP, MSN
Dean, School of Nursing and Health Sciences

Announcer of Recipients

Rola Othman, Ed.D.
Director, Information Technology

Benediction

Charles R. Newman, B.Arch.
Vice Chair, Board of Trustees

Closing Remarks

Brian Hotzfield '99, '10, MBA
Vice President, Enrollment

Recessional

"Grand March" from *Aida*,
Giuseppe Verdi
arr. Leonard Bernstein

Refreshments

SXU Diner Atrium/O'Malley Quad
Warde Academic Center

A Special Invitation

You are invited for refreshments immediately following the ceremony to celebrate our graduates. Follow the signs directing you to SXU's historic 49th Street Gateway Arch through the Smith-Morris Quad and into the Warde Academic Center.

Along the way, you will find many photo opportunities for students and families..

Graham School of Management

Indranil K. Ghosh, Ph.D., Director

Bachelor of Business Administration

Malek M. Abdulrahman
Johnny L. Agnew
Luke Earl Albert
Raneen I. Ali
Max Archbold
Alexander Arellano-Galvan
Aleks Arrambide
Ashton Lee Atwater
Osvaldo Ballesteros Jr.
Wiktorina Barnas
Jackson Robert Beach
Estefanie Becerra
Victoria Bermudez
Rohindeep S. Bhattal
Gannon J. Burns
Julia Oliwia Byrdak
Julieta Campos
Heriberto Cancinos
Ryan Michael Cantway
Edward Frank Canty Jr.
Christian Phillip Cardenas
Daisy Giselle Carrillo
Sofia Ceja
Nicholas Cerna
Jocelyn F. Cervantes
Lisandra Cervantes
Avery Jaspar Chick
Celia Marie Chudzik
Richard F. Cinkus
Emma Rose Clark
Jacqueline Sheila Coates
Cristina Cordova
Michelle Coronado
Yarithza Coronel-Maravilla
Julian Cortez
Dylan K. Cox
Jaden Daniel Crespo
Linda D. Croft

Niobi E. Cunningham
Marcin A. Czaja
Dominic John D'Ambrosio
Kaitlyn Maryann Dapkus
Daniel Jovan Diaz
Aaliyah M. Donegan
Jordan Lucas Dozier
Brian F. Dykstra
Daniel A. Dziadkowiec
Michael C. Egbulefu
Pablo Escalante
Angel M. Escobedo
Daniel Esguerra
Angela Estrada
Luis Angel Favela
Jacob Timothy Fenton
Rafael Flores
Juan R. Garcia
Roxana Garcia-Garcia
Anthony Garnica Soto
Susana Patricia Gasinski
Braxton L. Geller
Tara Rose Glynn
Francisco Javier Gomez
Jessica J. Gonzalez
Robert Benjamin Habetler
Suzanna Harbut
Cameron Palmer Hatcher
Samantha Marie Hovey
Erwin Ulisses Hylton
Angelica Jablonski
Lidia Wiktorina Jablonski
Julia Jachym
Benito V. Jass
Jennifer Lyn Jensen
Jesus Juarez
Michael James Jurgilas
Syed Hamza Khalid
Damian J. Kiernia
Kathryn Louise Kina
Stephany Selena King

Michael Edward Knox
Andrew John Kopinski
Daniel Raymond LaBonte
Tyler Joseph Lange
Justin L. Laws
Julian Osvaldo Leaños
Tyreese T. Lee
Jonathan Emmanuel Luvianos
Matthew Makowski
Claudio Manuel
Alyssa N. Marchan
Trent M. Markezich
Ryan Robert Markmann
Kyle J. Markvart
Isaac R. Martin
Andrew Martinez*
Josue Martinez
Yuna F. Mathieu
Olivia Tiana Mathis
Abril Andrea Matias
Kevin L. McDonald
Ryan K. McFadden
William P. McGee
Connor McGrath
Lizbeth J. Medel
Erika Medina-Cano
Juan Carlos Mendez
Sebastian Mendez
Solesdin Miranda
Steven Monroy
Emanuel Moreno
Samantha Marie Muth
Jeffery Eric Newberry Jr.
Zuleima N. Nolasco
Alondra Nunez
Reyna G. Nunez
Ikechukwu Jordan Nwaobi
Riley Stephen O'Boyle
Jezabel Ocampo
Ulysses G. Ocana
Mallory Noel O'Connor

Graham School of Management

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Leslie Ortega
Malak Nidal Othman
Andrea Padilla
Arturo S. Padilla
Guadalupe Padilla
Emmanuel Patino
Aylin Perez
Grethel Perez
Jailin Perez
Marisleysis Perez
Santiago Perez
Penny Lane Malig-On
Pettersen
Minhchau Pham
Van Y Thi Phan
Jayden S. Phillips
Thomas Michael Plizga
Nicholas Reno Carli-Pociask
Edwar Estephano Ponce de
Leon Navarro
Zuzanna Radecki
Kathleen I. Reidy
Alejandro Roa
Jezreel Amani Rodriguez
Johnairys Jada Rodriguez
Maria Candela Ruiz Perez
Jeanette Sahagun
Andres Salgado
Rodolfo Sanchez Jr.
Zahid Sanchez
Genesis Santillan
Robert T. Satterwhite
Noah S. Scott
Zachary William Seeber
Armend Shabani
Derryl C. Shelton
Yovani Silva
Luke Jerret Snedden
Erin M. Speaker*
Athena Mia Speck
Samantha J. Stachon

Savannah Grace Stevens
Amanda Valencia
Jonathan A. Vales
Monce Vazquez
Angel M. Velazquez
Heidi Venegas
Jacolby L. Washington
Jalen L. Washington
Destini Ariel Watson
Ryenn C. Willers
Amiyah D. Williams
James Mekhi Wilson
Adriana M. Witkus
Julissa Zambrano
Celeste Zamora-Rosales
Samantha M. Zapata
Pauline Zolkiewicz
Donna M. Zubek

Master of Business Administration

Manuel Baeza Jr.
Sean Patrick Donald Brady
Jonathan D. Brody
Chyna L. Brown
Raysson Buckner, Jr.
Yvette Castillo
Michael Patrick Flier
Stephany Gaeta
Gilbert Gallarzo
Jason Daniel Ganser
Raymond J. Haran
Michael Matthew Infelise
Bridget Kenzinger
Carter Douglas Kopp
Madison A. Kuziela
Carlos-Ronaldo López
Erin T. McLaughlin
James Scott Mitchell
Izla L. Olson

Brian Piejko
Joseph Francisco Raices
Sofia Monique Rios
Ray Rodriguez
Michelle T. Sasala
Sofia Starr Serrano
Alexandra L. Shreve
Daius T. Smith
Taylor J. Steig
Miya M. Travis
Angelo S. Vela
Breeanna Villalpando
Nicholas J. Vittori
Maggie Warrington
Alisa Del Socorro Williams
Tiana Yvonne Williams
Patrick Williamson
Sarah Christine Witas
Rachel Zuppa

School of Nursing and Health Sciences

Charlene Bermele, DNP, MSN, Dean

Bachelor of Arts

Isabella P. Adamczyk
Rayan Fakhri Ajjaj
Jenna I. Al-Sheikh
Jennifer Andrade
Melissa Armas
Samira Bocanegra
Ryan L. Butler
Ethan H. Camacho
Saul Camacho
Carly N. Cardinal
Cielo Idali Cruz
Shimaia K. Dandridge
Daijah M. Faust
Rocelin Hernandez
Jarrett C. Kenyon
Marisa Mercado
Tamam S. Motan
Alessandra Padilla
Tiana Nikole Penn
Osvaldo Ramirez
Brianna Robinson
Melani Robles
Dannia Yasmin Ruiz
Emilia Sarat
Claudia Anna Serafin
Vaughn A. Smith
Jordyn Mariah Solares
Jeremiah D. Swanigan
Cassandra G. Sweis
Frederick L. Ward III
Joshua F. Zubrzycki

Bachelor of Science

Jaedan R. Aguilera
Omar Aparicio
Maria Alejandra Cano
Natalie Ariana Cleto
Ryan R. Conrad
Carolina Isabel Cosme
González

Carson T. Dekock
Fatima Duran
Francisco Jesus Espinoza
Izaih Frutos
Jaidn Emily Green
Nicole Grochola
Azenneth Hernandez
Neydi Hernandez
David A. Leonard
Hope Ann Lewis
Ezekiel N. Little
Katie M. Lotti
Riley Alan Lundgren
Brayden M. MacIejewski
Samuel James Moser
Samuel Edward Orłowski
Aaron Orzech
Mia Janae Padilla
Nicolas S. Piegari
Fatima C. Rendon-Bedolla
Alejandra Rodriguez
Kevin A. Rodriguez
Julian M. Rosenbach
Magdalena Sroka
Eden Frances Suda
Christopher Nathaniel
Swayne Jr.
Cassandra G. Sweis
Deyonce Zurrill Taylor
Michael R. Tieri
Orlando Richard Torres
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Justin Alan Yeazell
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Victoria Anuoluwapo
Atobatele
Dulce Guadalupe Baez
Itzel Barrera
Nadine Barrera
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Shannon P. Cornfield
Alyssa Saeed Dababneh
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Samantha Marie Davidson
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Ryanen M. Deweese
Marlene Duarte
Luisa James DuMaurier
Andrea Micaela Flores
Carlos Flores
Jacquelyn B. Frausto
Rylee Ann Gallagher
Jessica A. Gallegos
Fatima Garcia
Jasmine Garcia
Yiselle Isabel Garcia
Veronika Graca
Robert A. Heidegger
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*Honors Scholar

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Olivia Kundla
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Emily Ojeda
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John B. Plunkett
Cindy Ramirez
Lizbeth Ramos
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Master of Science

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Manjarrez
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Honorary Degree Recipient

Citation honoring Sister Barbara E. Reid, O.P.

Upon the conferral by Saint Xavier University of the degree Doctor of Theology, *honoris causa*



Sister Barbara E. Reid, O.P., is a Dominican Sister of Grand Rapids, Michigan, and is President Emerita and Carroll Stuhmueller, CP, Distinguished Professor of New Testament Studies at Catholic Theological Union. She holds a Ph.D. in biblical studies from The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., a master's degree in religious studies from Aquinas College, and a bachelor's degree in Spanish from Aquinas College. She taught Spanish and religion at St. Mary Cathedral High School in Saginaw, Michigan, before pursuing doctoral studies. She has taught at Catholic Theological Union since 1988, served as vice president and academic dean from 2009-2018, and as president from 2021–2025. A highlight during her time as president was attending the consistory in September 2023, at which then Bishop Robert Prevost, OSA, was made a Cardinal, and then attending his installation Mass as Pope Leo XIV in May 2025.

Sister Barbara has led many study tours and retreats in the Holy Lands: Israel, the Palestinian Territories, Greece, Turkey, and Egypt. She has been privileged to lecture in many countries around the world. She is the author of more than a dozen books and numerous articles, including “Parables for Preachers” (three volumes; Liturgical Press, 1999-2001), “Taking Up the Cross,” “New Testament Interpretations Through Latina and Feminist Eyes” (Fortress, 2007), “Wisdom’s Feast. An Invitation to Feminist Interpretation of the Scriptures” (Eerdmans, 2016), “At the Table of Holy Wisdom,” “Global Hungers and Feminist Biblical Interpretation” (Paulist, 2023), and the two-volume commentary on the Gospel of Luke that she co-authored with Shelly Matthews in the “Wisdom Commentary” series (Liturgical Press, 202), for which she is also general editor. She is also one of the general editors of the new “Jerome Biblical Commentary for the Twenty-first Century” (Bloomsbury Press, 2022).

For this and other pertinent reasons, we are most pleased to confer on Sister Barbara E. Reid the degree of Doctor of Theology, *honoris causa*, with all right and privileges thereof. Done in Chicago, this ninth day of May 2026.

College of Liberal Arts and Education, Natural Sciences and Computer Science Ceremony

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Introduction of Honorary Degree Recipient

Avis Clendenen '72, Ph.D.
Trustee Emeriti

Conferral of Honorary Degree

Sister Barbara E. Reid, O.P.

Caress Dean, Ph.D.
Provost

Student Speaker

Diego Perez
Computer Science, Class of 2026

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(1778-1841)

Founder of the Religious Sisters of Mercy (1831)

Declared Venerable by Pope John Paul II (1990)

My God, I am thine for all eternity;
teach me to cast my whole self into the arms of Thy Providence
with the most lively unlimited confidence
in Thy compassionate, tender pity.
“Grant, O most Merciful Redeemer,
that whatever Thou dost ordain or permit
may always be acceptable to me;
take from my heart all painful anxiety,
suffer nothing to afflict me, but sin;
nothing to delight me, but the hope of coming
to the possession of Thee, my God,
in Thy own everlasting Kingdom. Amen.”

The original wording of “The Suscipe” as found
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- Catherine McAuley,
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