



Ann Spray Newsome

July 21, 1928 - April 22, 2020

Ann Lydia Spray Newsome of Worton, MD, passed away on Wednesday, April 22, 2020, at University of Maryland Shore Medical Center at Chestertown, MD. She was 91.

Born on July 21, 1928, in Chestertown, MD, she was the daughter of the late William S. and Martha Magrogan Spray.

She graduated from Chestertown High School and Beacom College in Wilmington, DE.

On February 14, 1953, she married Frank (Pete) Newsome, Sr. She became a farmer's wife, raising her family, doing the farming chores, cooking dinners, while working as a fiscal administrator with the Kent County Health Department.

Ann was a devout catholic and attended Sacred Heart Church her entire life. She taught Sunday school and RCIA classes. She loved flower gardening and caring for her beloved grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Mrs. Newsome was predeceased by her husband in 2005 and her daughter Barbara A. Darrah in 2016; two brothers, Robert C. Spray, William Spray; three sisters, Mary Bigelow, Eileen Carney and Rosetta Lins; two daughters,

Theresa L. Milash (Paul Milash) of Chestertown, MD, and Margaret E. (Kenneth) of Worton, MD; a son, Frank S. Newsome, Jr., and his wife Roxanne Newsome of Worton, MD; twelve grandchildren, Elizabeth Zebatakis, Sarah Darrah-Gill, Andy Milash, Zachary Milash, Conner Newsome, Shane Newsome, Nichole Newsome, Ashley Newsome, Lusas Newsome, Tim Elgard, Rod Scheck, Brad Scheck; and twelve great-grandchildren. She was also survived by a sister, Margaret Kimble of Centreville, MD, and brother James Spray of Harrington, DE.

The Coronavirus has impacted our everyday lives and sadly it includes the celebration of life affecting friends and family of loved ones and their ability to gather and pay their respect in traditional ways. In light of this, a memorial mass will be held at a later date.

Graveside services will be held privately but you are invited to live-stream the services on Saturday, April 25, 2020, beginning at 12 noon.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 508 High Street Chestertown, MD 21620 or the American Diabetes Association 3120 Tianus Lane Suite 106, Baltimore, MD 21244.

Previous Events

Live Streaming Video of Service

APR **25**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Under webcasting on our website

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - April 23, 2020 at 12:34 PM



Bless Aunt Ann and family. Wish we could be there and give you all a huge hug! Love you all and you are in our hearts and prayers.

Jeffrey Johnson - April 25, 2020 at 12:14 PM

DP

To the Newsome family. Very sorry for your loss. R I P

Daniel Pletzer - April 26, 2020 at 02:52 PM



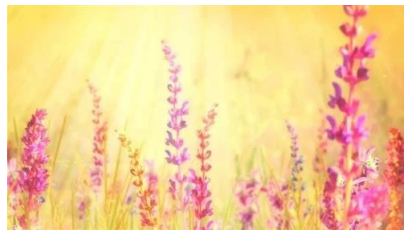
Anne was always a very serene, soft spoken person. She will be missed by many. My thoughts and prayers go out to her family/

Phyllis Schultz

Phyllis Schultz - May 03, 2020 at 02:21 PM



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - April 23, 2020 at 11:49 AM

LT

Beautiful tribute to a beautiful lady

Laura Taylor - April 23, 2020 at 11:46 PM

CY

So beautiful. I am so blessed to have known this beautiful lady. She will never be forgotten. This is a beautiful tribute to a beautiful lady.

Carol Ann Yiannakis - April 24, 2020 at 07:28 AM

LR

So moving. Aunt Ann leaves a legacy of love and family. I will miss her very much.

Lynn Riley - April 25, 2020 at 08:45 AM

GD

Randy & I are with you today, We will miss this beautiful lady. Love to you all!

Glenda Denny - April 25, 2020 at 12:36 PM



*We will always remember Ms. Ann and her kindness to our family. She loved everyone and everyone loved her. Our memories of her will live in our hearts forever. Our deepest sympathy to the entire family.
Carmen Pratt & Skip Vanderslice*

Carmen Pratt - April 25, 2020 at 01:16 PM

TM

Thank you to all who send a comforting word or thought , shared a memory with the family or send a card or flowers to the Newsome family during this difficult time of loss. We will always have mom in our hearts and memories.

Terry, Maggie, Frank and all the grandchildren and grand grandkids💔

Terry Milash - April 27, 2020 at 10:41 AM



“ *Ann Spray Newsome*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Ann Spray Newsome*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Ann Spray Newsome*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

TB

“ *So very sorry for your loss.... Thank you for allowing Ms. Newsome be apart of our lives. Sending prayers to the entire family.*

*~Tracy Broomall
Admission Director
Autumn Lake Healthcare at Chestertown*



Tracy Broomall - May 01, 2020 at 04:23 PM

TF

“ *The John D. Edwards Family lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



The John D. Edwards Family - April 28, 2020 at 02:38 PM



“ *Tina Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



Tina Johnson - April 27, 2020 at 08:06 AM

JH

“ *Jennifer Nicholson Holden lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



Jennifer Nicholson Holden - April 26, 2020 at 06:43 PM

PT

“ *Pamela Teat lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



Pamela Teat - April 26, 2020 at 12:19 AM

KE

“ *Kevin&Debbie lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



Kevin&Debbie - April 25, 2020 at 11:21 AM

RL

“ *Rick and Do Leonard send their condolences in this difficult time.*



Richard A Leonard - April 25, 2020 at 10:21 AM

 Barbi Bedell

“ *My heart is saddend with yours. Sending caring thoughts. Please take good care.
~~~Barbi Bedell*

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**Barbi Bedell** - April 25, 2020 at 07:27 AM

CN

“ *Sending prayers and love to you all. Heaven has gained another special angel. Much love from Bobby and Chrissy.*



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**Christine Nelson** - April 24, 2020 at 10:54 PM

MM

“ *What a fabulous tribute for a wonderful lady and a life well lived. My sincere sympathies to everyone of my friends in the Newsome family. Sending love and prayers out for all.*  
*Mark*

mark mumford - April 24, 2020 at 07:06 PM

MM

“ *Mark Mumford lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



mark mumford - April 24, 2020 at 07:03 PM

MM

*The tribute was perfect for such a wonderful lady. Lots of love to the entire family.*

mark mumford - April 24, 2020 at 07:08 PM

BS

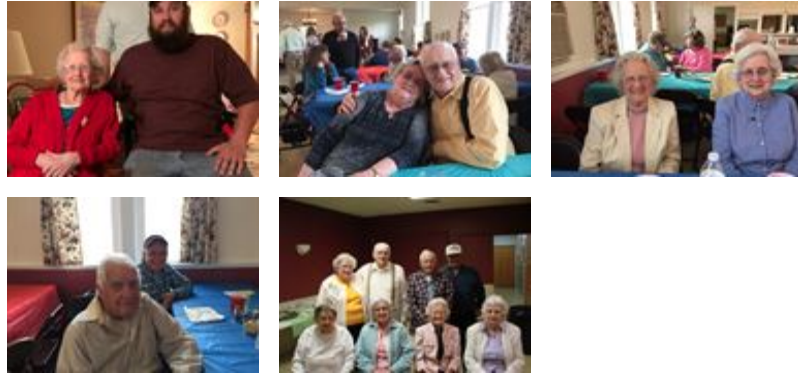
“ *Brad And Lori Scheck lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



Brad and Lori Scheck - April 24, 2020 at 03:58 PM



“ 20 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - April 24, 2020 at 09:48 AM

CM

“ *CINDY MORRIS lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



**CINDY MORRIS** - April 24, 2020 at 08:56 AM

PH

“ *Peggy Hammer lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



**Peggy Hammer** - April 24, 2020 at 08:29 AM

BE

“ Bonnie Edwards lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Bonnie Edwards - April 23, 2020 at 09:23 PM

LM

“ Lee And Susan McGinnis lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Lee and Susan McGinnis - April 23, 2020 at 08:46 PM

DH

“ Donna Hollingsworth lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Donna Hollingsworth - April 23, 2020 at 08:15 PM

DB

“ David & Stefanie Blyman lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



David & Stefanie Blyman - April 23, 2020 at 08:01 PM

DB

*Prayers to all of the family.  
David & Stefanie*

David & Stefanie Blyman - April 23, 2020 at 08:02 PM

JH

“ Jeff & Donna Hollett lit a candle in memory of  
Ann Spray Newsome



Jeff & Donna Hollett - April 23, 2020 at 05:40 PM

JW

“ So sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to all of you.

Josie Wersten - April 23, 2020 at 05:02 PM

JL

“ John M Larrimore lit a candle in memory of  
Ann Spray Newsome



John M Larrimore - April 23, 2020 at 04:28 PM

EL

“ Eric & Donna Legg lit a candle in memory of  
Ann Spray Newsome



Eric & Donna Legg - April 23, 2020 at 04:23 PM

RK

“ Although I did not know Mrs. Newsome, I feel she was a great person judging by her family, especially Frank and Roxanne. My sincerest condolences to the family of Mrs. Newsome.

Ruth Kerr - April 23, 2020 at 01:47 PM

LR

“ Aunt Ann Newsome was a special person to me and she will be missed. Thinking of the entire Newsome Family and sending love.  
Lynn Newsome Riley

Lynn M Riley - April 23, 2020 at 01:20 PM

JB

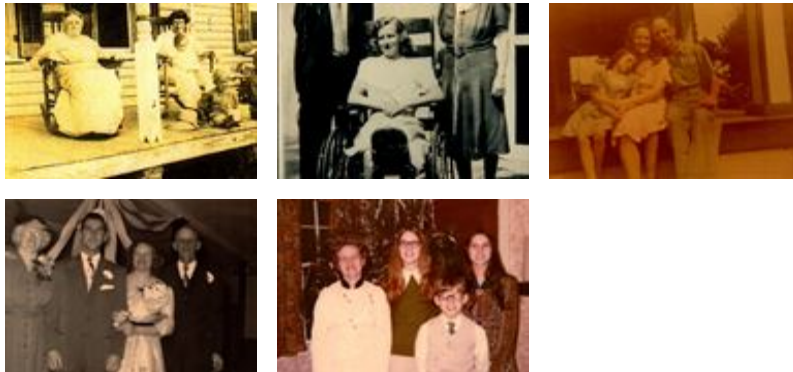
“ Sending thoughts and prayers. She was a lovely lady.



Jeff&Sandra Baker - April 23, 2020 at 01:14 PM



“ 124 files added to the album LifeTributes



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - April 23, 2020 at 11:35 AM

SS

“ Margaret, I am so sorry to read of the loss of your sister. Praying for you and your family.  
Sherri Szczechura



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**Sherri Szczechura** - April 23, 2020 at 11:07 AM

SM

“ SUSAN MARTINEZ lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



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**SUSAN MARTINEZ** - April 23, 2020 at 10:43 AM

CV

“ Cousin Ann was a beautiful lady. I never saw her without a smile on her face. She was always a joy to visit with. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. - Carolyn and Rick Vasant

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**Carolyn Vasant** - April 23, 2020 at 10:03 AM

CV

“ Carolyn Vasant lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



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**Carolyn Vasant** - April 23, 2020 at 10:01 AM

JV

“ *John, Mary and AJ Besse, Carolyn and Rick Vansant purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Ann Spray Newsome.*



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**John, Mary and AJ Besse, Carolyn and Rick Vansant** - April 23, 2020 at 10:00 AM

DT

“ *Mrs Newsome was one the sweetest lady I have ever met. Will miss her.*



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**Dian Truitt** - April 23, 2020 at 09:58 AM



“ *Garden of Sweet Memories Casket Spray was purchased for the family of Ann Spray Newsome.*



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April 23, 2020 at 09:00 AM

MR

“ *Max & Maryann Ruehrmund lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Max & Maryann Ruehrmund** - April 23, 2020 at 08:48 AM

JU

“ *Julie&Jamie lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Julie&Jamie** - April 23, 2020 at 07:05 AM

PC

“ *Pamela Coursey lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Pamela Coursey** - April 23, 2020 at 01:17 AM

JN

“ *Joyce M Nicholson lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Joyce M Nicholson** - April 23, 2020 at 01:07 AM

JN

*RIP my dear loving Aunt Ann, prayers and thoughts to my Cousin's. I Love You !*

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**Joyce M Nicholson** - April 23, 2020 at 01:09 AM

SD

“ *Sheila Dixon lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Sheila Dixon** - April 22, 2020 at 11:38 PM

HW

“ *Fly high in peace sweet angel! Prayers of comfort to her family!* 🙏



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**Heather Walls** - April 22, 2020 at 11:26 PM

KT

“ *Many prayers and love sent to my sister and Brother inlaw Frank and my nieces and nephews. Granny will forever remain in our hearts as a wonderful mother and grandmother. She always treated Michael , Ashley and I as family and we loved her very much. She spread her kindness and love to everyone she was around. I will always remember her 4 of a kind cake at Christmas and all of the fun we have shared at the farm with her and Pop Newsome. It softens my heart to know they are at peace together. Many prayers and love sent to all of the Newsome family and their families.*



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**Karen Tiedgen** - April 22, 2020 at 11:03 PM

BS

“ *Bill & Stephanie Spencer lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Bill & Stephanie Spencer** - April 22, 2020 at 10:57 PM

AT

“ *Anna Tubman lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Anna Tubman** - April 22, 2020 at 10:15 PM

LF

“ *Our thoughts and prayers to the family. She was a very special Aunt. Love, Linda and Gary*



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**Linda Fry** - April 22, 2020 at 10:13 PM

BN

“ *Bob And Debbie Nickerson lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Bob and Debbie Nickerson** - April 22, 2020 at 10:10 PM

BN

*Our thoughts and prayers are with the Newsome family.*

**Bob and Debbie Nickerson** - April 22, 2020 at 10:11 PM

LD

“ Lydia Dagenais lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



**Lydia Dagenais** - April 22, 2020 at 10:08 PM

PK

“ I have wonderful memories of sitting behind ‘Miss Ann’ and her family at Sacred Heart Catholic Church when I was a child & teen. My deepest sympathy to her family. She was a wonderful deeply religious woman. May your memories help get you thru this difficult time.  
Phyllis Schauber Keefe

**Phyllis Schauber Keefe** - April 22, 2020 at 10:07 PM

DE

“ Donna Hubbard Edwards sent a virtual gift in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



**Donna Hubbard Edwards** - April 22, 2020 at 10:02 PM

MF

“ I only knew Ms. Newsome for a short while but the little time I spent with her she stole my heart! She would always have a smile on her face even when she was feeling bad. She was an angel on earth and now an angel in heaven! Prayers for comfort and strength to the family.



Marilyn Ford - April 22, 2020 at 09:57 PM

CK

“ Cindy King lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Cindy King - April 22, 2020 at 09:49 PM

SC

“ Steve & Bonnie Cullis lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Steve & Bonnie Cullis - April 22, 2020 at 09:47 PM

ST

Bonnie and I wish to send our deepest sympathies to Frank and all of Miss Ann's family. She was always a very sweet woman .

Steve - April 22, 2020 at 09:49 PM

CT

“ *She was always a sweetheart and even though we weren't related by blood she was Aunt Ann to my three Milledge children. Always remember the barn dances. Sending my condolences to Frak and the girls and their families.*



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**Carolyn Temple** - April 22, 2020 at 09:24 PM

JC

“ *Jeff & Vickie Conner lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Jeff & Vickie Conner** - April 22, 2020 at 09:18 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ann Spray Newsome.*



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April 22, 2020 at 09:10 PM

CC

“ *Cody And Cindy Clark lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Cody and Cindy Clark** - April 22, 2020 at 09:09 PM

MK

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family during this sad time. She was so sweet and kind and will be missed.*  
*Margaret Cohey Kaufman*

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**margaret kaufman** - April 22, 2020 at 09:06 PM

RH

“ *She was truly a wonderful person. May you find peace in the memories. Heartfelt Condolences.*



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**Regina Hilderbrand** - April 22, 2020 at 08:55 PM

BC

“ *Barbara Coleman lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Barbara Coleman** - April 22, 2020 at 08:41 PM

JJ

“ *James P. Joiner lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**James P. Joiner** - April 22, 2020 at 08:35 PM

CB

“ Cheryl Butler And Brendon lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Cheryl Butler and Brendon - April 22, 2020 at 08:35 PM

DW

“ Aunt Ann was such a gentle, loving soul...soft spoken with a smile that spoke to your heart.  
She was a devoted child of God's .  
Everyone who had the pleasure of meeting and knowing her loved her and She loved them...she will be so sadly missed.

Dale & Louanne Williamson - April 22, 2020 at 08:30 PM

BH

“ Brenda Hahn lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Brenda Hahn - April 22, 2020 at 08:25 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ann Spray Newsome.



April 22, 2020 at 08:23 PM

DW

“ Dale & Louanne Williamson lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Dale & Louanne Williamson - April 22, 2020 at 08:23 PM

MU

“ Marie Usilton lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Marie Usilton - April 22, 2020 at 08:07 PM

LS

“ So sorry to hear about your mom, thinking about all of you, sending our love, Dwayne, Lisa, Harley, Jenna Sewell Aaron Brink



lisa Sewell - April 22, 2020 at 08:05 PM

JB

“ Aunt Ann was an unbelievable lady. She was a great teacher, adviser, listener and had an infectious smile a laugh. She will be missed.



Jack and Anne Bigelow - April 22, 2020 at 08:02 PM

JG

“ Jeff And Vicky Galt lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Jeff and Vicky Galt - April 22, 2020 at 07:32 PM

JG

So sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers for Frank, Roxanne and family.

Jeff and Vicky Galt - April 22, 2020 at 07:33 PM

KC

“ Frank & Family, we are sorry to hear the news of your Mom. Hugs to you all.

Kerry Covey - April 22, 2020 at 07:07 PM

FL

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Keeping all of your family in our thoughts and prayers.



Frankie and Cathy Legg - April 22, 2020 at 07:03 PM

JS

“ Jeanette Stubbs lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Jeanette Stubbs - April 22, 2020 at 07:03 PM

FD

“ Frankie & Jane Dill lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Frankie & Jane Dill - April 22, 2020 at 07:03 PM

JH

“ Sorry for your loss all our prayers and blessings to all the family ❤️  
🌸🙏 Jim&Shari Hershberger ❤️

James Hershberger - April 22, 2020 at 06:32 PM

PG

“ Pat Grussing lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome



Pat Grussing - April 22, 2020 at 06:31 PM

PG

So very sorry to hear this. I had a lot of fun times when growing up. Thoughts and prayers to the Newsome family. Love to all.

Pat Grussing - April 22, 2020 at 06:32 PM

BB

“ Sorry for your loss



becky brilz - April 22, 2020 at 05:57 PM

RG

“ *Rosemary Gagalski lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Rosemary Gagalski** - April 22, 2020 at 05:42 PM

CD

“ *Thoughts and prayers are with the family in our time of great loss. She will be surely missed by ALL !*

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**Casey Darrah** - April 22, 2020 at 05:08 PM

CD

“ *Casey Darrah lit a candle in memory of Ann Spray Newsome*



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**Casey Darrah** - April 22, 2020 at 05:05 PM