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emotional expressiveness, alliance with supernatural forces and incorporation of mass culture's secular diversions into the sacred.