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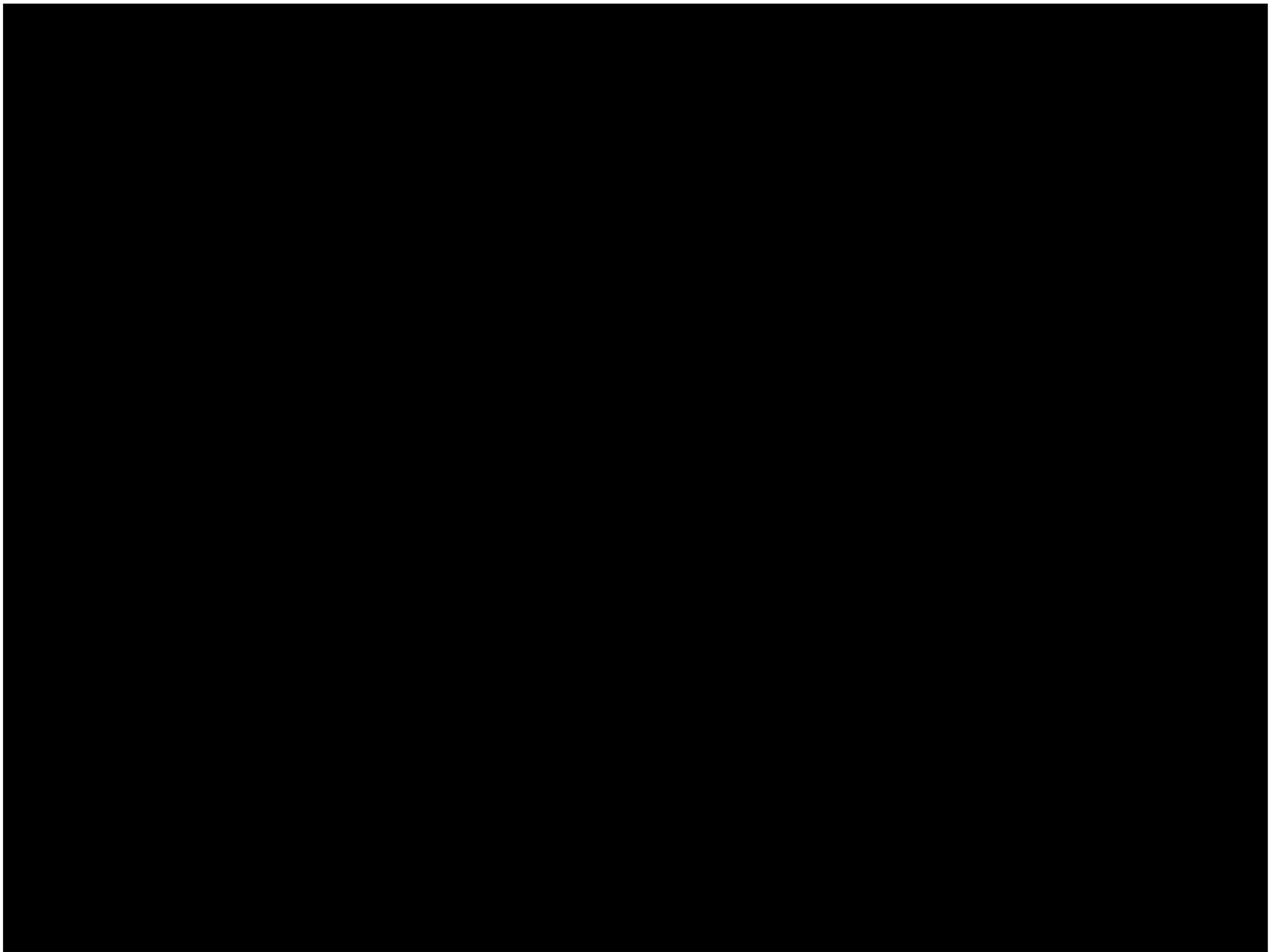
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Join us this Sunday,
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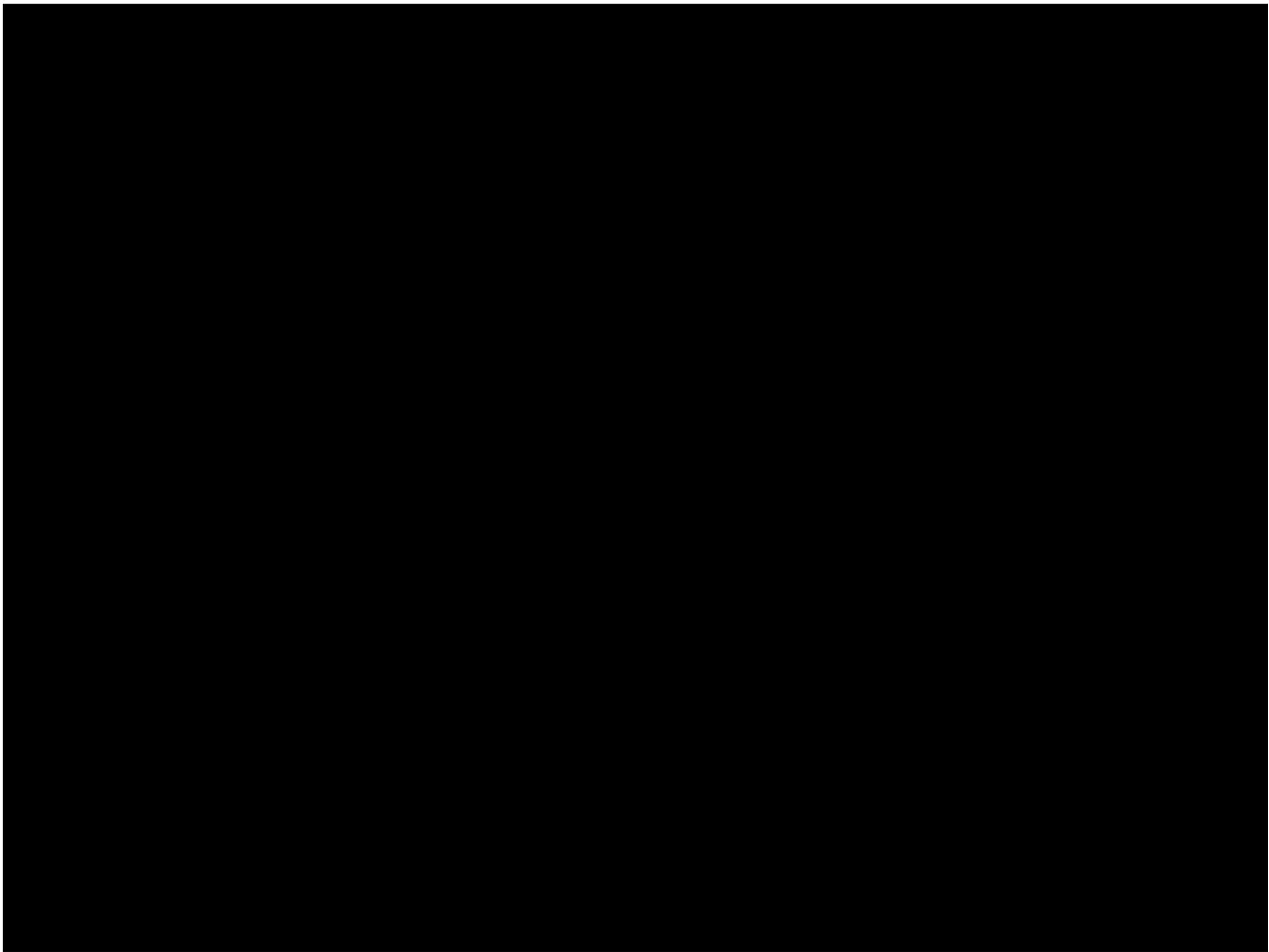
Join us after morning worship on
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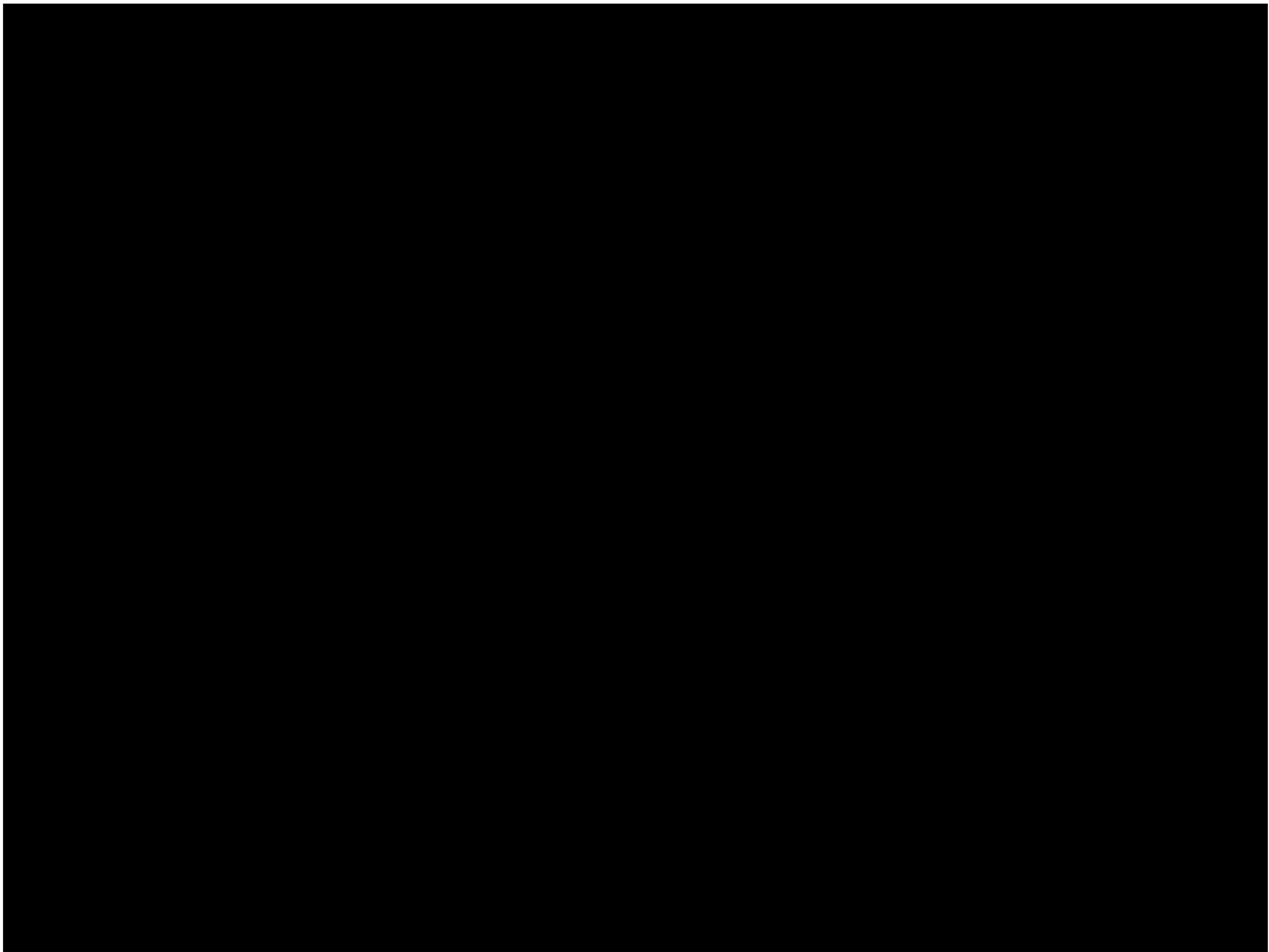
Stand Firm Through Anxiety

Philippians 4:6-7



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Philippians 2:19-21. cf. 2:3-4; **1 Cor. 12:25** “care” μεριμνάω

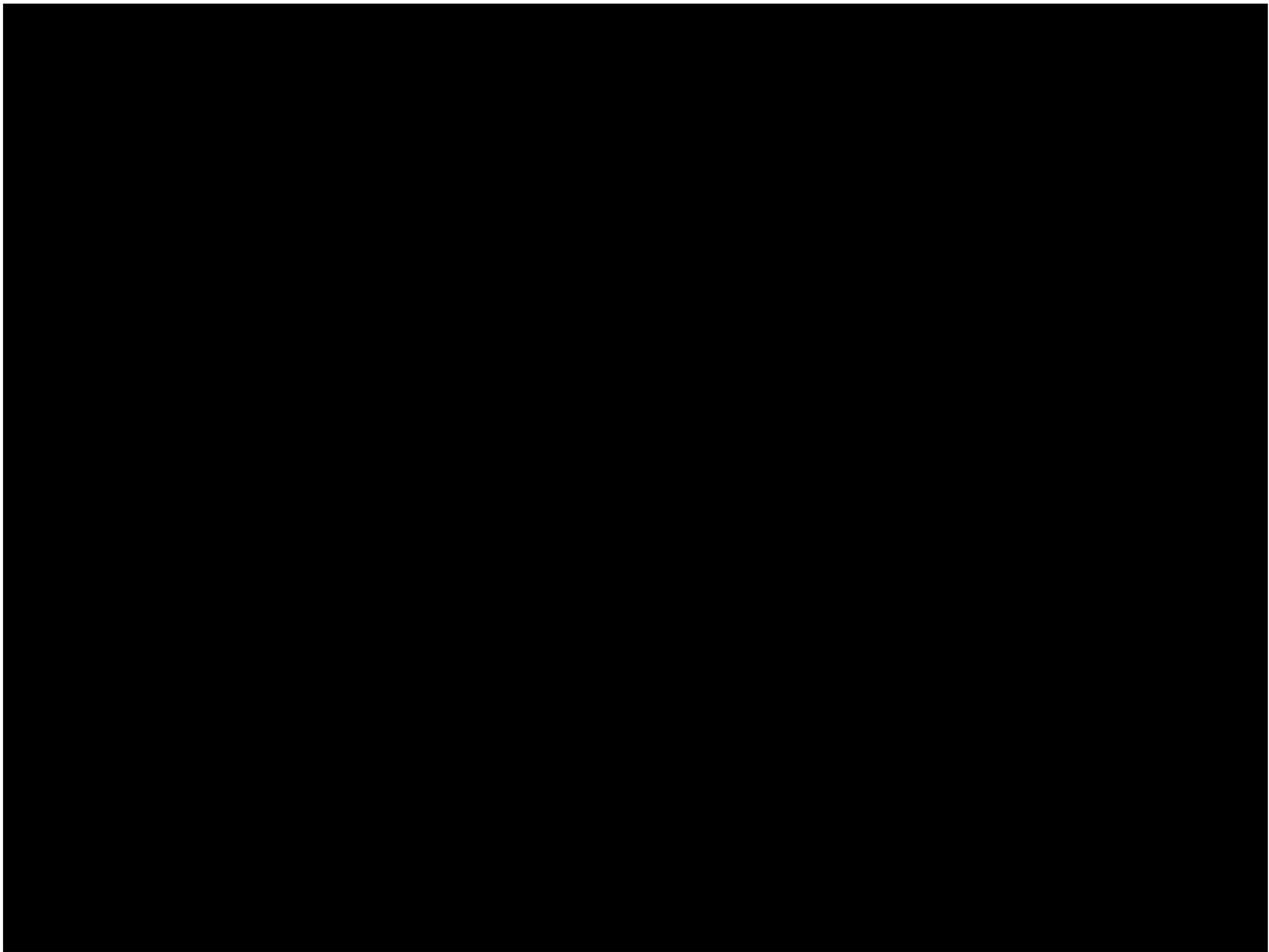
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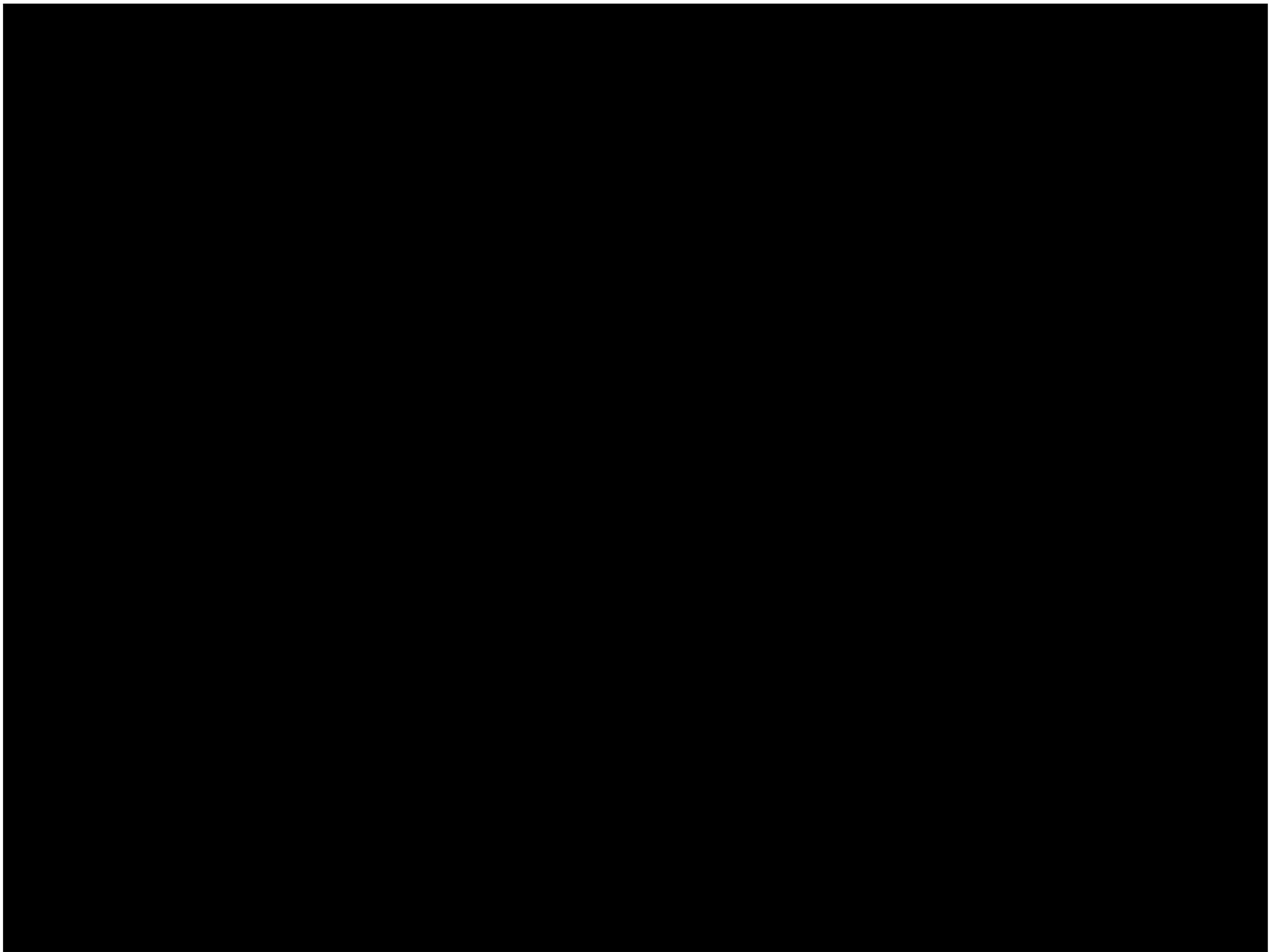
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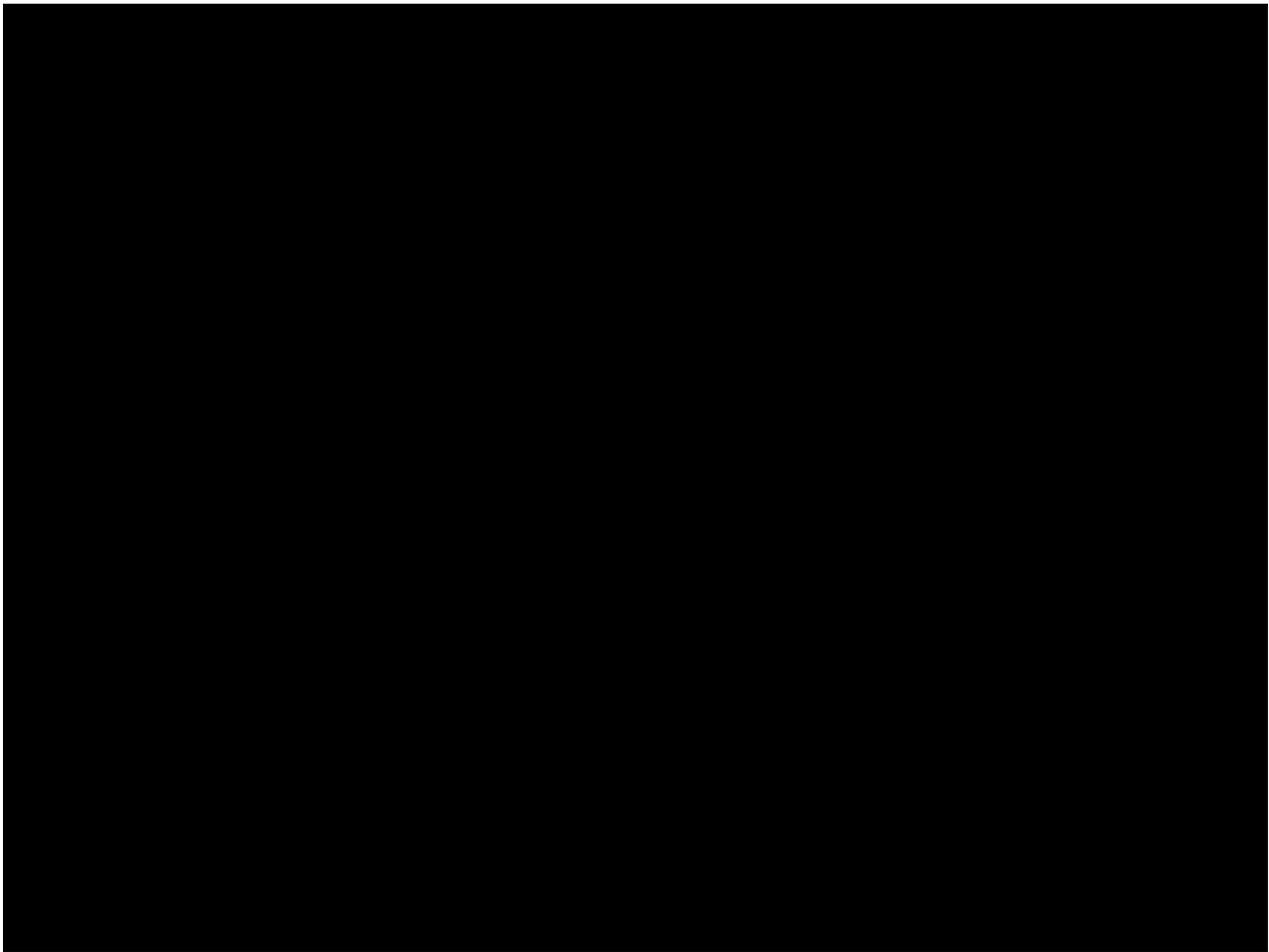
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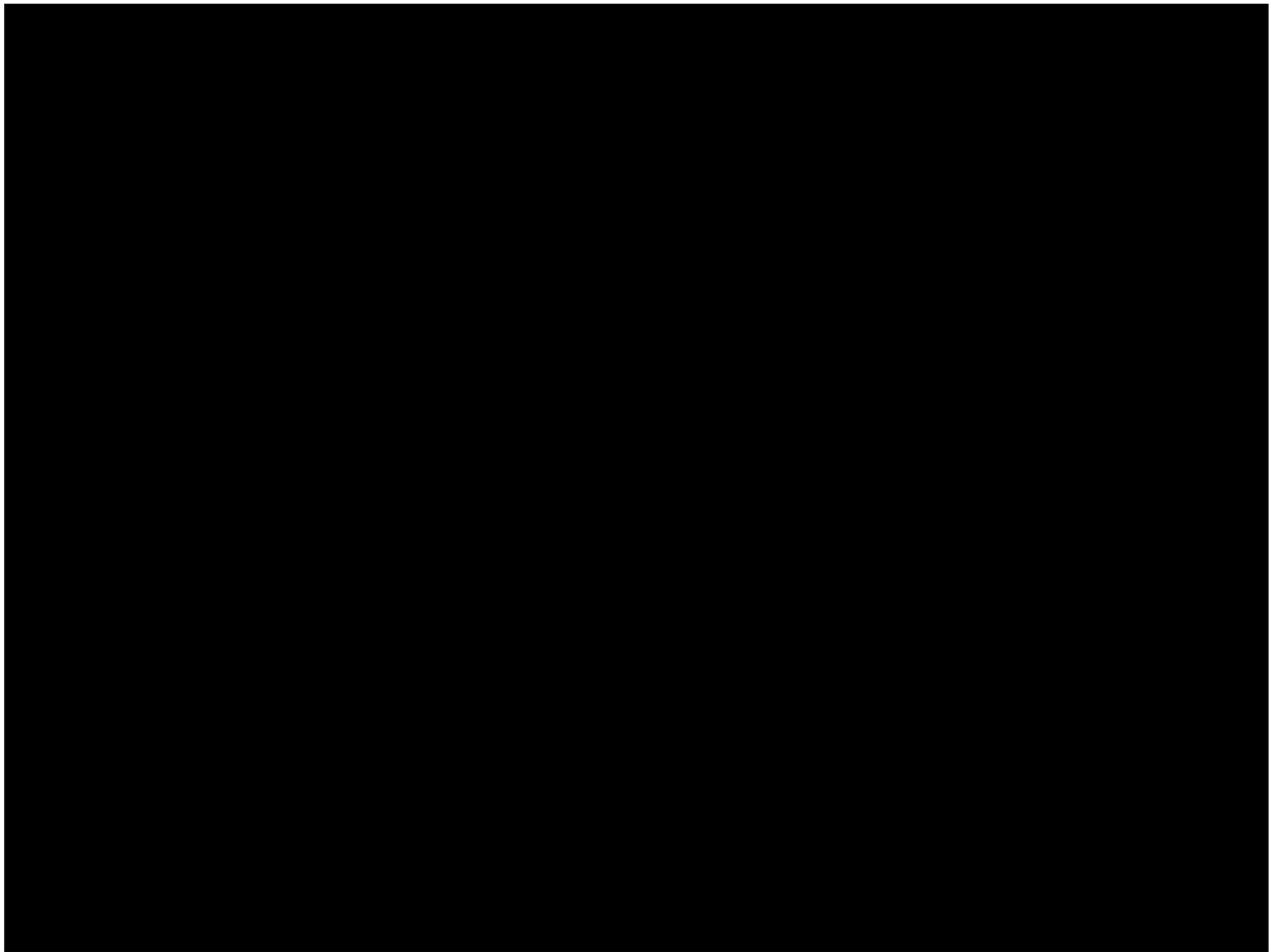
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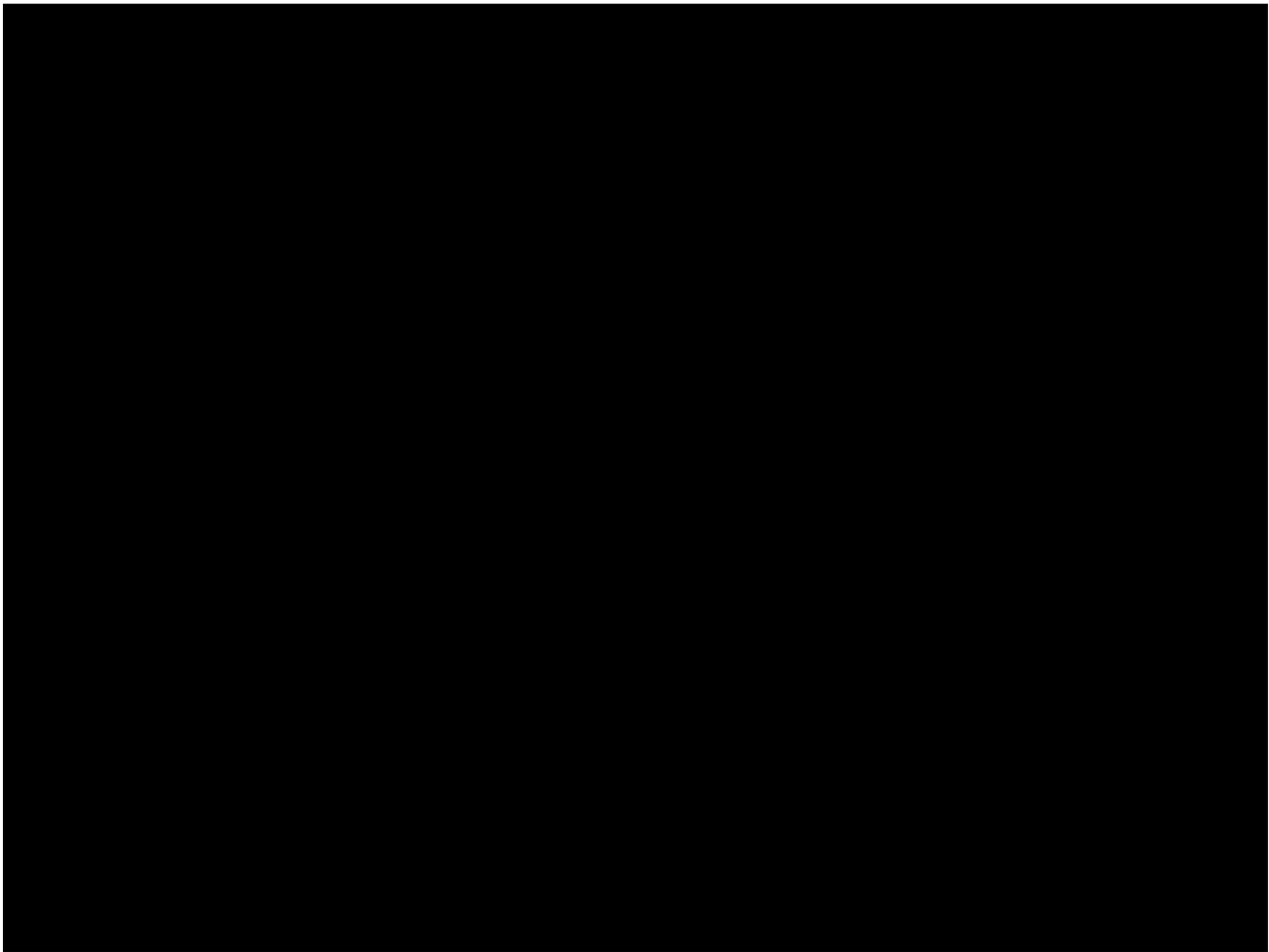
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