



**Puzzled  
Pint** APRIL  
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# Pasta Point of No Return



When it came time for the pasta course, Chef Betalli had something unique for his Puzzled Pint guests. It was “puzzlitini,” a concoction of pastas all wound together in a plate, curling and meandering

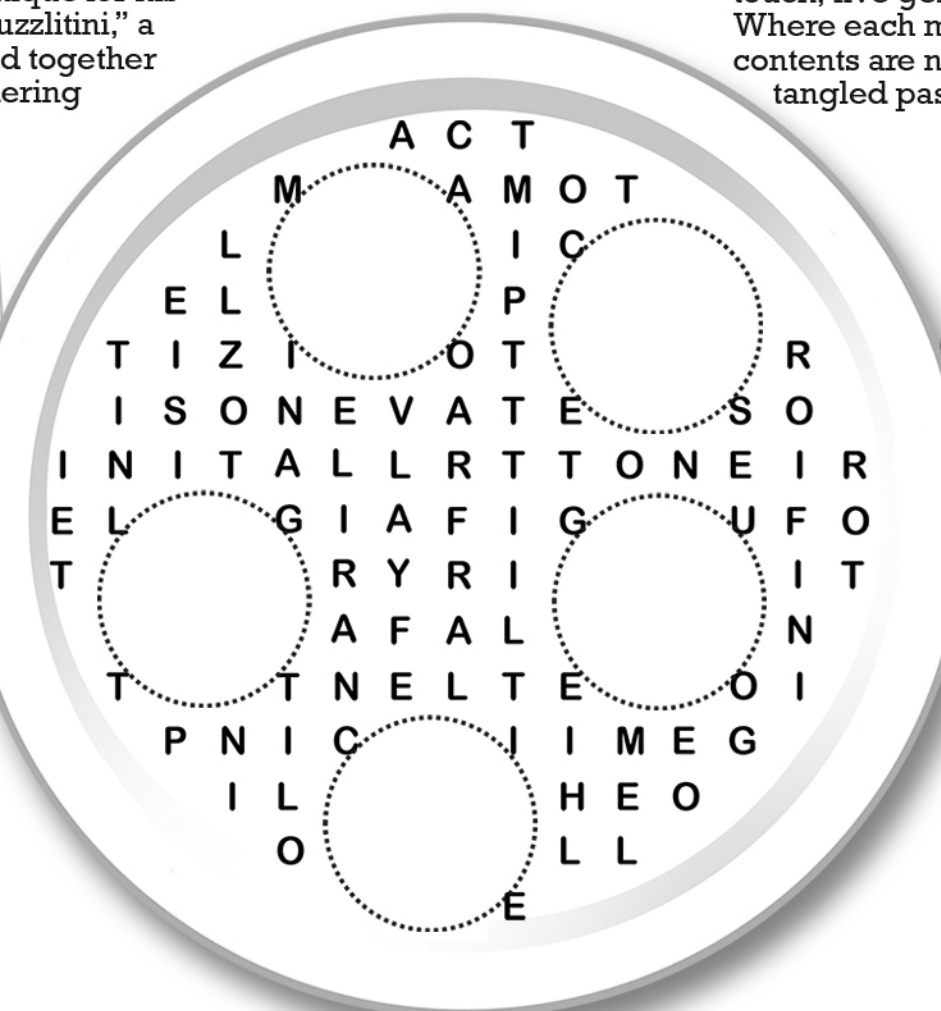
up, down or sideways (never diagonally.)

But, **none shared the same “ingredients.”**

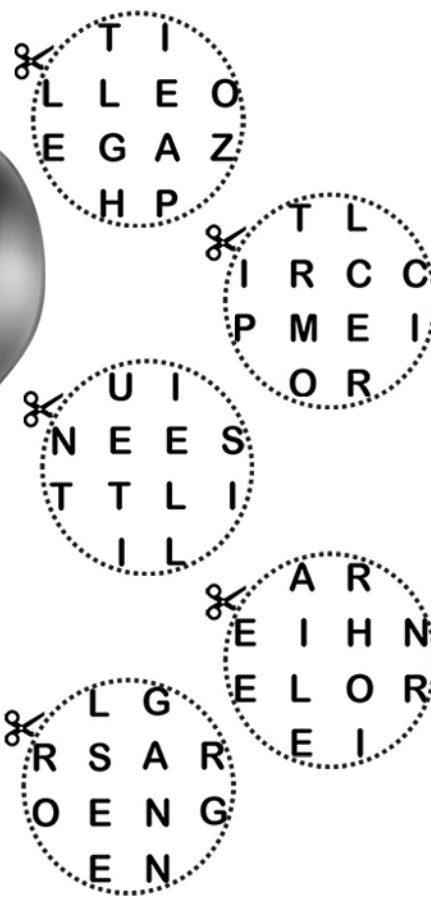
The pasta was served with a choice of sauces — marinara, cream sauce and one other. What will happen **after** these diners **have their fill**?

## Pastas in puzzlitini:

CARAMELLE  
FARFALLE  
FUSILLI  
GARGANELLI  
GEMELLI  
LINGUINE  
MANICOTTI  
ORECCHIETTE  
ORZO  
PENNE  
RAVIOLI  
RIGATONI  
ROTELLE  
ROTINI  
SPAGHETTI  
TORTELLINI  
TRIPOLINI  
ZITI



Before serving, Chef Alfa Betalli adds his final touch, five generously-portioned meatballs. Where each meatball goes is up to you, but their contents are needed to solve the tangled pasta puzzle.



When the diners pointed out that they had been promised a choice between three different sauces but only two were served, what did the waiter say excitedly to reassure them?

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