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Used to express farewell.

[Spanish *adiós*, from *a Diós*, to God : *a*, to (from Latin *ad*; see [AD-](#)) + *Dios*, God (from Latin *deus*; see **dyeu-** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#)).]

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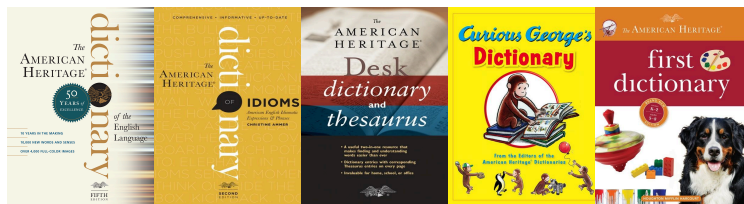
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