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Amino Acid Sequence: Break this code or

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MRNA Sequence: GAU GAC UAG AAG UAC UUU AGG AAU GGU CAA AAG GCA AAA UAC AAG CGC UCA UCC GAC ACC AAG

Amino Acid Sequence: give back the nobel prize

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Amino Acid Sequence: I'm the riddle of life.

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MRNA Sequence: AAU GCA AAA CAG AUC AAG UUU GCA GCU UCG AAA CUG CAG GAC CGC CGC AAU GCA AAA CAG UCG AAA CUG UCC GCG AAG CGC CUC

Amino Acid Sequence: Know me and you will know yourself