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The open problem of constructing a *net* (a connected edge-unfolding without overlap) for every convex polyhedron can be traced back 500 years to Albrecht Durer. We explore nets for higher dimensional polytopes, with an emphasis on cubes. A visual algorithm is developed which outputs geometric unfoldings given a spanning tree. This machinery is used to show that *any* unfolding of an  $n$ -cube is without overlap. We close with a look at unfoldings into chains, with an elegant relationship to integer partitions. (Received August 23, 2017)