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前言

在情感的地平线上,凝望远处那一片深邃,那是渴望的矜持在鸣唱心底的丝语,那是呼唤的守候在温暖彼此的眼眸,那是虔诚的憧憬在释放思想的光芒。走在双语铺就的雨花石小道上,在浓浓的书墨香中,开始我们成长旅途上的一次双语学习,一起翻阅《双语学习丛书》中的点点滴滴。

本丛书含有精美散文、优美歌曲、流行口语、流行人物,内容丰富、风格多样。具体如下:

在"人间真情"系列中, 父爱、母爱、挚爱、年华、成长, 开启一段博爱与长大的心路 历程,在爱与情的交融中,感 受来自心灵的震撼,品味篇篇 妙语佳作。



在"成长之路"系列中,人生、岁月、青春、校园、生命,创造一个坚定与执着的梦想奇迹,在真善美的灵魂里,超越生命极限的可能,体验行文字字珠玑。

在"美妙旋律"系列中,赞美、爱情、回忆、故乡、快乐,珍惜一段感情与记忆的酸甜苦辣,在七色光的音符中,歌唱情感至真的部分,珍藏情感永恒的旋律。

在"风行时尚"系列中,流行前沿、摩登口秀、幽默风尚、趣话校园、节日盘点,引领一场时尚与风情的流行盛宴,在流行风的刺激中,释放个性无限的能量,做自我主张欢乐派。

在"精英名流"系列中,政坛、影坛、体坛、艺坛、财坛,凸现一次群英璀璨的大会合,在光芒四射的舞台上, 绽放永久长存的魅力,让人生永远年轻。

本丛书取材广泛,语言地道生动,双语左右对照,方 使阅读;难词注解,一网打尽;插页标语,图文并茂;真情 点评,娓娓道来;单词总汇,尽收眼底。

由于编写的内容只是亿万之一,加之编者水平有限,不足之处,愿大家批评和指正。

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Marriage is a covered dish.

A Gentle Reminder

Having been married a long time, my husband sometimes needs a gentle reminder of a special occasion. On the morning of our 35th anniversary[®], we were sitting at the breakfast table when I hinted[®], "Honey, do you realize that we've been sitting in these same two seats for exactly 35 years?"

Putting down the newspaper, he looked straight at me and said, "So, you want to switch seats?"

- ① anniversary n. 周年纪念
- ② hint v. 暗示

婚姻是一道盖着的菜。

委婉提醒

婚后已久,我丈夫往往在一个特别事情上需要委婉的提醒。在我们结婚 35 周年纪念的早上,我们正坐在早餐桌旁,我暗示道: "亲爱的,你意识到我们在这两个相同的座位上已坐了整整 35 年了吗?"

他放下手中的报纸, 呆呆地看着我说: "噢, 你想要, 要换座位是吗?"

时尚幽默

A careful household budget is a key to a happy family.

A Pleasant Surprise

A friend of mine had been wanting new kitchen cabinets for a long time, but her husband insisted they were an extravagance. She went to visit her mother for two weeks, and when she returned, she was overjoyed to find that beautiful new cabinets had been installed.

A few days later a neighbor came over to visit my friend. After admiring the new cabinets, the neighbor added, "All of us were so glad that the fire your husband had while you were gone was confined to the kitchen."

仔细的家庭预算是家庭幸福 的一个关键所在。 \

惊 喜

我朋友有很长一段时间一直想在厨房添置一些橱柜,但她丈夫坚持说这是铺张浪费。 她去娘家过了两周,回到家来,发现厨房里新添置了漂亮的橱柜,这令她喜出望外。

几天后,邻居来拜访我朋友,欣赏了新橱柜后,邻居说:"你不在家的时候,你丈夫弄失了火,我们都深感庆幸只是厨房遭了殃。"

时尚幽默

Nothing in life is to be feared. It is only to be understood.

A Preacher's Topic

A preacher^① was asked to give a talk at a local women's health symposium^②. His wife asked about his topic, but he was too embarrassed^③ to admit that he had been asked to speak about sex. Thinking quickly, he replied, "I'm talking about sailing."

- ① preacher n. 传教士
- ② symposium n. 专题研讨会
- ③ embarrassed adj. 局促不安的