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## Unit 01

**Make and Do**

These two verbs are often confused as they have very similar meanings.

**Do** is frequently used to talk about work:

Exs: I can't stand doing homework.

He never did any homework at school.

We'll have to do some shopping tomorrow.

There's a lot of work to do in the garden.

One meaning of make is to create or produce something:

Exs: Jane makes her own bread.

They used to make furniture in this factory.

Try to memorise these other common expressions with and :

Exs: Do an exam

Do someone a favour

Do your best

Do business

Make a mistake      make arrangements

Make a mess      make a plan

Make a noise      make the bed

Make a phone call      make money

Make a suggestion      make an excuse

Make a decision

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

- 1) He told us that he was too tired to go out.
- 2) I told the boys that they should not make so much noise.
- 3) Possibly the weather will get warmer tomorrow.
- 4) Perhaps it will not rain this afternoon.
- 5) Will Helen wait for us at the airport?
- 6) Will she help him with the work?
- 7) May he leave tomorrow?
- 8) Will George lend us the money which we need?
- 9) Are Mr. And Mrs. Smith going to take the children with them to New York?
- 10) We have been planning this trip since we got married.

- 11) He has worked for that firm since 1980.
- 12) I have not seen her since she was a little girl.
- 13) They haven't sent him any money since last summer.
- 14) Has the mail arrived yet?
- 15) Wouldn't it be nice if you could see your favorite tv programme on a tv extremely thin and extremely wide?
- 16) Have you been pleased with the response so far?
- 17) This restaurant has brought out different things in me that I haven't felt before.
- 18) The answer may be because that's the way he wants it.
- 19) She is an enthusiast who works out every day at 5 a.m. .
- 20) She claims she never tells him her private opinions.
- 21) If you come to my street and you beat somebody on the head in front of all of us, eventually we will turn against you, and we will explode, and we will not let you alone.
- 22) We get the impression that America has everything and everything about America is good. But the way americans treat the foreigners make us wonder.
- 23) After a half century of division, Europeans are getting to know their neighbors again. As regional links grow stronger, will loyalty to centralized capitals fade?
- 24) He said that basically, everything that was regulated before the bridge was built is still regulated in the same way.
- 25) What if you had a magic tool that let you find out almost anything in less than a second? Millions already have it – and it's changing the way we live.

**B) Translate into English:**

- 1) Nosso jardim está uma bagunça. Agora, até a cerca caiu.

2) O motivo principal que ela quer voltar é porque ela sente saudades de sua cidade natal.

3) Tem havido muitas mudanças na minha cidade natal desde que eu partí. Está muito maior agora.

4) Você não acha que ele tem que pedir desculpas à sua irmã pelo que ele fez?

5) Eu não tenho visto você desde março passado.

6) Se você seguir esse caminho você encontrará a casa do qual lhe falei.

7) Ao invés de comprar uma casa, Debby comprou um lindo apartamento.

8) Depois de viajar para Londres, Nick quer viajar para Paris.

9) Eu geralmente me sinto muito cansado depois de trabalhar o dia todo.

10) Não desista de estudar inglês. Hoje em dia é a língua mais importante.

11) Ela não se negou a ajudar sua avó. Afinal de contas ela era a única que sempre a ajudou.

12) Por que você sempre adia escrever lhe (a ele) uma carta?

13) Ele quer continuar a fazer as mesmas coisas? Eu suponho que sim.

14) Por favor, pare de fazer isso. Eu não suporto barulho.

15) Ele nunca gostou de morar no exterior. Mas agora ele já está acostumado a morar lá.

16) Ele não poderia evitar se apaixonar por ela. Ele nunca viu uma mulher tão linda.

17) Tom se candidatou para aquele emprego? O salário foi fixado em US\$5.000,00 dólares.

18) Eles ficaram lá olhando para mim, e eu não podia mais suportar aquilo.

19) Este é o último emprego ao qual estou me candidatando este ano.

20) Thomas disse que não consegue evitar olhar para ela o tempo todo.

21) Afaste-se! O ônibus está vindo!

22) Ela realmente está louca para viajar para Londres e vê-lo novamente.

23) Eu tenho estado tão ocupada ultimamente que eu não tive tempo de visitá-la.

24) Eu insisto que você vá à escola hoje.

25) Eu gostaria que você consertasse as telhas no telhado.

**C) Make sentences with these Idiomatic Expressions:**

1) to stand back-

2) can't stand -

3) can't help-

4) to find out-

5) to look forward (to)...(+ ing) -

## Unit 02

## How are bricks made?

There are three basic ways in which bricks can be made. In the first, water is mixed with clay into a paste which is forced into wooden moulds. The mixture is then tipped out and placed in giant ovens called kilns. The second method involves forming a very stiff clay mixture which is forced through a rectangular hole before being cut into bricksized pieces with a wire. The third method is similar to the first, but less water is used and the bricks are pressed into shape. The first process is known as the "stock method" because the wooden moulds are called stocks; the second is known as the "wire-cut" process; and the third is called the "semi-dry" process.

Once the bricks are moulded into shape they are placed in kilns to be fired, a process that takes several days, during which the bricks are subjected to a very high temperature. Most modern brick manufacturers use a continuous chamber kiln through which the bricks travel, so that by the time they come out from the other end of the kiln, they have been completely fired and are ready for use.

**Vocabulary:**

To tip out – virar, inclinar

Clay – argila, barro

Kilns – fornos

stiff – rígido, duro

Chamber – aposento, câmara

**A) Questions:**

- 1) Is your house made by wood or bricks?
- 2) How old is your house or apartment?
- 3) Would you like to move to another city or country?
- 4) Does your house have a gate?
- 5) Is your house or apartment usually a mess?
- 6) Do you have a fence or a wall around your house?
- 7) Do you think bricks are stronger than wood?
- 8) Have you studied for your English tests?
- 9) Do you think it's difficult to apologize when you have done something wrong?
- 10) Have you applied for any job lately?
- 11) Do you know how to clean silver jewelry?
- 12) Have you been working hard these days?
- 13) Who would you like to take with you on a desert island? Why?
- 14) Do you like to have a thermal bottle with coffee or tea when you are studying?

- 15) Do you know what a pen pal or a pen friend is? Do you have one?
- 16) What have you been doing these days?
- 17) Have you been working part time this year?
- 18) Have you been getting enough exercise lately?
- 19) How have you been feeling lately?
- 20) What do you think it will happen if the traffic in this city gets worse?
- 21) Are you good at typing?
- 22) Where were you at noon last Sunday? Who was with you?
- 23) Have you been watching movies lately?
- 24) How many movies do you watch each month?
- 25) Who's your favorite american actor and actress?
- 26) How do you usually see movies: go to the cinema, rent videos or watch them on tv?
- 27) Have you watched "Titanic"?
- 28) What did you like best and least about it? Why?
- 29) What would you do if you were on vacation overseas and you lost all your money and credit cards?
- 30) What would you do if you discovered a friend drank too much?
- 31) What would you do if you saw two people fighting on the street?
- 32) What would you do if you met Pelé on the street?
- 33) Do you know someone who has drinking problems?
- 34) Would you forgive your best husband or wife if he or she forgot your birthday?
- 35) If you met Shakespeare on the street what would you ask him?
- 36) Do you ever have houseguests?
- 37) Do you ever have guests who stay too long?
- 38) What do you do when people ask if they can stay with you, and you don't really want them to?
- 39) Have you ever been a houseguest?
- 40) Are you for or against when for example someone older gets married with someone younger than him or her?
- 41) Do you have an answering machine at home?
- 42) What is the best thing about them? The worst thing?
- 43) Do you think they are convenient?
- 44) What would you do if you have \$1.000,00 to spend?
- 45) What kind of vacation do you wish you could take?
- 46) How often do you take friends out to dinner? Which restaurant do you usually go to?
- 47) What have you changed in your life lately?

- 48) What have you been doing for the last two years?  
49) Where were you living five years ago?  
50) What would you do if you saw someone cheating during a test?

**B) Write a paragraph describing something that you've never done but you would like to do. Explain why you want to do it.**

## Unit 03

**Idiomatic Expressions:**

In the meantime/ meanwhile – Enquanto isso

Inside out – do avesso, de trás para frente

In order to – para que

In spite of – apesar de

Is that so? – É mesmo?

In vain- em vão, inútil

It doesn't matter – Não importa

To stand out – sobressair, destacar-se

To turn down – recusar

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

1) He changed the future without ever winning a vote or commanding an army.

2) I need to work hard in order to buy an apartment, to pay my bills and to travel a lot.

3) There's no doubt that Einstein did many good things inspite of the fact he was crazy.

4) She was praying inside her room, meanwhile, he was very far, fighting with his enemies.

5) Everything I did was in vain.

6) Did you put on your clothes inside out? Yes, I did this on purpose. Someone told me that it's for lucky. Is that so?

7) Instead of to keep waiting for some help, we have to face the fact that we must survive without the central government's help.

8) I can't travel with you next Saturday, Sorry. Ok, It doesn't matter. I'm going to invite another one.

9) Everywhere education is becoming the most important qualification for jobs, and women are either doing much better than men in school or catching up fast.

10) It's pretty clear what's breaking up the male monopoly on jobs. In a competitive global market, all employers can afford to care about is profit and cost, not either a job is men's work or women's work.

11) Women are generally more willing not only to work for less, but also to uproot and move to where the jobs are.

12) The next decade may not prove to be particularly revolutionary. But laboratory work will begin to develop technologies that may someday turn the above science fiction into reality.

13) Meanwhile, the U.S. military will continue to improve its uses of communication and navigation satellites to rapidly identify, target and destroy enemy forces.

14) Einstein saw it in his time. So did Hegel. What distinguishes America from other nations is the way it looks ahead, not back.

15) This the guy that tried to kill my dog.

16) He has denied all the charges against them.

17) We need a new economic strategy for America. Our economy is in grave danger of deflation – falling prices, profits and incomes.

18) We took all the financial precautions. We were hedged, but the financiers failed us. That is the reason most Middle East businesses fail.

19) I've also noticed many new books on the bookcase that examine the political, cultural and economic distinctions of Chinese cities.

20) Authorities seem to have no clue who grabbed him. The case promises to end as mysteriously as it began.

21) From my research with robots, I can see their intelligence.

22) He's convinced that humankind has a lot to gain by a closer association with machines.

23) Research has yet to prove that people eating well-balanced organic diets are healthier than those eating well-balanced conventional ones.

24) Ecologists are even more concerned about the destruction of the tropical rain forests of Southeast Asia, whose rich biodiversity make them the "lungs of the earth".

25) When you look in your house and see there's no tea, no sugar and nothing to eat, you have to do something to survive.

**B) Translate into English:**

1) Ela me disse que você não pode agüentar minha voz.

2) Conserte as telhas no telhado.

3) Minha tia insiste em fumar apesar de ter problemas de saúde.

4) Este é o último trabalho ao qual eu estou me candidatando.

5) Quem é aquela parada a seu lado naquela foto?

6) Ela se destaca por sua inteligência superior.

7) Ele estava de pé, ao lado de sua irmã.

8) Você tem um detergente de reserva para me emprestar? Eu o devolverei amanhã de manhã.

9) Eu tenho que matricular-me na universidade hoje.

10) Eu não posso morder nada frio.

11) O cachorro me mordeu. É por isso que eu não suporto cachorros.

12) As matrículas serão em Janeiro, enquanto isso eu estou em férias só aproveitando.

13) Ele quer se candidatar para prefeito.

14) Ela é boa em escrever composições.

15) Por que você não vem aqui para o jantar?

16) Eu estou aguardando ansiosamente pela festa.

17) Eu não tenho economizado muito dinheiro este ano.

18) Não estacione seu carro no meio-fio.

19) Ela se arrependeu de ter comprado aquela casa.

20) Eu realmente me arrependo de ter feito aquilo.

21) Nós nos arrependemos de ter vindo à esse lugar.

22) Eu estou com pena da Sra. Seller porque ela está muito doente.

23) Ele foi recusado (não aceito) no escritório, apesar de ser muito esperto.

24) É a minha vez agora? Eu suponho que sim.

25) Ele diz que está farto desta escola. Ele está sempre reclamando de algo.

**C) Complete the remarks:**

Ex: I'm getting thirsty.

It's too hot today.

1) Paul was almost sleeping during the meeting.

2) Two drops are enough.

3) She hates to fix her room in the morning.

4) Mary has lost her wallet again.

5) She's not complaining.

6) He was sitting on the curb.

7) This edge is too sharp.

8) I regret not having said everything to him.

**Pay attention:**

Some verbs cannot be used in the continuous form:

To love	to mean	to forget
To hate	to prefer	to seem
To like	to want	to suppose
To realize	to see	to understand
To believe	to hear	
To know	to belong	

## Unit 04

## Walt Whitman

Whitman(1819-1892) was one of the great innovators in American literature. In the cluster of poems he called "Leaves of Grass", he gave America its first genuine epic poem. The poetic style he devised is now called free-verse – that is a poetry without a fixed beat or regular rhyme scheme. Whitman thought that the voice of democracy should not be haltered by traditional forms of verse. His influence on the poetic technique of other writers was small during the time he was writing "Leaves of Grass" but today elements of his style are apparent in the work of many poets. During the 20<sup>TH</sup> century, poets as different as Carl Sandburg and the "beat"bard, Allen Ginsberg, have owed something to him.

Whitman grew up in Brooklyn, New York, and worked there as a schoolteacher, as an apprentice to a printer, and as the editor of various newspapers. He had very little schooling but read a great deal on his own. He was especially intrigued by the works of Shakespeare and Milton. Strangely enough, his only contact with the Eastern religions or with German Transcendentalists, whose ideas he frequently used in his poetry, was what he had read of them in the writings.

Most of the poems in "Leaves of Grass" are about man and nature. However, a small number of very good poems deal with New York, the city that fascinated Whitman, and with the civil war, in which he served as volunteer male nurse.

(from "Highlights of American Literature,  
by Carl Bode, Professor of American Literature, Uni-  
versity of Maryland)

## Questions:

- 1) Have you ever heard about Walt Whitman before reading this text?
- 2) Do you know anything else about him?
- 3) Would you like to be a famous writer? Why? Why not?
- 4) Are there good authors or poets in your country who are trying to find new ways of saying things much as Whitman did in his day? Give me examples.
- 5) Do you think it's possible to have a poet who will be a poet both of the common people and of the elite?
- 6) In the history of your country's literature, what poets have been known for their attacks on social institutions?

- 7) Do you think a life of solitude is more conducive to producing a superior poet than a life of much social activity? Explain.
- 8) Do you know any poem by heart?
- 9) Would you like to have borned in another time, for example 1750?
- 10) Do you think we consist only of bone, brain, muscle and so on, or do you think there is something else?
- 11) Did you ever hang up on somebody because you were fed up with him/her?
- 12) You are looking for a good shirt to give to your sister on her birthday, would you look for a cheap or an expensive one?
- 13) What do you usually say when someone says "If you don't mind, I need to go"?
- 14) If I said "I can't help eating like this", you would say...
- 15) Do you think you handle your daily problems well?
- 16) Did you ever have the feeling that there was someone following you?
- 17) Did you ever shine your shoes?
- 18) Do you always argue with someone? With whom?
- 19) Have you ever been near a hill?
- 20) Did you ever cut yourself with a sharp edge?
- 21) Did you ever run out of money?
- 22) Did you ever have a wedding to go and suddenly forgot where it would to take place?
- 23) Do you know many politicians?
- 24) Did you ever meet someone who had deep blue eyes? Who?
- 25) Did you ever find a job in the newspaper?
- 26) Do you like when people touch you when they talk to you?
- 27) Do you think it's important how to argue well?
- 28) Do you agree that it's never late to start learning something?
- 29) Does anybody in your family can play a musical instrument?
- 30) Would you stay home if you had a high temperature?
- 31) How many days' work did you miss last month?
- 32) When you leave work do you take extra work home with you?
- 33) If your boss asked you to work late would you agree immediately?
- 34) When starting a new job do you think you should do anything to create a good impression?
- 35) If you found a colleague inside your company making a lot of mistakes, would you be quiet about it?

- 36) Would you sacrifice your family life if it was necessary in order you get a promotion?
- 37) Put these in order of importance: pleasure, family and work.
- 38) Put these in order of importance: happiness, money and important job.
- 39) Do you think your job is very tiring?
- 40) Do you think your job offers you a good career prospects?
- 41) Do you believe that in few years we should wear masks because of the pollution?
- 42) Do you think a private life is more important than your work?
- 43) Do you have any regrets about the choice of your job?
- 44) What do you expect from your English lessons?
- 45) What is the most exciting thing you have done recently?
- 46) Why do you think that somebody's concept of excitement change between childhood and adulthood? Can you think of any reasons for the change?
- 47) Why do you think people take part in dangerous activities?
- 48) Which worries do you think are common to most people?
- 49) Put these in order of worry for you: family, world problems, illness, personal relationships and work.
- 50) Are you more worried about world problems or personal things?

## Unit 05

**Idiomatic Expressions:**

To overcome- superar, vencer  
 Actually – na verdade  
 To split up – separar-se (um casal)  
 to require – requerer, necessita, precisa  
 To raise – levantar, erguer, criar  
 couch-potato – ser sedentário  
 To bury – enterrar  
 to lead – liderar, levar, guiar  
 To scratch – coçar, arranhar  
 to charge – cobrar  
 To show off – exhibir-se  
 to run over - atropelar

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

1) We were really concerned with what's going on in that family, so we decided we should do something. Actually, we never imagined we would be able to speak to Mr. Bonnes.

2) That's the way Charles behaves and talks. I guess Charles knows her so well that it didn't bother him to hear sheilla saying incoherent things, things that didn't make any sense.

3) He didn't respond back, so at that time I took the opportunity to tell him what I think of him.

4) I'll never board a plane again for the rest of my life. I still haven't overcome the shock.

5) Despite North Korea's economic misery, I think the country could have a brighter future – if it tried.

6) Workers are still willing to bet on the North's future.

7) We've been working hard to develop the city faster.

8) He split up with his girlfriend, but he's probably not going to be alone for long.

9) Maybe they said they felt sorry for the incident and paid compensation.

10) They are of no use to us, and we don't have enough money to manufacture weapons of mass destruction.

11) If she can, she will not hesitate. She gets everything she wants.

12) Now it is time for peace and I want to be part of world peace.

13) A good diet is designed not for short-term weight loss but for life long health. It doesn't require that you weigh your food or eat according to your blood type or astrological sign.

14) Scientists have known since the 1960s that the saturated fat in red meat and dairy products can raise cholesterol levels and promote coronary heart disease.

15) Scientists were well aware that fats could be healthful and that carbs could cause harm.

16) A second point of consensus is that vegetables should be eaten in abundance.

17) It will take more than a pyramid to improve America's diet. It will take motivation, awareness and a realization that eating well is more fun than eating badly.

18) My goal is to still be able to do things when I'm 80.

19) You need to know that any amount of exercise is better than none. Being active and fit is good for you whether you're young or old, man or woman, tall or short, skinny or fat.

20) One in four adults in America leads a completely sedentary lifestyle and more than 60 percent of the population doesn't do enough physical activity to gain vast health benefits.

21) In a study published in The Journal of the American Medical Association in October, Harvard researchers found that men who ran for an hour or more each week reduced their risk of heart disease by 42 percent compared with nonrunners.

22) The more you do, the less heart disease you're going to have.

23) People in both developed and developing countries are also doing less physical activity. It's the couch-potato syndrome.

24) Do you want some coffee? No way, I can't stand your coffee.

25) I met him two years ago but I would not negotiate with him now. I think so as long as he's alive in his house there will be no peace.

**B) Translate into English:**

1) Não seja sedentário. Afinal de contas, exercícios físicos são excelentes para uma boa saúde.

2) As uvas estavam tão azedas que nós não pudemos comê-las.

3) Isto não é bom o suficiente para mim.

4) Ela é jovem demais para ficar em festas depois da meia-noite.

5) Meu marido lidera no seu trabalho. Ele tem um emprego bem sucedido.

6) Onde o cachorro enterrou seu sapato? Ele enterrou em um fundo buraco no quintal.

7) Você está levando me a pensar que você é louco.

8) O menininho guiou-nos através da floresta.

9) A gente deve pensar duas vezes antes de decidir qualquer coisa.

10) Quanto ele lhe cobrou? Apenas vinte e cinco dólares.

11) Ele disse que conseguirá o dinheiro de alguma forma.

12) Ela acha que o conhece de algum lugar.

13) Você me arranhou com suas unhas.

14) Você trancou esta gaveta?

15) Eu não gosto dele porque ele sempre quer se exibir.

16) Eles resolveram meu problema. E eles cobraram alguma coisa pelo trabalho deles?

17) Eu sei porquê nosso cachorro está se coçando tanto.

18) Nosso tio está engordando diariamente porque ele é uma pessoa sedentária.

19) Eu não posso ver você desperdiçando todo seu dinheiro só porque você quer se exibir.

20) Aquela mulher quase me atropelou hoje de manhã, e agora eu bati minha testa. Hoje não é o meu dia de sorte.

21) Ele apertou sua (a dela) campainha cerca de dez minutos ontem. Ela deveria ter estado dormindo.

22) Ela estava de pé no ônibus bem ao meu lado.

23) Ela está ficando cada vez mais bonita.

24) Meu filho fica cada vez mais inteligente através dos anos.

25) Por favor não dirija em alta velocidade quando eu estou com você.

**C) Write twenty lines about World Environment .**

## Unit 06

# I hear America Singing

(by walt whitman)

I hear America singing, the varied carols I hear,  
 Those of mechanics, each one singing his as it should be  
 blithe and strong,  
 The carpenter singing his as he measures his plank or  
 beam,  
 The mason singing as he makes ready for work, or  
 leaves off work,  
 The boatman singing what belongs to him in his boat, the  
 deck-hand singing on the  
 steamboat deck,

The shoemaker singing as he sits on his bench, the hatter  
 singing as he stands,  
 The wood-cutter's song, the plowboy's on his way in  
 the morning, or at noon intermission or at sundown,  
 The delicious singing of the mother, or of the young wife  
 at work, or of the girl sewing or washing,  
 Each singing what belongs to him or her and to none  
 else,  
 The day what belongs to the day – at night the party of  
 young fellows, robust, friendly,  
 Singing with open mouths their strong melodious songs.

## A) Questions:

- 1) How many different singers does Whitman hear?
- 2) What do you think the songs represent?
- 3) Does the poem have anything to say about happiness? If so, what?
- 4) In your opinion is it better to talk about problems or forget about them?
- 5) What are the advantages and disadvantages of living with parents?
- 6) Tell me two sports or activities which you have never tried but you would like to try.
- 7) Tell me two sports or activities you have never tried and don't want to.
- 8) Where do you think you'll be this time next year?
- 9) What will you do when you retire?
- 10) How old will you be on your next birthday?
- 11) What are the good and bad things about your flat or house?
- 12) Describe something which makes you feel particularly happy.
- 13) Tell us your own definition of happiness.
- 14) What do you think people's happiness depends on?

- 15) "People who become famous when they are very young often have problems", do you agree with this sentence?
- 16) Do you think famous people are happy?
- 17) Do you agree that some jobs can never be done by a woman? Why? Why not?
- 18) Do you think that planning for the future is a waste of time?
- 19) Do you believe that in thirty years nobody will get married? Why?
- 20) Where do you find most happiness and satisfaction: in your family life, your work or social life?
- 21) Do you usually have terrible nightmares?
- 22) Did you have long hair as a teenager?
- 23) Did you sleep with the light on when you were a child?
- 24) What do you think makes us prejudiced against certain people?
- 25) In your opinion can a man successfully substitute a woman as the person most responsible for looking after the baby?
- 26) Do you know someone who agrees with racism, feminism, terrorism or something like that?
- 27) Do you think it's necessary people dress with different kind of clothes when they are working?
- 28) Do you think it would matter if, for example, a doctor dresses with another kind of cloth?
- 29) What do you do if you are very depressed?
- 30) Are you for or against a relationship between people with different ages? Why?
- 31) Do you feel able to trust your friend completely?
- 32) Did you ever tell something that a friend told you in confidence?
- 33) Would you be able to lie to protect a friend?
- 34) If you had to choose the three most important qualities in a friend, what would those qualities be?
- 35) What would you do if you found out that somebody wasn't loyal to you?
- 36) Would your life have been very different if you hadn't got married? Why?
- 37) What factors do you think are important for people to be compatible?
- 38) Which ones are important in your opinion to have a good marriage: the same kind of lifestyle, a similar education, the same interests, about the same age, the star sign they were born under, their personality.
- 39) Tell us a suggestion that makes a successfully marriage.
- 40) How important are first impressions?

- 41) What are the things you notice in people when you meet them for the first time?
- 42) When you go to a party do you enjoy meeting new people?
- 43) If friends arrive unexpectedly and your house is in a terrible mess do you react in a different way?
- 44) Do you cry at weddings?
- 45) Do you cry when you are watching a sad film?
- 46) Would you say anything if someone said something nasty about your best friend?
- 47) What do you prefer: being with a crowd of people; being on your own; being with one other person or being with people you know very well?
- 48) Are you for or against vegetarianism?
- 49) Do you agree with Capital Punishment?
- 50) What do you think about the abolition of marriage?

## Unit 07

**Past Perfect**

(It is used when no one action has finished before another one starts. The Past perfect Tense is often used in Reported Speech where both the past simple and present perfect in the original words are changed to the past perfect).

When the police arrived, the thieves had left the building.

When Melissa arrived, we hadn't gone yet.

Had you ever seen this film before? No, I hadn't.

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

- 1) Helen had left by the time we arrived.
- 2) He knew we had made serious mistake.
- 3) I felt that I had met the man somewhere before.
- 4) The teacher told he hoped that we had read this book.
- 5) She hadn't traveled like he told us.
- 6) Mother said she had looked everywhere for the book.
- 7) The teacher corrected the exercises which I had prepared.
- 8) What did he say he had done with the money?
- 9) I was sure that I had seen the man before.
- 10) He asked me why I had left the party so early.
- 11) They wanted to know what had happened to their briefcase.
- 12) He hadn't expected to be attacked by a polar bear.
- 13) They want to attract students who will create the richest academic and social communities, and who have the best odds of success in college and later life.
- 14) No one had worked so hard as him.
- 15) Consumers will be willing to buy foods if and when they are convinced that these products are safe for human health and for the environment, and if they see a benefit in the products.
- 16) He had walked and had laughed at her. He was like a crazy man.

17) She says that if the kids don't adapt to this culture, it can make life miserable for the whole family.

18) I have a weird life sometimes, but that's just the way we are.

19) I hadn't thought of that but I can't say I'm not going to do that in the future.

20) The majority of complaints are from people who had chosen a wrong sort of holiday.

21) I was sure I had heard the doorbell.

22) I had never seen that amazing beach before. I hope go there again.

23) He had locked the door by accident and couldn't get out.

24) Just next day she admitted that she had behaved badly.

25) They had lived in London for many years, before getting married and come to Brazil.

**B) Translate into English:**

- 1) Ela explicou que ela não estava certa se ela tinha encontrado ele antes.
- 2) Ele tinha adorado a expedição.
- 3) Ele tinha tentado se matar.
- 4) Ele não tinha lavado a louça antes de ela chegar.
- 5) Ela ficou triste quando ela descobriu que ele tinha matado seu cachorro.
- 6) Eles tinha passado alguns dias na Europa.
- 7) Ela disse-me que seu marido tinha passado mais tempo com suas crianças, ultimamente, do que ela.
- 8) Eles tinham visitado ela todos os dias recentemente.
- 9) Nós não tínhamos estado de dieta ultimamente, por isso nós engordamos muito.

10) A decisão irá afetar universidades e faculdades privadas?

11) Eles não iriam aprovar a ação do Sr. Simon.

12) A carta pela qual eu tinha estado esperando recém chegou.

13) Eles tinham estado decorando todo o quarto do bebê.

14) Um acidente terrível tinha acontecido em frente ao hospital quando eu cheguei lá.

15) A distância que ele correu foi menor que ele tinha pretendido.

16) As autoridades descobriram que ele tinha quebrado várias leis.

17) Ele causou um acidente mas ele não parece se importar muito com isso.

18) Ele não tinha sido capaz de resolver seus problemas desde que ele era um garoto.

19) Os doutores tinham dito que ele não seria capaz de andar novamente.

20) Ele tinha comprado o ingresso mas ele estava ocupado demais agora para ver a partida.

21) Ele estava tão confuso que ele não tinha lembrado dela.

22) Este emprego é completamente o oposto daquele que eu tinha encontrado antes.

23) Você não tinha pago suas contas ainda.

24) Você por acaso quer se exhibir?

25) Dentro de pouco ele plantará as margaridas.

**C) Complete the following sentences.**

1. When I'm feeling sad I often.....

2. When I'm feeling lonely I sometimes.....

3. When I'm feeling anxious I often.....

4. When I'm jealous I.....

5. When I'm feeling tense I usually.....

## Unit 08

25 smith street  
Coventry  
22 March 1993

Sally Stokes  
31 Hanover Lane  
Bristol

Dear Ms. Stokes,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you most sincerely for the kind invitation to spend the weekend with you and your husband Mike.

It is with regret that I have the refuse the invitation. I have a previous appointment on that day with my parents. We have arranged for them to be present at our house on the weekend. It would give us very great pleasure to see you here before too long, however. We can then spend time together discussing what we have been achieving recently.

Once again a very sincere thank you for your kind invitation. We very much look forward to meeting you again.

Yours sincerely

Margareth Thomas

### A) Questions:

1) You are going to attend a language school in Britain during July. Prepare a letter and read then to your classmates.

2) A colleague is leaving his job and you are having a dinner party to say goodbye. After dinner you have to say a few words and then present your colleague with the present you have bought. Make notes and read your speech.

3) What would you do if you lost your job tomorrow?

4) What would you do if you are on top of a mountain and it's getting dark?

5) What would you do if your car had run out of petrol on a quiet country road?

6) What would you do if you're in a foreign country and can't speak the language.

7) What do you think about Michael Jackson? Do you think he's right in spending so much time and money on his appearance?

8) Do you sometimes feel you are influenced by advertising?

9) Are there any types of advertising you don't like?

10) Are you for or against euthanasia?

11) Do you know how many years you will have been working by the time you retire?

12) How many hours will you have spent watching television by the end of the week?

13) Define "persuade".

14) Define "claim".

15) Choose a word and give clues in order your colleagues try to identify it. Give a synonym for the word; give the number of letters; give the first letter and the last one.

16) When you are in the house on your own do you usually lock all the doors?

17) Write a biography of yourself using this outline: date of birth, place of birth, education, work experience, family situation, hobbies and so on. After that read it to class.

18) Which of the following do you have the greatest difficulty with: speaking English, understanding spoken English, writing English or pronunciation?

19) Do you have much contact with English outside your English lessons?

20) Which of the following do you think are the most important qualities for the language learning student: a good ear, a good memory, good reflexes or a logical mind?

21) What about a lack of inhibition? Do you think it's necessary?

22) Make believe that you're talking to an English native-speaker who uses a word that you don't understand. What do you do?

23) Do you believe that career success can cause unhappiness? Why?

24) Do you think it's important to do what people want you to do?

25) Define "happiness".

26) Do you prefer men doctors or women doctors? Why?

27) Do you think a young doctor inspire confidence? Why?

28) Do you think more men than women fall in love?

29) Do you know many cynical people?

30) Do you give flowers when you fall in love?

31) What was the craziest thing you already did for love?

32) In your opinion it's more important to have qualifications or experience?

33) What do you do if someone starts smoking in a non-smoking compartment on the train?

34) Have you ever had a holiday when something went wrong? If so, what?

35) Have you ever complained in a restaurant? If so, why?

36) In your opinion, which job is the most useful?

37) What about the best paid?

38) What about the hardest profession?

39) Imagine you had the chance to work for one week only in any job of your choice. Which job would it be and why?

40) If you were a saleswoman would you know how to deal with difficult clients?

41) Imagine you are just arriving at a bus stop as a bus is leaving. Do you usually run for the bus, wait for the next one or walk?

42) Which habits do you have?

43) Would you choose a job because it pays well or because it fits your career plan?

44) How many days have you had off work or study because of illness the past year?

45) Do you know someone unfriendly?

46) What are the advantages and disadvantages of growing up with several brothers and sisters in the family?

47) What are the advantages and disadvantages of growing up as an only child?

48) Do you think a wife's career is just as important as a husband's career?

49) Do you think parents should always respect the wishes of their children?

50) Do you think if the wife works full-time, housework should be shared equally between both partners?

**C) make a composition with the title: "famine".**

## Unit 09

**Past Perfect Continuous**

(It is used when the first action continued for some time or was unfinished).

I knew by the look on their face that they had been talking about me.

That's a shame the boys hadn't been studying math.

Had you been traveling for these days? Yes, I had.

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

1) He had been studying English since he was eighteen years old.

2) He had been feeling well before his death.

3) Will you please help me summarize this?

4) He acquired a very good job in that company.

5) The boss said we won't get a raise.

6) We have to hire a good secretary for this section.

7) Can you tell me why she is always frowning?

8) Let me warn you about this engine.

9) I had never been a debtor before.

10) Part of the merchandise fell off the truck.

11) My boyfriend had purchased a beautiful piece of land but he lost it on gambling.

12) Had she explained it to the children? Yes, and they just listened to her.

13) This report really doesn't make any sense to me.

14) Are you still working on that budget?

15) I earned more money this year for working full time.

16) I think my cousin will graduate only next month.

17) Does he earn more than you do?

18) My money has a tendency of ending before the end of the month.

19) Their vacation consisted mainly of sleeping.

20) In the long run you'll save a great amount of money.

21) That new shop is selling at floor prices.

22) Are you heading for the office? Could you take these documents along with you?

23) I think I will go home and rest a little rather than going out with you.

24) They ran out of water. It's because of the hot weather.

25) I could hear soft music coming from your bedroom.

**B) Translate into English:**

1) Quando nós chegarmos ao escritório, não se esqueça de dar as mãos (cumprimentar) meu chefe.

2) Eu preciso contratar uma nova empregada.

3) Nós ansiamos em ver você na quinta que vem.

4) Esse camarada é tão preguiçoso! Não é de se admirar que ninguém quer contrata-lo.

5) Mais ou cedo ou mais tarde eu viajarei para a Europa.

6) Não conte a ele nada agora. Pense a respeito primeiro.

7) Infelizmente aquela casa estava cara demais para eles comprarem.

8) Quantos cheques você emitiu ontem?

9) Eu ouvi dizer que eles iam lançar novos carros ano que vem.

10) Eles tiveram que interromper o churrasco por causa da tempestade.

11) Eu preciso de ajuda para empurrar este carro, mas não há ninguém à vista.

12) Não é de se admirar que o menino caiu da árvore. É a sexta vez que ele sobe lá.

13) Este país é muito rico em recursos naturais.

- 14) No decorrer do tempo você me entenderá.
- 15) Eu acho que ela está se dirigindo para a escola.
- 16) Ele disse que ele ficou sem comida durante dois dias.
- 17) Quem quer que seja que escreveu este livro, fez um bom trabalho.
- 18) Essa loja está vendendo a preços mínimos(baixos).
- 19) Essa farmácia esta vendendo a preços máximos(alto).
- 20) Você acha que é uma boa idéia trabalhar com preços máximos?
- 21) Meu objetivo é conseguir uma bolsa no exterior.
- 22) Eu não acho que elas se pareçam.
- 23) Você tem certeza que esta maçã não está madura?
- 24) Meu objetivo é de trabalhar logo.
- 25) No decorrer do tempo você verá que ela não é a pessoa certa para você.

**C) Make sentences with these Idiomatic Expressions:**

- 1) Floor prices - .....
- 2) Ceiling prices - .....
- 3) Rather than- .....
- 4) In the long run - .....
- 5) No wonder - .....

**Unit 10****Sweet like Chocolate**

Everyone in her family knows Liz is one serious chocoholic.

The main ingredient in chocolate is the cocoa bean, and although cocoa originally came from Central America, it's in Africa that two-thirds of the world's cocoa is now produced.

Liz travelled to Odaho, a village in Ghana in West Africa. The climate in this part of Ghana is perfect for cocoa trees. The temperature is never above 30° C or below 15°. What's more, it rains a lot, around 127 centimetres a year, which the trees thrive on. The farmers in Odaho all belong to a co-operative, which means that everybody gets paid a fair price for their cocoa. But, as Liz soon found out, it's hard work gathering the crop. She was there during the all-important harvest season, and because everything is still done by hand, she provided a welcome extra pair!

Liz helped farmer Mary Kurdyie to cut down the pods. When the pods were split open, she was surprised to see the beans inside. They are white and soft, and at this point they don't smell at all. The beans are left for several days to ferment under banana leaves. During this time, the beans begin to turn brown and the flavour just starts to come through.

Once they've dried out, the beans are packed into sacks to start their long journey from Africa to the countries where the chocolate is actually made. Belgium is very famous for its chocolate, and Liz also went there to visit the largest processing plant in the world, Brussels, the capital city. She was fascinated to discover how the beans from Ghana are treated in huge vats until they turn into liquid chocolate ready to mix and make into everything from bars and biscuits to sweets and Easter eggs.

To keep chocoholics around the world happy, the factory gets through 150,000 kilos of cocoa beans a day, much of it from Africa. Liz couldn't help thinking how strange it is that one of the most luxurious foods in the world is grown by farmers who have such tough lives, still harvesting their cocoa crops by hand.

( from Blue Peter Book-BBC)

**A) Questions:**

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| 1) Do you think you are chocoholic?   | 10) How did your parents punish you if you were naughty?                       |
| 2) Do you know someone who doesn't like chocolate? Who?                             | 11) Do you think nowadays it's different the kind of parent's punishment?      |
| 3) How often do you eat chocolate?  | 12) Do you smack your children when they are naughty?                          |
| 4) In your opinion Why many teenagers are arrested?                                 | 13) What time should an eight-year-old child go to bed?                        |
| 5) Do you think the mothers don't do the right thing?                               | 14) Did you feel very close to your mother as a child? What about your father? |
| 6) How do you think they feel when they are arrested?                               | 15) Did your parents work when you were a child?                               |
| 7) How much money did you use to get as a child and what you used to spend it?      | 16) Do you think you are a different kind of parent?                           |
| 8) When you were single did you always help in the house?                           | 17) Do you find it's interesting to listen to your parent's experiences?       |
| 9) Do you remember what time you went to bed when you were eight or nine years old? | 18) Do you think children really need two parents?                             |
|   | 19) What are some of the problems for a single parent?                         |

- 20) What do you think about people who decides to have children late?
- 21) What do you think about nineteen-year-old girls who has a baby? Do you think it's a hard experience?
- 22) Are the problems greater when the children are younger or when they are older?
- 23) Should parents stay together for the sake of the children even if there isn't love anymore?
- 24) Do you agree that healthy is hardly ever taking any pills or medicines.
- 25) Do you sometimes buy things which aren't on your shopping list when you're in a supermarket? What makes you decide to buy them?
- 26) When you are visiting a new place, is it better to go on an organised tour or to explore on your own?
- 27) Which is more enjoyable: to relax on the beach or to visit places of interest?
- 28) How do you manage if you don't speak the language of the country you are visiting?
- 29) What is it useful to find out before you visit a new place on holiday?
- 30) How would you choose a present for a child you didn't know well?
- 31) What do you do if you receive a present which you don't like or which is unsuitable in some way?
- 32) When you watch tv how much attention do you pay to the advertisements?
- 33) Which adverts do you like most and which least? Why?
- 34) How do advertisements try to make you remember a product?
- 35) Do you know any UFO stories?
- 36) Where would you like to go to an adventure holiday? Give reasons.
- 37) What do you wish about yourself?
- 38) Do you think parents should choose marriage partners for their children? Why? Why not?
- 39) What are the main reasons for getting married?
- 40) What is the best age to get married? Why?
- 41) How old were you when you got married?
- 42) Is there too much social pressure on people to get married?
- 43) Should weddings be religious? Why?
- 44) Do you think is it acceptable to have more than one partner at the same time?
- 45) Why do people get divorced? Is it too easy?
- 46) What problems are there when people decide to get divorced?
- 47) What happens if you want to go out with other people? Does your husband/wife mind about?
- 48) Are the following acceptable in public: men and women kissing; someone spitting; eating food with your elbows on the table?
- 49) Do you agree that people who are mainly extroverts are more likely to be happy than people who are mainly introverts? Give reasons.
- 50) "beauty is in the eye of the beholder". Do you think this proverb is true or are there certain norms of beauty?

**C) A young people's magazine is holding a competition for the best short story written by one of its readers. The theme is free and the competition rules say that the story must end with the words: "It was certainly a day never forgotten". Write your story for the competition in 120 - 180 words.**

## Unit 11

**Idiomatic Expressions:**

To take over – tomar posse de; assumir

To point out – destacar, observar

To pick out – escolher

To warm up – esquentar, aquecer

Out of a job – desempregado

To take after – parecer-se com, puxar para alguém (aparência)

To be in charge of – estar encarregado de

To be on strike – estar em greve

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

- 1) The government is making a nationwide campaign about the donation of organs.
- 2) Could you point out which of these cars you are talking about?
- 3) Mr. Miller took over the presidency of the company.
- 4) Our companies advertises its products every week.
- 5) Don't include this money in this month's income.
- 6) I bluntly told him I don't believe this is possible.
- 7) I will work for them provide they pay me well.
- 8) I need to warm up some milk for the children.
- 9) Can you point out your boyfriend in this picture?
- 10) Every time she comes here, she takes over my things.
- 11) Why don't you pick out one of these flowers?
- 12) Bill said he doesn't have any money because he's out of a job.
- 13) Are you surprised by how much the computer industry has changed since you started your company?
- 14) A little more than 20 years ago, if you wanted to have a computer you had to be either with the government or a big, rich corporation.
- 15) They sell things but make no money: that's irrational activity.

16) I probably feel like most people feel: disgusted.

17) America, take the stripes of your flag, and give us the stars.

18) There's another Africa, a continent more vibrant and diverse than most outsiders ever imagine. It's a place not only of wars, famines and epidemics, but also of enterprise, grace and imagination.

19) The leading candidate for president says the country needs a "new economic model". But just exactly what does he have in mind?

20) We might share a past with our family but do we share the same memories?

21) Carole doesn't feel the same way, because her new husband Barry is aggressive and doesn't lift a finger around the house, even though his wife works 60 hours a week.

22) Why don't you pick out a place like Italy? After all, you need to make just one decision – and to make it now.

23) Lake Garda is one of Italy's most romantic and seductively beautiful lakes and, with flights from five airports and seven night's half board accommodation in a 3-star hotel.

24) This holiday represents the most exceptional value.

25) I went to paranagua recently for the first time since I was a kid, and thought it a lovely, traditional seaside town.

**B) Translate into English:**

- 1) Ela parece usar cinquenta grampos no cabelo.
- 2) Você sabe quando a festa anual vai se realizar?
- 3) Ele disse coisas ultrajantes a ela na escola.
- 4) Nós deveríamos cumprimentar nosso chefe pela sua nova namorada.
- 5) Mamãe diz que você tem que ir ao mercado imediatamente.

- 6) Eu nunca fui lá. Aliás, eu não quero ir.
- 7) Eles estabeleceram novas leis neste país.
- 8) Ele precisa assumir amanhã, quando o outro ministro irá viajar.
- 9) Quando você vai estabelecer uma data para o seu casamento?
- 10) Meu primo foi demitido novamente.
- 11) Eu presumo que ele estará lá na hora.
- 12) Eu ainda tenho que passar todas essas roupas.
- 13) Mike puxou seu pai. Ele também é bonito.
- 14) Minha avó sempre rezou antes de fazer suas refeições.
- 15) Quando nós temos que apresentar esta pesquisa para o chefe?
- 16) Que assunto você sugere para a palestra desta semana?
- 17) Nosso país importa quase tudo do Canadá.
- 18) Ele não apresentou seus documentos quando deveria.
- 19) Você sabe quem está encarregado deste setor?
- 20) Vá em frente e faça o que é melhor para você.
- 21) Como está seu novo emprego? Até agora tudo bem.
- 22) Os professores querem entrar em greve novamente.
- 23) Os salários atuais estão muito baixos.
- 24) Eu espero que ele já tenha uma licença.
- 25) Ele está encarregado deste departamento agora.

**C) Make up some sentences with these following words.**

- 1) Average - .....
- 2) Out of a job - .....
- 3) Lecture - .....
- 4) To be in charge of - .....
- 5) Remind - .....
- 6) To take over - .....
- 7) To point out - .....
- 8) To pick out - .....
- 9) Consist of - .....
- 10) To be on strike - .....

## Unit 12

## Staying alive

Tricia, Andrew and Christopher Clifford are the first British family to sign up to have their bodies frozen after their death, in a new science called "cryonics".

"I believe that in a hundred years time there's a real possibility we could be brought back to life", says Tricia, 42.

"I don't want to say 'that's it in 30 years time. Our ultimate aim is that when the technology is developed we'll be revived and live again as a family, experiencing a second life and a new age. In a hundred years time space travel could be the norm and I'd like to be around to do that."

Alan Sinclair, who set up the first body-freezing laboratory in Britain, says: "The moment you give someone an aspirin you have interfered with the natural course of things. We accept a pill to stop conception and birth. What's wrong with a similar scheme at the other end?"

Shortly after midnight on Friday, 11 December 1987, in California, 83-year-old Dora Kent stopped breathing. Then, with no qualified doctor present, her dead was removed from her body and frozen using liquid nitrogen at a temperature of 320° F.

Yet Mrs. Kent is just one of an increasing number of Americans who are being "suspended" when they die, in the hope that one day medical science will be able to bring them back to life and cure what killed them. Like many people Mrs. Kent chose to have only her head frozen – after all, a new body could be attached to her head when the time to thaw came around.

**A) Questions:**

- 1) Do you have the arguments in favour of cryonics?
- 2) Would you like to be frozen?
- 3) Why do people want to do it?
- 4) Do you think governments and religious bodies should support this new science?
- 5) Do you like the idea of being able to come back and live your life sometime in the future?
- 6) Do you think cryonics is going against nature?
- 7) Do you agree that medicine will never be sufficiently advanced to return people to life and cure the illness they died of?
- 8) Do you think it should be made legal for women to have a baby for a childless couple, and to accept payment for this?
- 9) And do you agree that people who want to sell their blood or one of their kidneys should be allowed to do so?
- 10) Do you think the internet it will soon be possible to attend courses at home?
- 11) Do you think that communicating with people over the internet is good enough, or do you think it is important to have a personal contact with people?
- 12) Do you think languages can be efficiently taught over the computer?
- 13) Do you usually make an annual balance of what you did during the year?
- 14) Do you think the last five years' balances would be positive or negative?
- 15) Did you ever have to dismiss anybody who worked for you? And did you find it hard to do?
- 16) Do you have any sales experience?
- 17) Do you usually have to be reminded of things you have to do?
- 18) Why do you think you forget things?

19) Do you include many people in the list of your good friends?

20) Are you left-handed or right-handed?

21) Do you think you speak English well by now?

22) Does your company advertise its products?

23) In your job do you have to keep standing for many hours?

24) Do you think a gate keeper and a doorman may have health problem because they have to keep standing for so many hours a day?

25) Do you think people should always sleep eight hours a day?

26) Are you afraid of getting old?

27) Are you afraid of getting sick?

28) Why do you think the Bible mentions something about not eating too much?

29) How often do you go for a checkup?

30) Do you sometimes get a fine for parking in the wrong place?

31) Do you think Brazilians in general are earning enough money?

32) Do you think that maybe scientists will find more interesting things in the future?

33) What are three places you would most like to visit in the world?

34) Are you good at remembering names?

35) Do you think you would like to live in a very cold place?

36) Do you know anybody you think is a genius?

37) Would you like to be a genius?

38) What would you invent if you were a genius?

39) Would you like to be like your boss?

40) Do you know anybody who is a judge? Would you like to be one?

41) Do you get angry when somebody interrupts you when you are speaking?

42) Are your friends reliable?

43) Do you know many reliable people?

44) Do you think Brazilians are usually respected abroad? Why?

45) Do you think it's a good idea to reduce the working week to four days for all workers?

46) Do you usually eat what you want?

47) Are you afraid of frogs?

48) Do you often eat frozen food?

49) Do you like to read studies on health?

50) Are you interested in medicine?

**B) Make a composition telling if you agree or not with this title, and explain the reasons in 100 lines: "Attractive people are seen by others as having a better personality, higher status, a better marriage and being happier."**

## Unit 13

**Idiomatic Expressions:**

To postpone – prorrogar, adiar

To gather- juntar, recolher, acumular, adquirir, presumir

As far as I am concerned – por mim ( se depender de mim)

To empty – esvaziar

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

1) Don't worry, as every dispute in the region, this story has two sides.

2) If there is a country that has committed unspeakable atrocities in the world, it is the United States of America.

3) Asia is particularly dependent on oil from the middle East and exports to the United States.

4) Even without a war, countries in this region are already paying a price, and this will only be heightened.

5) Europe is even more limited in how it can respond to the potential shock of war.

6) There are certainly no economic benefits to dragging out any war.

7) For three years, we've heard serial explanations for the economy's weakness.

8) Companies that say they've postponed projects are probably telling part of the truth.

9) They are philosophical about the fact that their best agents are often also working for the other side.

10) Maybe a miracle will come and war will change to peace.

11) People are tired of the way things are and they want a change. Only the Americans can change things.

12) After so many years of war and sanctions, people don't think they can get much worse.

13) Since the end of the cold war, many European leaders have dreamt of constructing a Europe that is a counterbalance to the United States, not just economically but geopolitically.

14) Whenever I visit a department store I hear the same thing, that the younger generation- even the women – are starting to be concerned about their futures.

15) Often such products, obtained legally in lower-cost overseas markets like Europe and the United States.

16) He remembers, a decade ago, telling a friend that he was about to graduate from high school.

17) In Argentina, there was very little chance of work. The life our children have here, they could never have had there.

18) I understand why the democratic world is worrying about it. But our problem has the potential to destabilize democracy in our region and to destroy the Amazon Basin.

19) If I were the President my first priority would be to restore security and the rule of law.

20) Although we have been fighting to restore law and order, violence continues.

21) She gathered it was a natural-gas explosion, while her dog ran into the house and hid.

22) Minutes before it was supposed to land on Saturday, the space shuttle Columbia exploded in flames over Texas, killing all seven crew members onboard.

23) As far as I'm concerned it all depends on how much money you have to spend and how much space you have.

24) Each year about 10 to 20 percent of the world population is infected with the flu, and as many 500,000 people – a small fraction of total cases – die, according to the World Health Organization.

25) Why are there no women in your crew? I chose the people who were right for the job. It wasn't a choice between men and women. It was a choice between people.

**B) Translate into English:**

- 1) É verdade que Thomas agora está encarregado do Departamento de recursos Humanos (Pessoal)?
- 2) Como eu gostaria de ter dinheiro para comprar meu próprio avião.
- 3) Então agora que vocês estão em greve, vocês sabem que a companhia não pode lhes dar um aumento.
- 4) Eu vou casar, mas não até que eu tenha mais dinheiro.
- 5) Algumas pessoas dizem que criancinhas lembram-lhes anjos.
- 6) Ele adiou seu casamento novamente?
- 7) Eu vi você juntando moedas no meio da rua.
- 8) Você pode esvaziar esta gaveta para mim?
- 9) Eu acidentalmente pisei no rabo do gato novamente.
- 10) Ele irá lá, não importa o que você faça.
- 11) Se você somente soubesse o quanto ele te ama, você não diria isso.
- 12) Minha tia está pagando uma recompensa pelo seu cachorro.
- 13) Por mim ela pode morar conosco este ano.
- 14) As manchas na sua camisa já desapareceram?
- 15) Meu pai adiou a viagem para o México.
- 16) Por que você não juntou todos os papéis?
- 17) Por que você não esvaziou a lata de lixo ainda?
- 18) Isto não diz respeito a mim ou à minha família.
- 19) Nós não contamos a mais ninguém sobre isso.
- 20) Não sabendo o que fazer eu chamei sua namorada.
- 21) Não há nada mais a temer.
- 22) Ele me culpa por tudo.

23) Olhando para você me faz lembrar meu primo.

24) Eles provavelmente viajarão amanhã.

25) Boas amizades consistem de paciência e compreensão.

**C) Choose the alternative which best matches the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.**

- 1) I need twenty pounds to \_\_\_\_\_ until the end of the month.
  - a) cover my expenses
  - b) pay off my debts
  - c) spend
  - d) borrow
- 2) It was getting late so I decided to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) give up
  - b) go to bed
  - c) switch off the light
  - d) go home
- 3) Don't buy the first thing you see: \_\_\_\_\_ a bit.
  - a) go to several different shops to compare prices
  - b) try to find the cheapest one
  - c) look at everything they have got in the shop
  - d) wait until you know exactly what you want
- 4) Anne wanted to go to the ball, and poor old Andy had to \_\_\_\_\_ fifty pounds for the tickets.
  - a) reluctantly pay
  - b) easily save up
  - c) confidently ask for
  - d) unwillingly borrow
- 5) The whole group were going on a picnic, and they said that I could \_\_\_\_\_ if I wanted.
  - a) pay for the drinks
  - b) walk behind them
  - c) go with them
  - d) carry the picnic basket
- 6) My speech started well, but I \_\_\_\_\_ after a few minutes.
  - a) forgot what I wanted to say
  - b) couldn't continue
  - c) decided to cut it short
  - d) began to feel thirsty

## Unit 14

## Ice Hotel

The "Ice Hotel" where Matt stayed in Jukkasjarvi is famous. Everything is made of ice, from the walls to the windows, from the beds to the chairs and tables. It is rebuilt every October with 30,000 tonnes of snow and 4,000 tonnes of ice.

"It has 51 bedrooms and they're all freezing!", says Matt. "Still, the owner said the temperature in the rooms was only minus five degrees so it could have been worse". The hotel hosts weddings, babies are baptized in its ice church and it even has its own ice cinema, though Matt didn't see any ice creams!

Making things from ice is catching and, as he'd travelled alone, made himself an ice "Meg". There was no chance of her melting until springtime when the whole hotel starts to thaw.

"Sleeping was difficult", says Matt. "I'd been told not to wear too many clothes so that there was a good layer of air between me and my sleeping bag. That was fine but I just couldn't nod off. I don't know whether it was because my face was cold but I lay awake for hours. After a while I needed to use the toilet, and that was when wearing one layer of clothes didn't seem such a good idea!".

The crew were all sleeping in a nice warm cabin in the town. They left Matt to freeze at the ice hotel and they promised to wake up him in the morning.

"I just got off to sleep when they came in!", Matt remembers. "It was a terrible night's sleep but I didn't mind. How many people can say they've slept in a room and on a bed both made completely of ice?".

( from Blue Peter Book-BBC)

## A) Questions:

- 1) Would you like to stay at an Ice Hotel? Why?
- 2) Would you prefer to go to a hot place or a cold place?
- 3) When you drive, do you usually go beyond the speed limit?
- 4) Do you wear the seat belts?
- 5) When you see a "No Parking" sign, do you sometimes park there in spite of notice?
- 6) Did the workers at your company ever go on strike?
- 7) Do you consider worker's strikes to be good or bad for the community in general?
- 8) Are there any twins in your family?
- 9) Do you often eat frozen food?
- 10) Do you take life seriously or do you look at it in a light manner?
- 11) Do you often postpone things?
- 12) Do you know of anyone who just disappeared and was never again seen or heard of?
- 13) What is the best thing that has happened to you in the last month?
- 14) Do you think a strong mind means a healthy body?
- 15) What is something other people do that really makes you mad?
- 16) Do you think disharmony could result in physical illness?
- 17) Are you happy with your friendships?
- 18) What do you think about the midlife crisis?
- 19) What are your plans for the future?
- 20) Are you happy with your profession?
- 21) Do you think plants and animals have feelings?
- 22) Do you think the character is inherited?
- 23) Do you think the character could be transformed?

24) Would you like to know when you'll die? Why? Why not?

25) Do you have a family doctor?

26) Do you include many people in the list of your good friends?

27) If you had to choose between reading something about Medicine and something about Engineering, which topic would you choose?

28) Do people often misunderstand you?

29) Did you know you can only see a seventh part of an iceberg above the water? And do you think it's dangerous to travel by ship?

30) What's the first city you would like to visit in the United States?

31) Do you think you would like to live in a very cold place?

32) Do you think people who usually lives in cold countries are usually close and serious?

33) How much do you spend each month?

34) If you won a lot of money in the lottery would you stop working?

35) Do you think your boss respects his employees?

36) Who is your best friend and where did you meet him/her?

37) What do you like most about your best friend?

38) How is your friend similar to or different from you?

39) Have you ever made friends while you were traveling?

40) When you were in high school, did you have a part-time job?

41) Are you always in a hurry to finish things?

42) Are you often impatient with other people?

43) Are you ambitious and always looking for new challenges?

44) Do you get upset when people are late for appointments?

45) Do you often do two things at once, such as watching tv while eating?

46) Do you sometimes stop listening when people are talking to you?

47) Do you expect to be the best at everything you do?

48) Do you often interrupt people while they are speaking?

49) What are the three things you look for the most in a partner?

50) Would you like to exchange jobs with your boss? Why? Why not?

**B) Write about advantages and disadvantages for each of these following jobs:**

1) Traveling salesperson-

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2) Construction worker -

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3) Taxi driver -

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4) Doctor -

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5) Teacher -

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6) Model -

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## Unit 15

**Idiomatic Expressions:**

To fight off – combater, repelir

To jot down – anotar (rapidamente)

To work out – decifrar, solucionar

To take in account – levar em consideração

Other than – ao invés de

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

1) Why did you become a sailor? Because I loved the freedom. You can get on a boat and go around the world, with only the wind.

2) You can never understand the sea. You should never try to. You should always respect it. We are minuscule on the scale of things. Truly.

3) What's this made of? It's made of a new kind of material.

4) She tried to fight off the feeling she had that something bad was going to happen to them.

5) Don't worry, tomorrow I will work this out.

6) They blamed us for the problems they had.

7) As long as I jot down everything I'll take to your office.

8) I agree he should have finished this by today, but you have to take in account that he just got married this weekend.

9) The information you want is stored.

10) He broadcasts news on this radio station.

11) He could do something different other than going out with her.

12) Let's finish this report once and for all.

13) Carole doesn't feel the same way since she lost her job.

14) She is going away because her new husband Barry, is aggressive and doesn't lift a finger around the house, even though his wife works 60 hours a week.

15) We might share a past with our family but do we share the same memories?

16) The window for diplomacy seems to be rapidly closing.

17) This looks to me like a rerun of a bad movie. I'm not interested in watching it.

18) Nobody is forced to eat there, except, perhaps, parents of small children who desire hamburgers, toy promotions or playgrounds.

19) It makes a lot of sense. You can always update your car or a computer, but you just can't update teeth.

20) One who agreed with us said need to break down the barriers that divide today's world.

21) Not all of this will happen. In fact, most of it will probably not happen. But not all of the bad things people predict will likely happen either.

22) There are always risks involved when things change.

23) Powell has long been a reluctant warrior.

24) Surely our friends have learned lessons from the past.

25) Russians have always had a fondness for the British capital. Now they are coming in such large numbers, they're creating their own virtual Moscow on the Thames.

**B) Translate into English:**

1) Quando você vai conseguir solucionar todo este mistério?

2) Você não deveria culpar ninguém a menos que esteja certo.

3) O que é essa mancha na sua camisa?

4) Aquele garoto tem maus modos, talvez ele não tenha mãe.

5) Os preços aqui são um tanto razoáveis. Eu pensei que seria muito caro.

6) Mais provavelmente nós estaremos na praia na semana que vem.

7) Eu vou viajar, não importa o que você diga.

8) Há várias maneiras de combater a fome.

9) Em comparação esta casa é melhor que a outra que tínhamos, mas ela está longe de ser a casa dos meus sonhos.

10) Por favor, anote rapidamente tudo o que ela está dizendo.

11) Seja razoável e não me peça mais dinheiro.

12) Ela disse lhe rindo que estava indo embora permanentemente.

13) Mark não poderia razoavelmente esperar que ela desistisse de seus sonhos.

14) Você tem certeza que ele está vindo hoje dos Estados Unidos?

15) Ele alega que ele não levou elas para casa naquela noite.

16) Você poderia por favor entreter ele um minuto para mim?

17) Eu sei que eu prometi que eu iria lá mas você tem que levar em consideração que eu estava com um terrível resfriado semana passada.

18) Minha irmã armazenou todas as latas de cerveja no porão.

19) Havia um homem clamando por ajuda no filme ontem.

20) Eu definitivamente preciso da aprovação do meu chefe nisso.

21) Eu não estou culpando você eu só estou dizendo que você teve tempo de sobra para fazer este exercício.

22) Como você consegue ser tão desatento?

23) Ele guarda algo dentro de si que eu não entendo.

24) Por que você não desiste de viajar com ela?

25) Nós poderíamos fazer algo diferente hoje ao invés de ir na casa da sua mãe.

**C) Make up sentences with these Idiomatic Expressions:**

- 1) To fight off - .....
- 2) To jot down - .....
- 3) To work out - .....
- 4) To take in account - .....
- 5) Other than - .....

## Unit 16

Read and fill in the blanks with the correct prepositions: about, at, in ,of, for, to, after,up, among, from, inside, over, without, with, until, from, before.

If we only knew just how much we have ..... our hearts, maybe it would be easier to live ..... others..... misunderstandings. Wouldn't it be easy if you could notice that the person that sat next ..... you ..... the bus could be a wonderful friend? That he or she likes the same things you do?

If we only knew just how long it takes ..... a tree to grow, would we cut it? If we knew that the flowers feel when we pick them, maybe we wouldn't. Sometimes it seems we don't know what we are doing. .... fact, I don't think we ever know what we are doing. Otherwise, the world wouldn't be hungry.

I think that ..... ourselves, we are all very lonely. We seem to be kind ..... lost ..... some sort ..... strange world. We don't know where the wind comes ..... nor do we know where it's going ..... We never know what to say if someone says something good or bad to us; the words usually come out ..... we know it.

Sometimes we don't feel very good ..... who or how we are, and we change our clothes or buy a new car, but that doesn't change anything ..... us. If you look ..... a little baby ..... five months, you will notice that sometimes she or he looks ..... one hand and ..... the other hand, trying to feel what he or she is doing.

I go ..... the mountains and look ..... the valley, and even there alone, I don't feel free, because I know I have to go home some day. I'm not free..... stay and I'm not aware ..... what my hands do when I get angry. Sometimes I feel so ugly, and it's usually because I'm ..... a bad mood, therefore I don't really feel myself, otherwise I wouldn't feel ugly. Or am I ugly and I can't feel it?! Have you ever felt yourself when you look ..... someone you don't like? If we learned how to feel things, maybe we would prefer to feel a flower ..... our hands instead ..... a gun. Who knows? If we only knew how to feel ourselves .....others, we wouldn't feel so lonely.

When we learn how to feel ..... our hands and our hearts, what other hands and other hearts feel, the wars will finally end. ....then, the only thing we will know how to feel, is pain.

## A) Questions:

- 1) Can you name two jobs where you can get commissions?
- 2) Are you good at managing people?
- 3) Are you punctual?
- 4) Does work or study sometimes cause you stress?
- 5) How does this stress affect you?
- 6) How do you do to help yourself relax?
- 7) What's an interesting city you have visited? Is there much unemployment?
- 8) And what about industry?
- 9) Is there any pollution there?
- 10) Are rents expensive?
- 11) What can you do there?
- 12) What's good to buy there?
- 13) Complete these sentences with information of your own: "while I was having a meal in a restaurant once,...."
- 14) "I was visiting a friend some years ago when I ...".
- 15) Make the question for the following situation: you want someone to help you move on Saturday.
- 16) Have you ever received a message in an unusual way? How?

- 17) Would you rather send your children to a public or a private school?
- 18) Would you rather study English in Australia or Canada? Why?
- 19) Would you rather study in a class or with a private tutor?
- 20) Complete the sentence: "A lot of young people today....."
- 21) During the last four weeks, did anyone do something that made you feel good? What was it?
- 22) Have you done anything in the last few weeks that made someone else feel good? What did you do?
- 23) When you make a mistake in English, would you rather someone corrected you immediately or just ignored it?
- 24) When you hear a new word in English, do you prefer writing it down or trying to remember it?
- 25) If you don't understand what someone says do you usually prefer asking the person to repeat it or just pretending you understand?
- 26) When you meet a native speaker, do you usually try to talk to the person?
- 27) Do you usually bring a gift when you are invited to someone's home?
- 28) What is the most difficult thing about learning a foreign language for you?
- 29) Can you recommend a popular place for dancing?
- 30) Where is a great place in your city to buy interesting things?
- 31) What kinds of job do you think robots will be doing in the future?
- 32) Which countries do you think will be the most powerful by 2050?
- 33) Which three products in science and technology are going to affect our lives the most in the next twenty years?
- 34) What are the three most important changes that will have occurred on Earth by 2050?
- 35) What do you think you'll be doing a year from now? How about in five years?
- 36) Do you think you'll still living in this town?
- 37) What are three things you won't have done next five years?
- 38) In what ways do you think you'll have changed?
- 39) What are the two household chores you hate doing the most?
- 40) How much time do you spend every week doing household chores?
- 41) What do you like most about your neighborhood?
- 42) Is there anything you don't like about it?
- 43) What would you do if you wanted to find a good job?
- 44) What would you do if you became the leader of your country?
- 45) If you could trade places with someone for a day, who would it be?
- 46) If you had the chance to change one thing in the world, what would it be?
- 47) What do you think are the three most serious problems facing the world today?
- 48) Do you know any unsolved mystery?
- 49) Why do you think dinosaurs disappeared?

50) Tell me a thing you would refuse to do if someone asked?

**B) Write about what would you do in this situation: you have invited a lot of friends to your house for a party, but no one seems to be having fun. Everyone looks bored.**

## Unit 17

**A) Put in the missing prepositions in the following sentences and then translate into Portuguese:**

- 1) I'm very disappointed ..... him.
- 2) Who else was ..... the party on Saturday?
- 3) He had difficulty ..... starting the car.
- 4) What do English people eat ..... Christmas?
- 5) That music was written ..... Beethoven.
- 6) I'm very conscious ..... my big nose.
- 7) The police car chased the robbers ..... the streets.
- 8) I'm looking ..... my lighter. Have you seen it?
- 9) I haven't smoked ..... ages.
- 10) I'm tired ..... learning English.
- 11) Here- divide this bar of chocolate ..... yourselves.
- 12) His opinion differs ..... mine.
- 13) You go on, there's no need to wait ..... me.
- 14) If you don't know what a word means, you can always look it ..... in a dictionary.
- 15) He was very proud ..... being English.

**B) Choose the word which best completes each sentence and then translate into portuguese.**

- 1) My work's got worse and worse. Unless I .....  
I'll fail my exams in the summer.  
a) get well  
b) improve  
c) increase  
d) get back
- 2) oh, dear, my watch has.....!  
a) ended  
b) stopped  
c) finished  
d) completed

- 3) If you work for someone, then you are .....  
a) a slave  
b) unemployed  
c) an employer  
d) an employee
- 4) I'm afraid there's no ..... of seeing Mr Brown until tomorrow.  
a) possibility  
b) wish  
c) opportunity  
d) chance
- 5) The ..... around this town is quite beautiful.  
a) countryside  
b) scene  
c) nature  
d) country
- 6) He's always telling me what to do. He's so .....  
a) cruel  
b) bossy  
c) helpful  
d) charming
- 7) His parents gave him everything he asked for. He was thoroughly .....  
a) disturbed  
b) ashamed  
c) full up  
d) spoilt
- 8) I still feel like a cigarette even though I ..... smok-  
ing two years ago.  
a) gave in  
b) gave up  
c) gave over  
d) completed
- 9) He wants to get to the top before he is thirty. He is very .....  
a) tall  
b) ambitious  
c) intelligent  
d) industrial
- 10) John always arrives on time. He's so .....  
a) careful  
b) boring

- c) punctual
- d) timeless

11) She made the .....mistake of forgetting to put the "s" on the verb in the third person singular.

- a) classic
- b) important
- c) classical
- d) famous

12) I was very ..... for all the advice she gave me.

- a) glad
- b) grateful
- c) in debt
- d) pleased

13) Most parents find it difficult to ..... their children nowadays.

- a) grow up
- b) foster
- c) develop
- d) bring up

14) I ..... to inform you that your sister died ten minutes ago.

- a) sorry
- b) regret
- c) apologise
- d) pity

15) I have no brothers or sisters. I am ..... child.

- a) an only
- b) a sole
- c) a unique
- d) a single

**C) If you didn't have a job and needed urgently money, which job would you like to do and make a composition explaining why and how do you think it would be.**

- a) Washing up in a café or restaurant.
- b) Selling ice-creams or hamburgers in the street.
- c) Working in a night club.
- d) Looking after children.

## Unit 18

## It was long ago

I'll tell you, shall I, something I remember?  
 Something that still means a great deal to...  
 It was long ago.

A dusty road in summer I remember,  
 A mountain, and an old house, and a ...  
 That stood, you know,

Behind the house. An old woman I remember  
 In a red shawl with a grey cat on her...  
 Humming under a ...

She seemed the oldest thing I can remember,  
 But then perhaps I was not more than...  
 It was long ago.

I dragged along the dusty road, and I remember  
 How the old woman looked over the fence at...  
 And seemed to know

How it felt to be three, and called out, I remember  
 "Do you like bilberries and cream for...?  
 I went under the...

And while she hummed, and the cat purred, I remember  
 How she filled a saucer with berries and cream for...  
 So long ago.

Such berries and such cream as I remember  
 I never had seen before, and I never...  
 Today, you know.

And that is almost all I can remember,  
 The house, the mountain, the grey cat on her...,  
 Her red shawl, and the...,

And the taste of the berries, the feel of the sun I remember,  
 And the smell of everything that I used to...  
 So long ago,

Till the heat on the road outside again I remember,  
 And how the long dusty road seemed to have for...  
 No end, you know.

This is the farthest thing I can remember.  
 It won't mean much to you. It does to...  
 Then I grew up, you...

(by Eleanor Farjeon)

## A) Questions:

- 1) Is there something you miss a lot about your childhood?
- 2) What do you most remember about your childhood: hearing, tasting or feeling?
- 3) How old do you think was the poet at the time?
- 4) What is your earliest memory?
- 5) Do you keep anything in secret?
- 6) Name two successful people. Why do you think they are successful?
- 7) Do you think the humor in a commercial is effective? Why or why not?
- 8) Do you know any strange law in your country?
- 9) Do you think prices these days keep going up?
- 10) Do you agree that it's not easy to save money anymore?
- 11) What is your opinion on using animals for research?
- 12) If you have just inherited \$500,000,000, would you quit school or job?
- 13) What would you buy?
- 14) If you wanted to thank someone for something, would you rather buy the person a gift or take the person out to dinner?
- 15) Which do you prefer: borrowing money from a bank or asking a friend you know for a loan?
- 16) When you are buying clothes, which is more important: choosing a famous designer label or considering the price tag?
- 17) Have you ever been on a blind date?
- 18) When trying something new, do you worry a lot about looking silly?
- 19) Do you get frustrated with people who drive too slowly?
- 20) Would you like to try scuba diving?
- 21) What sort of personal questions do you think are impolite when you meet a person for the first time?
- 22) Do you like getting up early or do you prefer to sleep late?
- 23) Have you ever made a terrible decision?
- 24) Give details about an interesting film you have ever seen.
- 25) In your opinion who is the personality of the year?

- 26) Has any strange coincidence ever happened to you?
- 27) Have you ever cooked a meal that went wrong?
- 28) Have you ever called someone in the street and then realised he/she wasn't who you thought he/she was?
- 29) Have you ever walked around town with your zip undone on your jeans or dress?
- 30) Which do you think are the most embarrassing: if you talk to someone for a long time but you just can't remember their name; or if you meet an ex-boyfriend or ex-girlfriend of wife/husband in the street just after you have separated from them.
- 31) Is there any special food which you associate with your childhood?
- 32) Can you remember a point in time when you felt you "grew up"?
- 33) Is there anything that makes you proud?
- 34) Do you see people doing many different things on city streets in your country?
- 35) Do you usually give money to street people?
- 36) What would you do for \$400,000?
- 37) Would you dive into the sea from a height of 30 metres for \$400,000?
- 38) Would you marry someone you didn't like but who was very rich for \$400,000?
- 39) Would you reveal to a newspaper the intimate details of a friend's relationship with a famous person for money?
- 40) Would you do a parachute jump from an aeroplane for money?
- 41) What do you think it's worse: die in the fire or drown?
- 42) Do you believe some people are lucky?
- 43) What do you consider being a waste of time?
- 44) What can't you live without?
- 45) Which thing would you never want to?
- 46) Would you like to have a robot?
- 47) Do you think the robot can replace men?
- 48) Do you think Sunday is the most dangerous day of the week for driving?
- 49) Do you think more young people than old people are robbed?
- 50) Do you agree that the chances of an aeroplane crashing are approximately one in 10 million?

**B) Comment on the following situations:**

- 1) Your older brother was stopped by the police while he was driving home. Why was he stopped?
- 2) You went out last night and you had an exam today. What happened?
- 3) Your sister told her boss she was ill and went shopping instead of going to work. What happened?

## Unit 19

**Idiomatic Expressions:**

To misplace- pôr ou colocar no lugar errado ou não lembrado.

To carry out (an order)- cumprir (uma ordem)

**Vocabulary:**

Windshield- para-brisa

Wheel - roda

Windshield wiper – limpador de para-brisa

Gas pedal – pedal de acelerador

Gearshift lever – manivela de câmbio

Fuel indicator–marcador de combustível

Steering wheel- volante

Dash(instrument) board- painel de instr.

Headlight – farol

Speedometer – velocímetro

Parking brake(lever) – (manivela de) freio de mão

Ignition switch – chave da ignição

Horn – buzina

Hood – capô

Gas tank – tanque de gasolina

Bumper – para-choque

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

1) The creature was less than a meter long.

2) I don't know who I am unless you tell me who I am – or who you want me to be.

3) I made one of the worst toasts in the history of toasts at my sister's wedding.

4) Those are the days when I'd say to myself: "Find something nice to say. Try not to tell a deliberate lie".

5) Where he grew up in Chicago, he had a drama program, and he really hope they still have that because if it wasn't for that, he definitely would not have been an actor.

6) She wasn't really prepared for the sort of attention she got.

7) There was so much coming at me at one point that I remember just asking God to take it away from me, and He actually did for a while, you know?

8) Chris, can you imagine dealing with the kind of fame that Dennis is talking about?

9) If you are famous, you can't go by yourself. You have to have a bodyguard go with you.

10) He is very honest and I completely trusted his judgement.

11) He hardly knows any actors of his own generation. Some of them he has never met, even in a social situation.

12) I can only speak for myself. I went through periods when I didn't like it, but I'm really feeling good about it.

13) No, I mean, that's the other side of all this.

14) Animal research indicates that this plant reduces levels of the stress hormone.

15) It has no side effects that we've noticed, only side benefits.

16) In the 1970's, Brazilian composer and musician Gilberto Gil helped invent "Tropicalismo", an irreverent style of pop music.

17) We want to express the importance of culture, literature, music, cinema, in international relations. We also want to talk about the Brazilian spirit.

18) Lula said that if in four years all Brazilians are able to eat three meals a day, his government will have been a success. It's his goal.

19) The greatest fear Paul and Michael have of sharks is their extinction.

20) As growing numbers of patients around the world turn to alternative medicine, science is placing herbs and acupuncture under the microscope.

21) Millions of farm kids can't afford an education.

22) She loves sharing her knowledge of herbs and acupuncture with patients.

23) Most people know that a healthy lifestyle can help prevent heart disease, but many assume that drugs and procedures are the whole secret to surviving it.

24) Most experts still doubt that such programs offer a realistic alternative to surgery, angioplasty or medication for people with advanced heart disease.

25) Can other natural remedies help keep your heart healthy?

**B) Translate into English:**

1) Nosso chefe nos proibiu de falar no escritório.

2) Eu não consigo achar meu livro, eu devo ter colocado num lugar que eu não me lembro.

3) O que eu gosto dele é que ele sempre cumpre nossas ordens sem demora.

4) Eu lhe proíbo de dizer isso novamente.

5) Poucas pessoas sabem tricotar hoje em dia.

6) Ele estava tremendo de febre.

7) Eu lhe disse que isso era proibido aqui.

8) Meu pai estava chocado com as notícias na televisão.

9) Eles encontraram o relatório que tinha sido guardado no lugar errado.

10) Peter entrou enquanto eles saíam.

11) Você sabia que os volantes ingleses são à direita?

12) Esta é uma fechadura de porta muito moderna.

13) Você deveria usar a buzina somente em emergência.

14) Não esqueça de olhar para o marcador de combustível.

15) Existe algo no capô do carro.

16) Ela queria colocar rodas especiais no carro dela.

17) Os faróis não parecem estar funcionando.

18) Eu acabo de bater no portão.

19) Você disse que há algo errado com o pedal do acelerador ou com o pedal do freio?

20) Eu realmente não gosto da manivela de câmbio deste carro.

21) Este limpador de para-brisas está muito velho. Eu preciso compra outro novo.

22) Por favor, você pode dar uma olhada para o velocímetro?

23) O pedal à sua esquerda é o pedal da embreagem.

24) O que acontece, por exemplo, se ficarmos sem gasolina?

25) Fique de olho nela para mim, ok?

## Unit 20

**Over the Niagara Falls for money!**

On October 24, 1901, 63-year old Annie Edison Taylor went over the Niagara Falls in a barrel. Why did she do it? Well, she had no money, and she couldn't pay her rent. Lots of people bet money on her success. She had nothing to lose! Happily, she did not drown, and she got lots of money. She paid her rent and the bank was happy.

Ten years later, on July 25, 1911, Bobby Leach, an Englishman, also went over the falls. He used a steel barrel and survived. Years later, he slipped on a banana skin and died.

The next person was not so lucky. Charles Stephens, another Englishman, went over the Falls on the morning of July 11, 1920. He was in a wooden barrel, but this burst open. People found a few bits of wood and Stephen's right arm (with tattoos).

But the first person to cross the Falls was Charles Blondin. He wanted to pay his rent, too! In 1859, he walked across the Falls on a thin wire. Then he walked back again, carrying a big camera. Halfway over, he stopped and took photos of the crowds. He repeated the crossing blindfolded and another time with a man on his pack. Each time, the crowds cheered... and paid some more money.

(from Tech Teens-Macmillan)

**A) Questions:**

- 1) Which advice would you give to someone who wants to find somewhere cheap to live?
- 2) Have you ever been frightened by something?
- 3) Do you think there are different sorts of slavery in our society today? Give examples.
- 4) What do people do that it's irritating?
- 5) Do you think you have any annoying habits?
- 6) Do you have a new-born baby in your family? Would you like to?
- 7) Do you think it's possible some mothers have a favourite child?
- 8) Do you think it's harmful to children when some mothers want their children to be popular?
- 9) What about when some mothers don't give enough discipline?
- 10) Do you think it's harmful being too protective to children?
- 11) Do you agree that sometimes it's awful having a lot of money?
- 12) How long does it take to become a doctor in your country?
- 13) Would you like to be a doctor? Why or why not?
- 14) How respect is the medical profession?
- 15) How well-paid are doctors and nurses?
- 16) Would you ever answer an advertisement in a "lonely hearts" column?
- 17) If you were putting an ad in a "lonely hearts" column, how would you describe yourself?
- 18) What is the largest animal in the world?
- 19) What is the fastest mammal in the world?
- 20) Are you interested in antiques?
- 21) While you are parking your car, you accidentally scratch the paintwork of a new car. What would you do?
- 22) Imagine that you are a shop assistant and you notice one of your colleagues stealing from the till. Would you inform the boss?
- 23) What would you do if your friend's boyfriend/girlfriend invited you out for a date?
- 24) Would you refuse the invitation and tell your friend?
- 25) Do you know someone who ever had a supernatural experience?
- 26) Do you believe in telepathy or premonitions of the future?
- 27) What circumstances would make you leave your own country?
- 28) If you had to, which country would you emigrate to and why?
- 29) Do you have relatives who have emigrated?
- 30) Do you think people will be living on the moon in the future?
- 31) Do you think English will still be the international language?
- 32) Do you think a cure for AIDS will have been found?
- 33) Do you agree that most families will have robot to help with the housework?
- 34) Will Brazil be a new superpower in the future?
- 35) Do you think life expectancy in industrialized countries will be 100?
- 36) Do you think it's possible in the future cash disappears and everything being paid for credit and cash card?
- 37) Can you describe your appearance?

- 38) What do you do when you think about the future?
- 39) When someone asks you a question and you're not sure of the answer, what do you do?
- 40) What do you do when you forget to do something important for a friend?
- 41) When your boss is away do you work hard as usual?
- 42) Are you popular with others?
- 43) Do you always listen to your friend's problem and give advice?
- 44) Are you afraid of needles?
- 45) Would you work at night?
- 46) Would you like to live in a caravan?
- 47) Would you like to be a farmer?
- 48) What does a police officer need most; physical strength or the ability to think quickly?
- 49) Do you think ordinary police doesn't require a lot of intelligence?
- 50) What could children learn from having a pet?

**B) Make up a composition about "The loneliness of the old".**

## Unit 21

**Idiomatic Expressions:**

To set aside – pôr de lado

To bring together- reunir

Altogether – todo o conjunto, resumindo, completamente

That's about it – isso é tudo

To come to be – vir a ser, tornar-se

To go into effect- vigorar

To be named after- receber o nome em homenagem a alguém

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

1) Could set aside this t-shirt for me, please?

2) I think they're altogether crazy, aren't they?

3) I think that's about it. So the test's day would be next week.

4) She came to be his wife. All their friends were very happy for their wedding.

5) I hesitated in going when they told me who would be there.

6) I'll mention something about this matter to her, after all he refused to go to work.

7) For those suffering from the pain of anxiety and depression, complementary medicine is no miracle cure. But some treatments offer real hope.

8) But be careful, natural products are not always the best or safest treatments for depression and anxiety.

9) First consider the risks. Keep your options open.

10) He worries that innocent people might be among those who face lethal injection.

11) I never did anything to harm him.

12) I know some foreign governments consider the death penalty so ignoble that they won't extradite criminals to our courts.

13) Your latest movie, book and show focus on America, yet there's an obvious resonance here in Europe.

14) If they continue to adopt certain American ways, they will have a worse, less safe society as a result.

15) War is the worst response man can imagine; everything has to be done to avoid it.

16) God only knows what the world will be like in 10 years.

17) Brazil is building a fancy new system of radars that, for the first time, gives it a bird's eye view of what goes on within its borders. But can technology alone save the rain forest?

18) The country is divided not just into rich and poor, north and south, han and minority.

19) So it's not china's success that should worry us, but rather what happens if china fails.

20) All the same, we must continue to talk about human rights and the rule of law in that country. These are not topics to be ignored.

21) The freedom to be irresponsible is a new luxury in China, but it's coming at the expense of education.

22) Most chinese students still prepared feverishly for their exams, constantly reminded by their parents that a good education is the only route to success.

23) If the economy and infrastructure aren't developed enough, people will not say. That means building new highways, airports, schools, hospitals, water treatment plants and other public facilities.

24) When a friend comes back wearing nice clothes and with expensive things, they are impressed because they has never seen so much.

25) When you think about how good salmon really is for you, you have to wonder, why would you ever eat anything else?

**B) Translate into English:**

1) Ou você respira ou você fuma.

2) Bem cavalheiros, eu acho que é tudo por hoje.

- 3) Este projeto virá a ser o melhor de todos.
- 4) Eu estou disposto a aceitar este desafio contanto que você me assegure que não terei problemas futuros.
- 5) Eu não acho que eu preciso mencionar o significado do Natal.
- 6) Eu sei que eu vou vir a ser uma atriz bem famosa no futuro.
- 7) Nós devemos ter muita cautela para lidar com esse tipo de problema.
- 8) As vozes barulhentas deles me perturbam.
- 9) Cuidado com o que você dizer no encontro.
- 10) Eu lhe disse que ela é uma pessoa descuidada, agora ela deixou o baby sozinho em casa.
- 11) O que eles dizem não parece ter nenhum sentido.
- 12) Ele olhou para ela significativamente.
- 13) O problema da saúde dele não é notável ainda.
- 14) Ela pareceu arrependida depois do que ela disse.
- 15) Lamentavelmente nós esquecemos de enviar lhe o livro que você pediu.
- 16) Este motor foi ajustado recentemente?
- 17) Vamos reunir toda nossa família e fazer uma festa.
- 18) Ela recebeu seu nome em homenagem à sua bisavó.
- 19) Ele ouviu dizer que essa lei só irá vigorar a partir do ano que vem.
- 20) É praticamente hora do almoço, nós precisamos ir agora.
- 21) Você acha que as maiores selvas estão na América do Sul?
- 22) Você terá que reunir todas essas pessoas.
- 23) Isto é tudo que restou do dinheiro.

- 24) Isto entrará em vigor na fábrica só no mês que vem.
- 25) Ele deliberadamente me deixou sozinha neste lugar com esta terrível libélula.

**C) Write a composition using at least 15 lines with all the Idiomatic Expressions you just learned on the Units 19 and 21.**

## Unit 22

## The new role of the secretary in the office 2000

The office of the future will depend on the support and expertise of the administrative assistants who are likely to involve into Information Coordinators. They will coordinate and facilitate communication among members of an increasingly mobile workforce.

Which characteristics should this administrative professional of the future have? How should the administrative assistant manage a career in a market which demands more and more technical and interpersonal skills?

A few recommendations:

1. Become proficient with all of the software applications in your company's office.
2. Attend workshops and seminars using the latest business software.
3. Explore the internet to familiarize yourself with Web sites and information that could be useful in your job.
4. Utilize your company's information technology department as a resource when you have technical problems.

Along with technical expertise, superior communication skills are indispensable for today's administrative professionals.

You may be called upon to coordinate the efforts of a team, interact with clients, handle inquiries from customers. Also your responsibilities may include issuing memos and reports, preparing presentations or writing an official manual.

You should strive to be an effective communicator, to convey the best image of the company you represent. You and your company want that image to be professional.

Communication takes many form – written, oral, verbal, non-verbal. Is it clear or unclear, prosaic or poetic? Does communication lead to understanding? The overall purpose of communication is to lower the walls of misunderstanding that separate people from each other.

“Language is the pathway to the world peace”.

## A) Questions:

- 1) Would you like to become a secretary?
- 2) Is there a secretary among your relatives or friends?
- 3) Do you think a secretary is the most important employee in a company?
- 4) Do you think secretaries have a good salary?
- 5) What are five well-paid jobs in your country?
- 6) Is there much unemployment in your country?
- 7) What are your views on the problem of stress in modern life?
- 8) What do you think about running in the marathon this year?
- 9) I don't think much of the government's policies on drugs, do you?
- 10) What can you do to make your town a better place to live?
- 11) When you are driving a car, how can you avoid having an accident?
- 12) Did you ever see a different situation inside the bus?
- 13) Why are so many people against smoking?
- 14) Which are the favourite tourist destinations in your country?
- 15) Which cities do you know in your country?
- 16) Where would you like to go, in your country, if you could choose? Why?
- 17) Have you had any experience with computers?
- 18) Which are your favorite cartoon characters and why?
- 19) You see a competition in a magazine. The first prize is a new car, but you need to go to the library to find the correct answers to win the competition. Are you the kind of the person who thinks “I never win anything, so there's no point in entering”?
- 20) Is there any kind of food you cannot eat?
- 21) What's something very expensive but you always buy at the supermarket?
- 22) What's something just you in your family like to eat?
- 23) Would you like to be a detective? Why?
- 24) What's your most valuable possession?
- 25) Do you have anything that has a sentimental value for you?
- 26) Did you know the women make up 52% (per cent) of the population? What do you think about?
- 27) Did you know that 71% (per cent) of the world's gold comes from South Africa? Do you know more about this?

- 28) Do you think you worry more at home than when you're working?
- 29) Do you think it's difficult to change in eating habits?
- 30) How would you feel if you were losing your job?
- 31) Do you agree that stress can produce cancer?
- 32) Why do you think people love soap operas in Brazil?
- 33) What would you do if you had chance to do anything?
- 34) What would you do if you earned more?
- 35) What is the worse film you have ever seen? What was the story?
- 36) What would you do and who would you choose if you could have dinner with a celebrity?
- 37) Complete: if the air travel were less expensive...?
- 38) How do you think it would be if everyone in the world spoke the same language?
- 39) What would you have done if you was traveling by train in Europe and ran out of money?
- 40) What is necessary for people who wants to be successful in business?
- 41) What's necessary for people who wants to speak a foreign language well?
- 42) What's necessary for a tv commercial to be effective?
- 43) What do you think it's necessary for a restaurant to be popular?
- 44) What about to make friends when you move to a new town?
- 45) Do you think flying is more dangerous than traveling by car?
- 46) Which do you think is more expensive, eating at home or eating out?
- 47) Which do you think is better, living alone or sharing an apartment with friends?
- 48) Do you think working for yourself is more satisfying than working for someone else?
- 49) What kind of place do you live? What do you like about it?
- 50) What do you dislike about it?

**B) One of your friends is arriving after you leave on your trip. Write a note explaining what you have decided to do and why. Also mention approximately when you will be in each place.**

## Unit 23

**Idiomatic Expressions:**

- To go bankrupt- ir à falência
- To get hold of – conseguir contactar
- To come across – deparar-se com
- To overhear – ouvir por acaso
- To draw aside – pôr de lado, afastar, chamar em particular
- To take turns – se revezar
- To talk over – resolver via discussão
- By all means – sem dúvida alguma, a todo custo
- To get on with – andar logo com isso, continuar

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

- 1) He drew Jennifer aside and asked her what was wrong.
- 2) I unfortunately couldn't get hold of the boss before the meeting.
- 3) I came across her at the main square.
- 4) Are you sure they went bankrupt?
- 5) We'll have to grind some more peppers.
- 6) My dog easily grinds bones with its teeth.
- 7) If you don't this properly, you're going to have trouble.
- 8) She overheard something about a general strike being planned.
- 9) You must go there tonight by all means.
- 10) I just want we meet and talk this over.
- 11) Let's take turns to stay with mother in the hospital.
- 12) Meanwhile, chefs have discovered that if you cook salmon with enough butter, you can charge almost as much for it as some delicious shrimps.
- 13) If vegetables don't get rid off all your wrinkles, well, there's always cold cream.
- 14) After years of empty promises, technology finally delivers. Kiss those computer cables goodbye.
- 15) I've never heard such tremendous applause as at the

end of Globe shows.

16) The first five years of a child's life are critical, the experts tell us. That's when their characters are formed.

17) Society suffers as a result, because a deprived child has a lot less chance of growing up and adjusted adult.

18) Some of us believe we can change things – or at least try.

19) In your community there are dozens of ways you can make personal contact with kids and make a difference to their lives.

20) Maybe you'll help one to read, to play a game, to learn to laugh. Maybe you'll just be the hand that holds out a little hope.

21) If there is one thing that constantly perplexes foreign visitors about the United States, it is the complete absence of public toilets.

22) All that you need to know about trips that take your breath away.

23) I feel well today, I don't think there's anything wrong with my health after all.

24) They said they can deliver the goods this week.

25) The boss seems to be having a fight with his partner. Why don't they talk the problems over?

**B) Translate into Portuguese.**

- 1) Você já sabe quanto é a taxa de inscrição?
- 2) Eu não pude encontrá-los a tempo.
- 3) Por que você não a chama de lado e fala com ela abertamente?
- 4) Eu encontrei estes papéis enquanto eu estava limpando o escritório.
- 5) Aquela companhia foi à falência pela segunda vez.
- 6) Depois de tudo que eu contei à Paul, ele está ansioso por conhecê-la.

- 7) Eu ouvi falar que seu tio irá se casar no mês que vem.
- 8) Eu quero ir na sua festa, sem dúvida nenhuma, mas eu preciso trabalhar no sábado e no domingo.
- 9) Vocês terão que se revezar para dormir.
- 10) Vamos discutir isso com o chefe amanhã de manhã.
- 11) Eles tem algum tipo de incapacidade que eu não conheço.
- 12) A esposa dele é muito autoritária e eu não gosto dela.
- 13) Elas tem um comportamento muito esquisito quando vem aqui.
- 14) Nosso chefe não é muito compreensivo.
- 15) Eu não acho que nós precisamos discutir, talvez possamos falar a respeito depois do jantar, o que você acha?
- 16) Não misture estes papéis, não são todos meus.
- 17) Por que você está sussurrando?
- 18) Ande logo com isso, nós não temos o dia inteiro.
- 19) Eu geralmente falo a respeito com meu padrinho antes de discutir com ele.
- 20) Este menininho na fotografia é o meu afilhado mais novo.
- 21) Por favor dê uma chupeta para esta criança.
- 22) Eu mal posso esperar até ele chegar.
- 23) Tudo isto não faz nenhum sentido para mim.
- 24) Ande logo com sua tarefa antes que seja tarde demais.
- 25) Você deveria endireitar seu irmão antes que eles levem seus pais à loucura.

**C) Composition: Mother's day.**

## Unit 24

## Hearts and Genes

Healthy living can help protect anyone from heart disease, but some of us need more protection than others- about 10 times as much, according to new research. Writing in last week's New England Journal of Medicine, scientists at the University of Cincinnati reported that common variations in a pair of genes place some of us at high risk of congestive heart failure(CHF), a deadly condition in which the heart loses the ability to pump blood effectively.

The Cincinnati researchers suspected that the hormone norepinephrine played a role in CHF, so they tested volunteers for variations in two genes that effect the heart's use of the hormone. People with an altered "alpha receptor" gene had a fivefold increase in risk. The second gene had no effect by itself, but it caused a tenfold increase if it occurred in tandem with the first.

The alterations are easy to detect, says Dr. Stephen Liggett, the molecular geneticist who led the study. Though not yet available in clinics, the test he used in the study could someday help high-risk people get rid off high cholesterol and high blood pressure. But until we have better safeguards against genetic discrimination by employers and insurers, routine screening is unlikely. The best strategy for now: hope that you have good genes, but don't bet your life on it.

(From Newsweek magazine, 2002)

## A) Questions:

- 1) Do you have anyone who has heart disease in your family?
- 2) Do you think you have good genes?
- 3) What do you do in order to take care of your health?
- 4) Do you know anyone who raises horses?
- 5) Do you think it's risky to buy things in Paraguay?
- 6) Do you think our President is doing what he stated and promised at the beginning of his mandate?
- 7) Have you ever helped anyone load a truck?
- 8) Do you know if you sometimes grind your teeth in your sleep?
- 9) Do you usually have a positive attitude toward life?
- 10) Do you like to sit on a bench in the park?
- 11) Do you have the belief there will be any great problems by the end of this century?
- 12) Do you believe that the "end of the world" is bound to happen?
- 13) What do you think about aborigines? Did you ever meet any one?
- 14) Do you know where are the aborigines from?
- 15) Were you known for good or bad behavior at school?
- 16) Would you like to study law?
- 17) Did you ever get involved in a dangerous situation?
- 18) Have you overheard any interesting gossip lately?
- 19) Do you believe that horseshoe brings good luck?
- 20) Do you think it's good for people who have heart problems to lift up something heavy?

- 21) Do you have any godchildren?
- 22) Do you know anybody who particularly gets on your nerves?
- 23) Is there anyone in your family that still uses a pacifier(dummy)?
- 24) Who is the chairman of your company?
- 25) Do you mind when two people are whispering near you?
- 26) Do you have any scar from falling on the ground when you were a child?
- 27) Are you afraid of the unknown?
- 28) Do you think is anything like pure friendship?
- 29) When somebody does something very bad to you, do you usually think of revenge?
- 30) Are you a postgraduate student?
- 31) Do you often strive for something?
- 32) Did you ever rescue anybody from a very dangerous situation?
- 33) Do you find it difficult to put up with some people?
- 34) Were you a naughty boy or girl when a child?
- 35) What, for instance, would you describe as being an overbearing behavior?
- 36) What would you do if an unknown person on the street whispered in your hear he was going to kill you?
- 37) Does looking at a computer screen for a long time give you a headache?
- 38) Tell me two things that you think ought to be replaced at your work.

- 39) Do you think the prices of brazilian cars are reasonable?
- 40) Do you usually tell your best friend everything about you or do you keep many things to yourself?
- 41) Do you often hesitate when you have to make a decision?
- 42) Is there anything you fear?
- 43) Do you think it's more important to get a certificate or to learn good English?
- 44) In your opinion which is the best film of all times?
- 45) How many times did you watch it?
- 46) What do you think about brazilian movies?
- 47) Is there any good brazilian movie that you watched?
- 48) Are you often accused of misinterpreting things?
- 49) Do you often have nightmares?
- 50) Do you know anyone who wears braids?

**B) Write ten lines about everyhting you think of :  
"Medicine Nowadays" or "Astrology".**

**Unit 25****Idiomatic Expressions**

- To be around – estar por perto
- To pull apart – separar-se bruscamente
- To make the most of – aproveitar o máximo to be (of) no use – não adiantar nada, ser inútil
- To come in handy – ser de utilidade, ser útil
- On easy terms – leves prestações
- To go easy on (him, her something) – não ser tão severo com alguém, consumir algo com moderação

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

- 1) I'm gonna be around just in case you need me.
- 2) The dog pulled the whole box apart.
- 3) Whatever the situation may be, make the most ( the best) of it.
- 4) Praise the Lord for everything He gave us.
- 5) Your brother will come in handy at the office, we are really needing someone to help us type the weekly reports.
- 6) I don't know which one of those books they are going to send me, but I'm sure I'll like to read it, whichever it may be.
- 7) Just leave these tools here, will you? They might come in handy one of these days.
- 8) Since he left jail, he's been doing everything in due and legal form.
- 9) The boys wanted, by all means, to play in the back-yard.
- 10) It seems an increase in our salaries is forthcoming.
- 11) Would you be so kind as to close the window?
- 12) Generally speaking, it is impolite to get up and go away right after dinner at a friend's house.
- 13) I can hardly wait until they get here.
- 14) You haven't paid the land tax this year, have you?
- 15) The closet is most likely manufactured there.

- 16) Don't worry, you can pay for this on easy terms.
- 17) The doctor said I'm alright, but that I should go easy on sugar and fat.
- 18) If we expect high return in the economy, the government also should take some risk.
- 19) The government will be criticized whether it takes no action or drastic action.
- 20) Experts say you've got six months to show results. How do we measure progress?
- 21) Honestly, I've been surprised and impressed to find that people are well informed and have a sound attitude toward our economic and social problems.
- 22) Not everyone is pleased with the new tourist attractions.
- 23) A carpet of fallen leaves muffles our passage. I want to return home before either fails completely.
- 24) There's no surgery; doctors use computers to map the surface of the eye, then make lenses that patients wear while they sleep.
- 25) Christmas is also a day when friends and families exchange gifts around a Christmas tree.

**B) Translate into English:**

- 1) É tão agradável estar perto de você.
- 2) Não adianta se preocupar com isso agora.
- 3) Por que você sempre muda de assunto quando eu falo sobre isto?
- 4) Você pode separar estes dois pedaços?
- 5) Nós podemos tirar o maior proveito disso se pensarmos um pouco.
- 6) Meus alunos parecem ter o compromisso de aprender inglês da melhor forma possível.
- 7) Tudo o que nós fizemos hoje pode ser relativo ao que nós fizemos no passado.

- 8) Há um modo apropriado de se dizer as coisas sem ferir a pessoa que precisa ouvi-las.
- 9) Este feriado virá a calhar, porque eu preciso dormir um pouco mais.
- 10) Eu acho que esta situação é manejável.
- 11) Ela provavelmente será a próxima rainha da Inglaterra.
- 12) Por que você tem que aturar isso?
- 13) Este casaco foi útil para mim agora.
- 14) Obrigado pelo elogio.
- 15) Nosso afilhado demonstrou muito boa vontade.
- 16) Ele acha que é uma situação bem agravante.
- 17) O capataz disse que esse tipo de comportamento não é admissível.
- 18) Por que você está recuando disto?
- 19) Isto é uma falsificação?
- 20) Por que você teme a justiça? Por que você me culpa?
- 21) Ele conseguiu criar excelente gado.
- 22) Eles forneceram papel para nossa companhia.
- 23) Quem ou quê interveio a vocês?
- 24) Eles se empenharão por uma vida melhor.
- 25) Como eu devo proceder neste caso?

**C) Write what you would do if you were...**

- 1) a principal:.....
- 2) a stewardess: .....
- 3) a researcher: .....
- 4) a frog: .....
- your mother:.....

## Unit 26

## The Great Gatsby (1st Chapter of the story)

In my younger and more vulnerable years my father gave me some advice that I've been turning over in my mind ever since.

"Whenever you feel like criticizing anyone," he told me, "just remember that all the people in this world haven't had the advantages that you've had".

He didn't say any more, but we've always been unusually communicative in a reserved way, and I understand that he meant a great deal more than that. In consequence, I'm inclined to reserve all judgments, a habit that has opened up many curious natures to me and also made me the victim of not a few veteran bores. The abnormal mind is quick to detect and attach itself to this quality when it appears in a normal person, and so it came about that in college I was unjustly accused of being a politician, because I was privy to the secret griefs of wild, unknown men. Most of the confidences were unsought – frequently I have feigned sleep, preoccupation, or a hostile levity when I realized by some unmistakable sign that an intimate revelation was quivering on the horizon; for the intimate revelations of young men, or at least the terms in which they express them, are usually plagiaristic and marred by obvious suppressions. Reserving judgments is a matter of infinite hope. I am still a little afraid of missing something if I forget that, as my father snobbishly suggested, and I snobbishly repeat, a sense of the fundamental decencies is parcelled out unequally at birth.

And, after boasting this way of my tolerance, I come to the admission that it has a limit. Conduct may be founded on the hard rock or the wet marshes, but after a certain point I don't care what it's founded on. When I came back from the East last Autumn I felt that I wanted the world to be in uniform and at a sort of moral attention forever; I wanted no more riotous excursions with privileged glimpses into the human heart. Only Gatsby, the man who gives his name on this book, was exempt from my reaction – Gatsby, who represented everything for which I have an unaffected scorn. If personality is an unbroken series of successful gestures, then there was something gorgeous about him, some heightened sensitivity to the promises of life, as if he were related to one of those intricate machines that register earthquakes ten thousand miles away...

( from book: The Great Gatsby, by F. Scott Fitzgerald)

## A) Questions:

- 1) If you got one million dollars to share your husband/ wife during one week with a millionaire, would you share him/her?
- 2) What do you think your parents will be doing during the next ten years? What about your brothers?
- 3) What do you wish your children will be doing ?
- 4) Do you think young people today are as well educated as their parents were?
- 5) Do you think fifty percent of all government officials should be women?
- 6) Do you think a foreign language should be required in high school?
- 7) Tell me two things you will be interested in when you finish this course?
- 8) What would you choose if you could change one thing about yourself?
- 9) Do you use the mail a lot?

- 10) Do you think you are a person that faces life with courage?
- 11) Do you suppose you will be traveling to any English-speaking country soon?
- 12) Did you grant anyone of your family the right to use your credit card?
- 13) Are you afraid of old age?
- 14) Can you imagine the world still with dinosaurs?
- 15) Do you think we would be able to survive?
- 16) Do you know how to repair things around your house?
- 17) Do you think it's right to let foreign adopt our children? Why?
- 18) Why wouldn't you adopt a baby?
- 19) What reasons would make you adopt a child?
- 20) During what part of the day do you usually yawn?
- 21) Do you sometimes neglect your husband/wife, forgetting to give him/her attention?
- 22) Do you feel uncomfortable or even anxious in crowded elevators?

- 23) Do you know of anyone who had a lung problem because he or she smoked?
- 24) Do you know of anyone who had a liver problem because he or she drank too much alcohol?
- 25) Do you know if your kidneys are in good shape?
- 26) Do you think only humans are able to think and understand things?
- 27) How do you feel about people that teach things to animals?
- 28) Do you think a parrot only repeat things or does it really think?
- 29) What about circus animal? What do you think about them?
- 30) Do you think it's right to use animals for experience?
- 31) Have you ever done any animal experience?
- 32) Don't you think it's unfair to kill innocent animals?
- 33) Do you think an animal body is like ours?
- 34) Do you think they feel everything we feel?
- 35) Which, in your opinion, is the smartest animal?
- 36) Do you think greedy people usually get rich?
- 37) Do you think that most of the homeless are lazy or unlucky?
- 38) Is there anybody you specially look up to?
- 39) Which country do you think has the best dairy products?
- 40) Where would you like to spend your honeymoon?
- 41) Did you lose touch with someone you'd like to see again?
- 42) Is there some kind of fear you'd like to overcome?
- 43) Do you prefer to eat fried or roasted sausages?
- 44) Do you sometimes get hiccups?
- 45) Did you ever stumble on someone you really didn't want to meet?
- 46) Do you feel confident about the future?
- 47) What do you think about your English now?
- 48) Would you like to teach English?
- 49) Do you feel prepared for this? Or do you think your English still must be improved?
- 50) What would you like to say about this course?

**B) Write about something you relish and explain why.**

**c) Use the sentence below to make a story ( 20 lines):**  
 "Laura was coming home from the University at night when she turned the corner..."

## Unit 27

**Idiomatic Expressions:**

- To catch sight of – avistar
- To run in the family – ser característica de família
- By rights – a rigor
- To show up - aparecer
- What good is it – de que adianta
- Not for love or (nor) for money – de jeito nenhum
- To beg ...forgiveness – pedir perdão
- To leave it at that- deixar como está
- Due to - devido a
- To look up to – admirar
- To carry on – ir em frente, continuar
- Far more – muito mais
- Not at all – em absoluto, de modo algum
- To count the cost – considerar todos os riscos, sofrer as consequências

**Some Verbs:**

- To mumble – resmungar, murmurar
- To nod – acenar com a cabeça (afirmativ.)
- To relish – saborear, apreciar, estar satisfeito com
- To yawn - bocejar
- To disrupt – romper, interromper, despedaçar
- To undertake – incumbir, ocupar-se com
- To shudder – estremecer
- To disregard – desconsiderar, desprezar
- To drop ... off – deixar alguém em algum lugar
- To lick - lamber
- To stumble – tropeçar
- To forsake – renunciar a, desistir de

**Order of Adjectives in a sentence:**

- 1) Just before the noun: adjectives that tell you what something is for:

A **flower** vase ( a vase for flowers)

A **conference** table ( a table for conferences)

- 2) Just before these come the adjectives that explain what something is made of:

A **porcelain** flower vase

A **wooden** conference table

- 3) Just before these are words that tell you the origin of something:

A **Chinese** porcelain flower vase

A **Spanish** wooden conference table

- 4) And before these come some color adjectives:

A **red** Chinese porcelain flower vase

A **dark** Spanish wooden conference table

**A) Translate into Portuguese:**

- 1) He caught sight of her motorcycle from my bedroom window.
- 2) In first instance he said no , but after he heard us he said maybe .
- 3) What good is it to study only five minutes before the test?
- 4) It seems heart diseases run in their family.
- 5) She said: Parts of me wants a new relationship but the idea of taking clothes off in front of someone new is scary .
- 6) My chauffer is odd. He would rather spend weekends with his family than with me.
- 7) Ask most people what keeps them awake at night and it is not joyriders. It is burglars.
- 8) Brian asked Marie to go out for dinner but she didn t show up.
- 9) Why must you be suspicious of everything?
- 10) If you keep on mumbling I won t be able to understand you.
- 11) I shuddered when they told me all the story.
- 12) Do you want Bryan to take you home? Not for love nor for money. He drives like a madman(crazy).
- 13) I think they started on this dangerous expedition without counting all the costs.
- 14) When I asked him if he had money he just nodded.
- 15) You ve been yawning all day, did you sleep late last night?
- 16) Cheer up! We ll be on vacation in a couple of weeks.
- 17) He took his breath after running ten blocks to get there on time.

18) Due the accident, he has only one kidney nowadays.

19) If I were you I would just leave it at that. It's not worthwhile fighting all the time.

20) Did you notice the way he disregards everything we say?

21) Could you drop me off in front of the school?

22) Kids, please don't lick your fingers. Each of you has a napkin next to you.

23) I don't know how they still carry on their relationship.

24) She is scratching the floor with these high heels.

25) They've forsaken all their thoughts of returning home someday.

### B) Translate into English:

1) Adivinhe! Acabo de avistar a Jenny num táxi no centro.

2) O acidente foi um terrível infortúnio para a família deles, afinal de contas eles estavam muito tristes com a perda de sua avó.

3) Uma manhã nós achamos um cesto na porta da frente com um bebê dentro.

4) Nós podemos comprar um carro a longo prazo para poder pagá-lo.

5) Ele acabou de comprar uma pequena bicicleta americana amarela para seu filho.

6) Eles trouxeram um livro grande azul de signos chinês da Inglaterra.

7) A casa inglesa grande, cor-de-rosa, de madeira, na esquina, é da minha tia.

8) Do que adianta acreditar em contos de fadas?

9) Ele apreciou o jantar surpresa que nós cozinhamos para ele.

10) Eu estremeço só de lembrar de partes da estória que li mês passado.

11) Você tem que considerar os riscos disto antes de fazer qualquer coisa.

12) Fico imaginando até onde esta situação vai.

13) Eu não viajaria com ela por nada deste mundo.

14) A estrada foi interrompida devido à grande quantidade de chuva que caiu.

15) Eu irei ocupar os negócios do meu pai enquanto ele está viajando.

16) A maioria das pessoas que têm muito dinheiro são gananciosas.

17) Eles tiveram muito prejuízo este ano.

18) Deixe isso como está por agora até eu ter tempo de fazer alguma coisa.

19) Sempre o admirarei por tudo que ele foi na vida.

20) Os recém-casados estão por chegar, por isso veja se tudo está pronto.

21) Não se preocupe nós resolveremos as coisas muito em breve.

22) Existem muitos riscos de saúde associados ao cigarro.

23) Eu não tenho vontade de ir em frente com esta conversa sem a presença dele.

24) Ela acha que a revista Times é muito mais interessante que a "O Economista".

25) Você se importa de eu deixar a mala aqui por mais ou menos uma hora? De modo algum.

### C) Choose one of the items below and:

1. Write what major problem or problems this causes.
2. Explain in detail what these problems are, and how they arose.
3. Write what you think should be done about them, and why.
4. Write what you think will happen.

Items: a) war  
b) hunger

Unit 28

Different Activities

A) Write a good answer for these situations:

1) A friend isn't sure whether to buy a local or imported beer. Tell him/her which one to buy and why.

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2) I have two wedding's friend party to go on the same day and the same time. Tell me what you think I should do.

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3) You had an accident while you were driving home and now you're in the hospital. Explain to a visitor exactly what you did wrong.

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4) You changed jobs recently and now you regret it. Express your regret and explain why.

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5) You just gave up studying at the University. Explain to your family why you did.

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6) You've just arrived from awful vacations. Tell a friend how it was deifferent from what you expected.

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7) You're ex-boyfriend/girlfriend is going to get married next Saturday. But You just found out you still love him/her. Tell him/her the reasons why he/she can't get married.

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8) Your friend arrived in New York and found out nobody was there to pick him up. Tell her/him what you think he/she should do now.

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9) Your brother is selling his car for the first time, explain him the best way of selling his car.

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10) Your sister is upset because her boyfriend doesn't call her anymore. Tell her what to do.

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11) Your boss asked you to work overtime on Friday, but you can't stay working. Explain him the reasons.

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12) Your best friend lost his wife in an accident. He is a doctor and became very depressed, so as he has access to very strong drugs he is taking some home. Try helping him with words and telling him what's the best for him.

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13) You found a baby sleeping in front of your house. Go to the police and explain to them the baby isn't yours.

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14) You're in love with your best friend's boyfriend, now he just told you he loves you as well. Tell everything to your best friend, and decide what you are going to do.

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15) After eighteen years your foster son wants to know who are his parents. Tell him what you think about that.

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16) Someone told you the wrinkles on your face are so deep they look like plies. Tell him/her what you think about this coment.

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17) Your boss told you you don't need a raise because you can perfectly well get by on what you earn. Tell him what you think about.

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18) your neighbor is going on vacation and has no idea where to go. Give him suggestions and why he should go there.

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19) Your employee for the third time told you he hadn't come to work because his grandmother died. What would you tell him?

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20) You're at a train station in England. You've lost all your luggage. Explain at customs what your suitcases look like and which was your last stop.

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**B) Translate this letter into English doing the best you can in keeping the meaning of what has been written.**

Querida Mãe,

As coisas na faculdade estão indo bem por enquanto. A cidade é muito bonita. Você iria adora-la por causa dos jardins e das praças que são grandes e coloridas.

A maioria das pessoas que moram aqui são idosas e alegres, mas o que parece é que a cidade se sustenta no que os estudantes consomem: bares, dormitórios, lanchonetes e parques. E nos fins de semana tenho certeza que os pobres velhinhos não dormem muito bem com as festas e o barulho que nós fazemos.

Há um clube que pagando U\$15,00 dólares por mês, te dá o direito de usar a piscina, jogar tênis, golf, basquete, vôlei, e até participar de campeonatos. Aliás, eu gostaria de perguntar ao pai se ele não pagaria essa mensalidade para mim. Eu sei que a faculdade já é bastante cara e eu vou entender se ele disser "não", está bem?

Como está a Christine? Ela está indo bem na escola? Sinto muito a falta de vocês e daquele gato velho da vizinha. Não vejo a hora de as férias chegarem para poder ir para casa e almoçar com vocês antes de ir à igreja aos domingos (eu até sinto falta da igreja).

Bem mãe, eu tenho que estudar um pouco mais porque amanhã temos duas provas, então vou tomar uma xícara de café e continuar estudando. Ah, obrigada pelos biscoitos (meus favoritos) que você mandou pela tia Nathaly.

Muitos beijos, com amor  
Anne

**English Translation:**

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**Unit 29**

**Songs:**

**You're my # 1 ( Enrique Iglesias)**

I've kissed the moon a million times  
Danced with angels in the sky  
I've seen snowfall in the summertime  
Felt the healing of the powers above  
I've seen the world from the highest mountain  
Tasted love from the purest fountain  
I've seen lips that spark desire  
Felt the butterflies a hundred times  
I've seen miracles I've felt the pain disappear  
But still haven't seen anything  
That amazes me quite like you do

**You bring me up when I'm feeling down**

**You touch me deep you touch me right**

**You do the things I've never done**

**You make me wicked you make me wild**

**because baby, You're my # 1**

I've sailed in a perfect dream  
I've seen the sun the sun make love to the sea  
I've kissed the moon a million times  
Danced with angels in the sky  
I've even seen miracles  
I've seen the tears disappear  
But still haven't seen anything  
That amazes me quite like you do

**Almost Unreal ( Roxette)**

Babe, come in from the cold and put that coat to rest  
Step inside, take a deep breath  
And do what you do best  
Yes, kick off them shoes and leave those city streets  
I do believe  
Love came our way  
And fate did arrange for us to meet  
**I love when you do that hocus pocus to me**  
**The way that you touch, you've got the power to**  
**heal**

**You give me that look, it's almost unreal**

Hey, we can't stop the rain  
Let's find a place by the fire  
Sometimes I feel strange as it seems  
You've been in my dreams all my life  
It's a crazy world out there  
It's a crazy...  
Let's hope our prayers are in good hands tonight

**I don't want to talk about it ( Rod Stewart)**

I can tell by your eyes that you've prob'ly been  
cryin' forever,  
And the stars in the sky don't mean nothin' to you ,  
they're a mirror.  
I don't want to talk about it , how you broke my heart.  
If I stay here just a little bit longer  
If I stay here, won't you listen to my heart, whoa, heart?  
If I stand all alone, will the shadow hide the color of my  
heart;  
Blue for the tears, black for the night's fears.  
The star in the sky don't mean nothin' to you, they're a  
mirror.  
**I don't want to talk about it , how you broke my**  
**heart**  
**If I stay here just a little bit longer,**  
**If I stay here, won't you listen to my heart, whoa,**  
**heart?**  
**I don't want to talk about it, how you broke this**  
**old heart**

**The way you look tonight (Tony Bennett)**

Someday when I'm awfully low  
When the world is cold  
I feel a glow just thinking  
Of you and the way you look tonight  
Oh, but you're lovely  
With your smile so warm  
And your cheek  
So soft  
There's nothing for me  
But to love you  
Just the way you  
Look tonight  
With each word  
Your tenderness grows  
Tearing my  
Fear apart  
And that laugh  
That wrinkles your nose  
Touches my foolish heart  
Lovely, never ever change  
Keep that breathless charm  
Won't you please arrange it?  
'cause I love you;  
Just the way you look tonight...

**Fading like a flower ( Roxette)**

In a time  
 Where the sun descends alone,  
 I ran a long long way from home  
 To find a heart  
 That's made of stone.  
 I will try  
 I just need a little time  
 To get your face right out of my mind,  
 To see the world  
 Through different eyes.  
 Every time I see you  
 Oh, I try to hide away  
 But when we meet  
 It seems I can't let go  
 Every time you leave the room  
 I feel I'm fading like a flower  
 Tell me why?  
 When the scream there's no reply,  
 When I reach out  
 There's nothing to find,  
 When I sleep  
 I break down and cry  
 Every time I see you  
 Oh, I try to hide away  
 But when we meet  
 It seems I can't let go  
 Every time you leave the room  
 I feel I'm fading like a flower  
 Fading like a rose,  
 Beaten by the storm  
 Talking to myself  
 Getting washed by the rain  
 It's such a cold cold town.

The trees  
 And misty memories of days gone by  
 We could never see tomorrow  
 No one has told us about the sorrow

**How can you mend a broken heart (Al Green)**

I can think of younger days when living for my life  
 Was everything a man could want to do  
 I could never see tomorrow  
 How has I never told about the sorrow?  
 And how can you mend a broken a heart?  
 How can you stop the rain from falling down?  
 Tell me how can you stop the sun from shining?  
 What makes the world go round?  
 How can you mend this broken man?  
 How can a loser ever win?  
 Somebody please help me mend my broken heart  
 And let me live again  
 I can still feel the breeze that rustles through

## Unit 30

## Songs:

**Love me tender ( Elvis Presley)**

Love me tender  
 Love me sweet  
 Never let me go  
 You have made my life complete  
 And I love you so  
**Love me tender**  
**Love me true**  
**All my dreams fulfilled**  
**For my darling I love you**  
**And I always will.**  
 Love me tender  
 Love me song  
 Take me to your heart  
 For it's there that I belong  
 And we'll never part  
 Love me tender  
 Love me dear,  
 Tell me you are mine  
 I'll be yours through all the years,  
 Till the end of time.

**Don't be cruel ( Elvis Presley)**

You know I can be found  
 Sitting home all alone  
 If you can't come around  
 At least please telephone  
 Don't be cruel to a heart that's true  
 Baby if I made you mad  
 For something I might have said  
 Please let's forget the past  
 The future looks bright ahead  
 Don't be cruel to a heart that's true  
 I don't want no other love  
 Baby it's just you I'm thinking of.  
 Don't stop thinking of me,  
 Don't make me feel this way  
 Come on over here and love me  
 You know what I want you to say  
 Don't be cruel to a heart that's true.  
 Why should we be apart?  
 I really love you baby, cross my heart.  
 Let's walk up to the preacher  
 And let us say I do,  
 Then you'll know you'll have me  
 And I'll know that I'll have you

Don't be cruel to a heart that's true  
 I don't want no other love  
 Baby it's just you I'm thinking of.  
 Don't be cruel to a heart that's true.  
 Don't be cruel to a heart that's true.  
 I don't want no other love,  
 Baby it's just you I'm thinking of.

**Listen to your heart (Roxette)**

I know there's something  
 In the wake of your smile  
 I get a notion from the look in your eyes, yeah  
 You've built a love but that love falls apart  
 Your little piece of heaven turns too dark  
 Listen to your heart  
 When he's calling for you  
 Listen to your heart  
 There's nothing else you can do  
 I don't know where you're going  
 And I don't know why  
 But listen to your heart  
 Before you tell him goodbye  
 Sometimes you wonder if this fight is worthwhile  
 The precious moments are all lost in the tide, yeah  
 They're swept away and nothing is what it seems  
 The feeling of belonging to your dreams  
 And there are voices that want to be heard  
 So much to mention but you can't find the words  
 The scent of magic, the beauty that's been  
 When love was wilder than the wind  
 Listen to your heart  
 Take to your heart  
 Take and listen when he's calling for you  
 Listen to your heart  
 Take and listen  
 There's nothing else you can do.

**Yesterday ( John Lennon)**

Yesterday, all my troubles seemed so far away  
 Now it look as though they're here to stay  
 Oh, I believe in yesterday  
 Suddenly, I'm not half the man I used to be  
 There's a shadow hanging over me  
 Oh, yesterday came suddenly  
 Why she had to go I don't know, she wouldn't say  
 I said something wrong, now I long for yesterday  
**Yesterday, love was such an easy game to play**

**Now I need a place to hide away**

**Oh, I believe in yesterday**

Why she had to go I don't know, she wouldn't say  
I said something wrong, now I long for yesterday

**And I love you so ( Don Maclean)**

And I love you so

The people ask me how

How I've lived till now

I tell them I don't know

I guess they understand

How lonely life has been

But life began again

The day you took my hand

**And yes I know lonely life can be**

**The shadows follow me**

**And the night won't set me free**

But I don't let the evening bring me down

Now that you're around me

And you love me too

Your thoughts are just for me

You set me spirit free

I'm happy that you do

The book of life is brief

Once a page is read

All but love is dead

That is my belief

And yes I know how loveless life can be

The shadows follow me

And the night won't set me free

But I don't let the evening bring me down

Now that you're around me

And I love you so

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**Inside us all ( Creed)**

When I'm all alone

And no one else is there

Waiting by the phone

To remind me

I'm still here

When shadows paint the scenes

Where spotlights used to fall

And I'm left wondering

Is it really worth it all?

There's a peace inside us all

Let it be your friend

It will help you carry on in the end

There's a peace inside us all

Life can hold you down

When you're not looking up

Can't you hear the sound?

Hearts beating out loud

Although the names change

Inside we're all the same

Why can't we tear down these walls?

To show the scars we're covering

There's a peace

There's a peace inside us all

Let it be oh, can't it be your friend?

**With arms wide open (creed)**

Well I just heard the news today

It seems my life is going to change

I closed my eyes, begin to pray

Then tears of joy stream down my face

**With arms wide open**

**Under the sunlight**

**Welcome to this place**

**I'll show you everything**

**With arms wide open**

**With arms wide open**

Well I don't know if I'm ready

To be the man I have to be

I'll take a breath, I take her by my side

We stand in awe, we've created life

With arms wide open

Under the sunlight

Welcome to this place

I'll show you everything

With arms wide open

Now everything has changed

I'll show you love

I'll show you everything

With arms wide open

With arms wide open

I'll show you everything

With arms wide open

With arms wide open wide open

If I had just one wish

Only one demand

I hope he's not like me

I hope he understands

That he can take this life

And hold it by the hand

And he can greet the world

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