

Lesson 34 可惜、可怜

紧张、吃惊、可惜、可怜、无聊、马虎、粗心、难受、伤心、抱歉、骄傲、辛苦、失望、讨厌、后悔、羡慕、怀疑 (17 words)

* The number beside the word is the chapter within which the word is located.

紧张 jǐn zhāng nervous; keyed up; tense; intense; in short supply; tight 紧 tight + 张 expand

紧张的感觉₉、紧张的样子₉、时间很紧张、比赛在紧张地进行₁₉
jǐnzhāng de gǎnjué, jǐnzhāng de yàngzi, shíjiān hén jǐnzhāng, bǐsài zài jǐnzhāng de jìnxíng
a tense feeling / looks nervous / on a tight schedule / the match continues intensely

第一次站在这么多观众₃面前，他还是有点儿紧张。
Dì yī cì zhàn zài zhème duō guānzhòng miànqián, tā háishì yǒu diǎnr jǐnzhāng.
The first time standing in front of so many spectators, he is/was a bit tense/nervous.

吃惊 chī jīng be startled; be shocked; be amazed; astonish; surprise; 吃 eat + 惊 surprise

让人吃惊、张大夫₃很吃惊、他猜₁₈对了我们很吃惊
ràng rén chījīng, Zhāng dàifu hěn chījīng, tā cāi duì le wǒmen hěn chījīng
surprise / startle someone Doctor Zhang was very surprised / we were very surprised he guessed right

她最后还是决定放弃₂₆了，这让我们非常吃惊。
Tā zuìhòu háishì juéding fàngqì le, zhè ràng wǒmen fēicháng chījīng.
She finally decided to give up, this made us really surprised.

可惜 kě xī It's a pity.; It's too bad; unfortunately; it is to be regretted that... 可 deserve + 惜 pity

浪费₂₂了很可惜、现在放弃₂₆太可惜、可惜输₁₈了
làngfèi le hén kěxī, xiànzài fàngqì tài kěxī, kěxī shū le
what a pity to waste it / what a waste to leave it all behind now / unfortunately we lost

这次网球₆比赛的结果₁₅让大家觉得很可惜。
Zhè cì wǎngqiú bǐsài de jiéguǒ ràng dàjiā juéde hén kěxī.
The result of this tennis match, made everyone feel regretful.

可怜 kě lián pitiful; pitiable; poor; pathetic 可 deserve + 怜 sympathize

可怜的母亲₃、不值得₂₇可怜、可怜的样子₉

kělián de mǔqīn, bù zhídé kělián, kělián de yàngzi

a poor mother / not worth the sympathy / appear pathetic

虽然他很可怜，但他并不希望你可怜他。

Suīrán tā hén kělián, dàn tā bìng bù xīwàng nǐ kělián tā.

Though he's really pathetic, still he don't want you to pity him.

无聊

wú liáo in extreme depression; bored 无 no + 聊 chat

无聊的生活₉、无聊的杂志₁₀、无聊的日记₁₀、无聊的报道₁₀

wúliáo de shēnghuó, wúliáo de zázhì, wúliáo de rìjì, wúliáo de bàodào

boring life / boring magazine / boring diary / boring report

你看，无聊的广告₁₀又开始了。

Nǐ kàn, wúliáo de guǎnggào yòu kāishǐ le.

You see, the boring advertisement starts again.

马虎

mǎ hu careless; casual; perfunctory

马虎的房东₃、不允许₂₀马虎、请原谅₂₇我的马虎

mǎhu de fángdōng, bù yúnxǔ mǎhu, qǐng yuánliàng wǒ de mǎhu

careless landlord / carelessness is not allowed / please forgive my carelessness

做什么事情都应该认真、仔细₃₃，不能太马虎。

Zuò shénme shìqing dōu yīnggāi rènzhēn, zǐxì, bùnéng tài mǎhu.

You ought to take this task seriously and carefully, you can't be too casual.

粗心

cū xīn careless; thoughtless 粗 thick + 心 heart

粗心的错误₁₁、粗心的售货员₃、又粗心地把钥匙₄丢₁₇了

cūxīn de cuòwù, cūxīn de shòuhuò yuán, yòu cūxīn de bǎ yàoshi diū le

careless mistakes / careless salesman / carelessly lost the key again

出现₁₉这种错误₁₁以后，我再也不敢₁₇粗心大意了。

Chūxiàn zhè zhǒng cuòwù yǐhòu, wǒ zài yě bù gǎn cūxīn dàyi le.

After the error appeared, I didn't dare to be careless again.

难受

nán shòu

feel unwell; feel ill; suffer pain

难 difficult + 受 endure

咳嗽₂₅让她难受、心情₉很难受、失败₂₁让人难受

késou ràng tā nánshòu, xīnqíng hěn nánshòu, shībài ràng rén nánshòu

the cough make her feel bad / in a bad mood / failure is a bitter experience

听到她说这样的话，我心里很难受。

Tīng dào tā shuō zhèyàng de huà, wǒ xīnlǐ hěn nánshòu.

(When) I heard her speak this way, my heart ached.

伤心

shāng xīn

sad; grieved; heart-broken; broken-heart

伤 hurt + 心 heart

哭得很伤心、他伤心的原因₁₅、让人伤心的消息₁₃

kū de hěn shāngxīn, tā shāngxīn de yuányīn, ràng rén shāngxīn de xiāoxī

crying sadly / the reason why he is sad / sad news

遇到伤心事，哭出来心里会舒服一点。

Yùdào shāngxīn shì, kū chūlái xīnlǐ huì shūfu yìdiǎn.

When you encounter a sad matter, crying out will make you feel better.

抱歉

bào qiàn

be [feel] sorry; feel apologetic; regret

抱 embrace + 歉 sorry

真抱歉、为...感到抱歉、抱歉来晚了

zhēn bàoqiàn, wèi...gǎndào bàoqiàn, bàoqiàn lái wǎn le

really sorry / sorry for ... / sorry I am late

不用觉得抱歉，不是你的错₁₁。

Búyòng juéde bàoqiàn, búshì nǐ de cuò.

Don't be sorry, (it's) not your mistake.

骄傲

jiāo ào

pride; arrogant; conceited;

骄 proud + 傲 proud

为你的成功₂₁感到骄傲、值得₂₇我们骄傲、太骄傲是缺点₉

wèi nǐ de chénggōng gǎndào jiāo'ào, zhídé wǒmen jiāo'ào, tài jiāo'ào shì quēdiǎn

be proud for your success / we can be proud of / arrogance is not good

当你为自己取得的成绩而得意₃₃时，应该想到，有很多人比你更优秀₃₂，所以千万不要骄傲。

Dāng nǐ wèi zìjǐ qǔdé de chéngjī ér déyì shí, yīnggāi xiǎng dào, yǒu hěn duō rén bǐ nǐ gèng yōuxiù, suǒyǐ qiān wàn búyào jiāo'ào.

千里之行，始于足下。 A thousand mile journey begins with the first step.

-- 老子 Laozi

When you are proud of your achievement (success), you should know there are many other people superior to you, so you definitely shouldn't be arrogant.

辛苦 xīn kǔ hard; toilsome; laborious; work hard; go to great trouble 辛 laborious + 苦 bitter

辛苦地修理₂₅了一上午、经常出差₂₉很辛苦

xīnkǔ de xiūlǐ le yì shàngwǔ, jīngcháng chūchāi hěn xīnkǔ

work so hard the whole morning to repair / it's tiresome to have business trips so often

做自己喜欢的事，再困难₁₃，也不会觉得辛苦。

Zuò zìjǐ xǐhuān de shì, zài kùnnán, yě bù huì juéde xīnkǔ.

Doing the things you like, even if difficult, won't feel like hard work.

失望 shī wàng lose hope; beyond (all) hope 失 lost + 望 hope

表示₂₀失望、失望的心情₉、奖金₁₂数量₁₂让人失望

biǎoshì shīwàng, shīwàng de xīnqíng, jiǎngjīn shùliàng ràng rén shīwàng

be disappointed / disappointed mood / the bonus amount is disappointing

很抱歉₂₇，让您失望了。

Hěn bàoqiàn, ràng nín shīwàng le.

Very sorry, (I) disappointed you.

讨厌 tǎo yàn to dislike; to loathe; disgusting; 讨 provoke + 厌 dislike

讨厌出差₂₉、讨厌浪费₂₅、让人讨厌的味道₅

tǎoyàn chūchāi, tǎoyàn làngfèi, ràng rén tǎoyàn de wèidào

hate business trips / hate wasting / disgusting taste

这位有名的钢琴₂₈家最讨厌的是，在弹钢琴₂₈的时候有人打扰₂₃。

Zhè wèi yǒumíng de gāngqín jiā zuì tǎoyàn de shì, zài tán gāngqín de shíhòu yǒurén dǎrǎo.

The most-hate thing for this famous pianist is being bothered when she is playing piano.

后悔 hòu huǐ to regret; to repent 后 after + 悔 regret

后悔拒绝₂₇了她、付款₂₉后又后悔了、后悔当时₂的选择

hòuhuǐ jùjué le tā, fùkuǎn hòu yòu hòuhuǐ le, hòuhuǐ dāngshí de xuǎnzé

regretted refusing her / regretted after finishing the payment / regretted the choice at that time

现在后悔已经来不及₂₂了。

Xiànzài hòuhuǐ yǐjīng láibují le.

Now (I) regret already (there is) not enough time. (It' too late to regret.)

羡慕

xiàn mù

envious; envy; to admire

羨 admire + 慕 adore

羡慕成功₂₁的人、羡慕他人、不值得₂₇羡慕

xiànmù chénggōng de rén, xiànmù tārén, bù zhídé xiànmù

envy the successful people / admire others / not worth envying

每个人有每个人的生活₉，不用羡慕他人。

Měigerén yǒu měigerén de shēnghuó, búyòng xiànmù tārén.

Everyone has their own life, don't envy others.

怀疑

huái yí

doubt; to suspect; be skeptical

怀 keep in mind + 疑 suspect

受到₂₁怀疑、怀疑他的管理₂₂能力₉、怕人怀疑、引起₁₉怀疑

shòudào huáiyí, huáiyí tā de guǎnlǐ nénglì, pà rén huáiyí, yīnqǐ huáiyí

under suspicion / doubt his management ability / be afraid of being suspected / attract suspicion

在失败₂₁的时候，我们常常会怀疑自己的选择。

Zài shībài de shíhòu, wǒmen chángcháng huì huáiyí zìjǐ de xuǎnzé.

In times of failure, we often can be suspect our own choices.