

The Timing is Right 时机恰恰好 - 9 月 9 日

Hello and welcome to English World. This is your friend Mark.

欢迎朋友你收听《英语世界》。I am your friend Wen-Jie.

Time flies by so fast.

时光过得好快。

One week has passed already.

一个星期又过去了。

How do you feel about it, listener friends?

听友，你对时光匆匆感到如何呢？

Everything is affected by time.

一切的活动都受到时间的影响。

We fill out a time sheet.

我们要填工作时间表。

There is a time limit to our work.

我们有时间期限要完成工作。

We live in different time zones.

我们住在不同的时间区域里。

We do daily things according to the time.

我们日常生活作息都照着时间来。

You can say, Time is everything.

可以说，时间就是一切。

Today we bring you a lesson called: The Timing Is Right.

今天我们带给你的这一课，就是“时机恰恰好”。

Sneak Preview 简短复习

On time (*On time* 准时)

In time (*In time* 迟早，最后)

Ahead of time (*Ahead of time* 提前)

Behind time (*Behind time* 迟了，晚了)

A Good time (*A Good time* 时机很好)

A Bad time (*A Bad time* 时机不好)

The timing is right. (*The timing is right* 时机恰恰好)

Time is precious.

时光非常的宝贵。

How do we handle time?

我们是怎样处理时间的呢？

We often say, use time wisely,

我们常说，要明智的使用时间 use time wisely.

When there are too many things to do,

当有太多事务要处理时，

We tend to rush time, by doing many things in a short time.

我们会在短时间内作很多事情，这叫赶时间 rush time.

When there's not enough time to finish something,
当时间不够用时。

We try to cut time or limit time by allowing a brief amount of time to do something.

我们会试着以简短的时间作事情，这叫缩减时间 cut time，或是限制时间 limit time.

When someone is lazy, we say he is squandering time.

当有人懒惰时，我们说他是虚度光阴 squandering time.

There you have it.

以上是几个与时间有关的形容。

Use time（使用时间），rush time（赶时间），cut time（缩减时间），limit time（限制时间），squander time（虚度光阴）。

Mark, there's one more. 还有一个你错过了。

Oh, what did I miss?

Kill time.

Kill time. Of course. People who have plenty of time will think of ways to kill time.

对那些有许多空闲的人，他们会想办法 Kill time 消磨时间。

Fun With Idioms 趣味成语

All great achievements require time.

所有伟大的成就，都需要时间完成。

Time flies like an arrow.

光阴似箭。

Time is a great healer.

时间是伟大的医生。

Time is nature's way of keeping everything from happening at once.

时间，是大自然的法则，好让所有事情不是在瞬间内发生。

I agree totally. We don't want everything happening at once.

成语说得好，我们不想看到所有事都在瞬间内发生。

For flowers to bloom.

要花朵绽放。

For fruits to ripen.

要水果成熟。

For work to be done right.

要把事情作得正确。

For children to grow well.

要孩子长得好。

These all take time.

这些都要花时间。

These can not be rushed.

是不能急忙催赶的。

Next, is today's Everyday Dialogue.

接着，是今天的每日会话。

We are going to hear a young married couple's conversation.

我们来听一对年轻夫妇的对话。

*Dialogue (A: husband, B: wife)

A: I think it's time to have my hair cut.

B: Yeah. You will look nicer with it.

A: And I feel I need to lose a few pounds.

B: Well, It's never too late to start to exercise.

A: Speaking of exercise, how about if we clean out the garage tomorrow?

B: It's about time. You have been saying that for a month now.

A: That's because I am waiting for the right moment to do it.

B: Is there a right moment?

A: Sure, you bet.

好，现在我来为你解释会话内容。

I think it's time to have my hair cut.

我想，我的头发该剪了。

Yeah. You will look nicer with it.

对阿，剪了头发后你会好看多了。

And I feel I need to lose a few pounds.

我也觉得身体应该减个几磅重。

Well, It's never too late to start to exercise.

嗯，开始运动永远不嫌晚。

Speaking of exercise, how about we clean out the garage tomorrow?

说到运动，我们明天该把车库大清扫一番。

It's about time. You have been saying that for a month now.

是时候了。你嘴巴这么说已经有一个月了。

That's because I am waiting for the right moment to do it.

那是因为我在等个好时候来作这事。

Is there a right moment?

难不成真的是有个好时候？

Sure, you bet.

那当然了。

Wen-Jie, what do you think? Is there's a right time to do things?

Well, I think the husband is making an excuse. 我看做丈夫的在找借口。

Maybe. But some people do like to wait and see before doing things.

有些人的确是会慢条斯理的先观望一番才开始。

While others like to rush to do things.

而有的人则是很急躁的去做事情 But one thing is for sure. Getting hair cut doesn't take long time. 我们都知道，剪头发不需花太多时间。

However, cleaning the garage can take hours or days.

但是清理车库会花上几个小时甚至几天的功夫。

No wonder the husband is delaying.

也难怪作丈夫的动作慢吞吞。

Let's review the dialogue once again.

我们在来听一回每日会话。

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B: Is there a right moment?

A: Sure, you bet.

B: Then, I think it's time for us to start a family.

Verse of the Week 每周金句

There is a time for everything,

凡事都有定期,

And a season for every activity under heaven:

天下万务都有定时。

Ecclesiastes 3:1 传道书

The book of Ecclesiastes is a book of wisdom.

传道书是一本智慧书。

In chapter 3 are listed many events in life.

传道书第三章，列下许多人生里经历的事件。

There is a time to give birth,

生产有时。

And a time to die.

死亡有时。

A time to plant.

栽种有时。

A time to uproot what is planted.

拔出所栽种的也有时。

A time to weep

哭泣有时。

And a time to laugh

欢笑有时。

A time to tear down,

拆毁有时。

And a time to build.

建造有时。

A time to search and a time to give up,

寻找有时，失落有时。

A time to keep and a time to throw away,

保守有时，舍弃有时。

There is a time to be silent,
静默有时。
And a time to speak.
言语有时。
There is a time for everything.
凡事都有它的时候。
We live in the present and the “now.”
我们人类生活在现在，此刻。
Often we can't see or understand the whole picture.
很多时候，我们不能看清楚整体的事物。
But one thing is for sure.
但有一件事是绝对没错的。
God has his perfect plans for everything.
神有祂对所有事情的完美计划。
God has made all things beautiful in his time.
神造万物各按其时，成为美好。
With this in mind, we can learn not to be anxious.
认清这一点，帮助我们能够学习不焦虑。
For God loves us.
因为神爱我们。
He will accomplish things,
祂会成就所有的事情。
according to His will.
按着祂的心意。
in His good timing.
在祂看为美好的时候去成就。

Well, listener friend, we hope your English is improving everyday.
我们希望你的英语天天有进步。
And we hope you join us in this path of Faith in God.
我们也希望你加入我们走这条信心的路。
We would love to hear from you.
我们希望听到你的消息。
And we want to pray for you.
也愿意为你祷告。
This is the time to write us.
这是写信给我们的好时机。
Request our special gift for you.
向我们索取为你预备的礼物。
And don't forget to review old lessons on our website.
也别忘了上网来复习过往的课程。
Have a good day.
祝你有好的一天。
See you next time.
下回见了。

Listener, here's a song for you. It's called: In His Time.

In His time, In His time.
He makes all things beautiful in His time.
Lord, please show me everyday.
As you're teaching me your way.
That you do just what you say.
In Your time.