

I Love Writing 我爱写作 — 2012 年 10 月 23 日

Hello and welcome once again to English World. We are your hosts, I am Mark.

And I am Guo Wen-Jie.

Wen-Jie, one listener Wu sent an email saying he is learning a lot from our programs.

That's great to know. 有听友吴听友来电邮提到从节目中学习了不少英语。

He asked an interesting question: What's the difference of Drama and Play?

他也问了一个问题。Drama 跟 Play 有什么区别 Well, I know drama is a type of play. 两者都是指戏剧。

Right. We would say, TV drama or Radio drama, but not TV or radio plays

电视剧或广播剧都是 drama, 不是 play。

Some says, Drama is a story that's meant to be read out.

Drama 比较是用读出来的。

While A "Play" refers to a live performance on stage.

但 Play 则指在舞台上演出的戏剧。

Like, theater play, musical, comedy, etc.

像舞台剧, 音乐剧, 喜剧等, 则是 play。

A Play also means the written works by a playwright.

Play 也指作家写出的剧本。

For example, we say: Shakespear's plays.

好比, 莎士比亚的剧作。

Well, Listener Wu, we hope this helps you understand the difference between a Drama and a Play.

希望以上回答帮助吴听友了解这两者的区别。

Today in the popular feature "A day in the life", our guest is producer Josh.

今天的美人生活单元, 我们的来宾是制作人 Josh。

When Josh was going to school, he majored in radio production, but he also loves to write.

德嘉许主修广播制作, 但是他同时也爱写作。

As a matter of fact, he has written many successful radio theater scripts.

他写了不少广播剧呢。

Wen-Jie, you are going to chat with Josh about his script writing, right?

Yes. 今天我和他来聊聊他的写作心得, 请留意收听。

So, stay tuned.

A Day In The Life Of 美人生活大小事

Interview: "Script Writing" 谈写剧本 - Josh

I know you have always loved writing. You have written and recorded many programs about your life for English World.

I: What started for you to want to become a writer? 什么让你想成为作家呢?

J: * Began at age 5 or 6, I would have a pen and notepad and came up with creative things on my mind and jotted down the creative short stories.

* I've already started a novel.

I: What else are you writing now? 你现今还在从事什么写作呢?

J: * By Christmas, I hope to finish the book about my family.

I: You also do some other kind of writing, tell us about it.

J: * I've written 12-13 kid's Corner drama.

I: What is it about radio drama that interests you? 为什么你对广播剧这么有兴趣?

J: * Radio has that wonder factor that the TV doesn't have. TV you see, but radio you need to have imaginative mind to know who is talking, who is the main character, etc. I think it's more interesting.

I: Kid's Corner drama. What do you write about? 你的广播剧写什么内容?

J: * I write different stuffs. One is about Liz, the main character who is in 6th grade, becoming a chef. Another one, Liz and her friend Spike found \$500 in the park. I want to know how anyone would react when you find one in the park. It has interesting twist at the end.

I: How do you find inspiration for your material to write? 你怎么得到写作的灵感?

J: * Being around entertainment world, read a lot of books, get inspiration from different authors, watching Hollywood movies, listen to podcast, radio. Kind of nibbling ideas off each and everybody else and crafting your own design.

I: Describe how you feel when your work is being produced into real programs. 当你的作品变成节目, 你的感受如何?

J: * It's the best part of the job. Sitting there when writing, you know the characters and you have specific ways (in your mind) how they should talk and sound. And when I'm directing

the program, I feel like a director in Hollywood.

I: What do you hope to write in the future? 你希望将来写什么书?

J: * Something I can look forward to is to write novel. You just put pressure on me, so I have to get this book done by Christmas.

I'll be looking forward to reading it first. Thanks for sharing about your writing and I anticipate you becoming a good writer.

Well, we sure have high hopes for Josh, and we wish him success in his writing.
我们祝福德嘉许协作成功。

Wen-Jie, Josh does creative writing, but there are many different kinds of writings.

Josh 是从事创意写作，但也有许多不同类型的写作。

For example, Apostle John in the Bible. He wrote First, Second, Third book of John.

好比，圣经的使徒约翰写了约翰一，二，三书。

In I John 1:3-4, he says:

约翰一书 1 章 3，4 节，他写道：

Words to Live By 圣经良言

What we have seen and heard we proclaim to you also,

我们将所看见，所听见的，传给你们，

so that you too may have fellowship with us;

使你们与我们相交，

and indeed our fellowship is with the Father, and with His Son Jesus Christ.

我们乃是与父并他儿子耶稣基督相交的。

These things we write, so that our joy may be complete.

我们将这些话写给你们，使你们的喜乐充足。

John was a witness to the Word of Life, Jesus Christ.

约翰见证了生命之道耶稣基督的生平。

And he writes to share with Christians about what he has experienced.

他所经历的，他写下也分享给基督信徒。

And to let us know that we can have fellowship with God through Jesus.

为要让我们知道我们也可以通过耶稣与神相交。

And we can expect joy because of God's gift of life.

因为神赐下生命的礼物，我们可以充满喜乐。

Go ahead and read what John writes about. You will be thrilled.

打开圣经去读读约翰所写的书，相信一定带给你许多得着。

Well, we hope you are full of joy because of Jesus. That's it for today. We hope your time with us is fruitful.

希望听友你因着耶稣，生命里有喜乐，今天时间又到点了。

Don't forget to visit our website, where you can review and learn even more.

欢迎来我们网站做复习和学习。

Until next time right here in English World, I am Mark.

And I am Guo Wen-Jie.

So Long and God Bless You.