

[Lesson 4] Episode1_4: Pilot (一通の手紙)

※テキストに一部性的な表現があります。不快な場合は、先生にその箇所を飛ばすようにリクエストして下さい。(灰色部分)

* This script contains sexual expressions. If you or student minds it, please skip the parts.

Gabrielle: You can't order me around like I'm a child!

Carlos: Gabrielle.

Gabrielle: No. No, no, no, l'm not going.

Carlos: It's business. Tanaka expects everyone to bring their wives.

Gabrielle: Every time I'm around that man, he tries to grab my ass.

Carlos: I made over 200,000 doing business with him last year. If he wants to grab your ass, you let him.

Carlos: John!

John: Ow. Mr. Solis. Scared me.

Carlos: Why is that bush still there? You're supposed to dig it up last week.

John: I didn't have time last week.

Carlos: I don't want to hear your excuses. Just take care of it.

Gabrielle: I really hate the way you talk to me.

Carlos: And I really hate that I spent \$15,000 on your diamond necklace that you couldn't live without. But I'm learning to deal with it. So, can I tell Tanaka we'll be there tomorrow night?

Gabrielle: John, we have bandages top shelf in the kitchen.

John: Thanks, Mrs. Solis.

Gabrielle: Fine. I'll go. But I'm keeping my back pressed against the wall the entire time.

Carlos: See, now this is what a marriage is all about - compromise.

Gabrielle: Is your finger ok?

John: Yeah, yeah, it's just a small cut.

Gabrielle: Let me see. Mmmm.

John: You know what, Mrs. Solis, uhh, I really like it when we hook up. But, um, you know I...I...I got to get my work done, I ca...can't afford to lose this job.

Gabrielle: This table was hand-carved. Carlos had it imported from Italy.

It cost him \$23,000.

John: You want to do it on the table this time?

Gabrielle: Absolutely.



Danielle: Why can't we ever have normal soup? Bree: Danielle, there is nothing abnormal about basil puree. Danielle: Just once, couldn't we have a soup that people have heard of? Like, french onion or navy bean. Bree: First of all, your father can't eat onions, he's deadly allergic. And I won't even dignify your navy bean suggestion. So, how's the osso bucco? Andrew: It's OK. Bree: It's OK? Andrew, I spent 3 hours cooking this meal. How do you think it makes me feel when you say "it's OK" in that sullen tone? Andrew: Who asked you to spend 3 hours on dinner? Bree: Excuse me? Andrew: Tim Harper's mom gets home from work, pops open a can of pork and beans, and boom!, they're eating, everyone's happy. Bree: You'd rather I serve pork and beans? Danielle: Apologize now, I am begging. Andrew: I'm just saying, do you always have to serve cuisine? Can't we ever just have food? Bree: Are you doing drugs? Andrew: What!? **Bree:** Change in behavior is one of the warning signs and you have been as fresh as paint for the last 6 months. Certainly that'd explain why you're always locked in the bathroom. Danielle: Trust me, that is not what he is doing. Andrew: Shut up. Mom, I'm not the one with the problem here, alright? You're the one always acting like she's running for mayor of Stepford. Bree: Rex. Seeing that you're the head of this household, I would really appreciate you saying something. **Rex:** Pass the salt?

(17:24-21:17)



1. Questions

- * Answer following questions. (質問に答えましょう)
- 1) Who is Mr. Tanaka? (田中さんとは誰ですか?)
- 2) Why did John cut his finger? (ジョンはなぜ指を切ってしまったのですか?)
- 3) Did Gabriel agree to go to the party? (ガブリエルはパーティに行くことに同意しましたか?)
- 4) According to Carlos, what is a marriage all about? (カルロスによれば、結婚とは何が全てですか?)
- 5) Why are Bree's kids unhappy at dinner? (ブリーの子どもたちは夕食で何が不満なのですか?)

2. Say It!

* *Read the following script aloud with emotion. (人物になりきってセリフを読んでみましょう。)* **Gabrielle:** You can't order me around like I'm a child!

- **Carlos:** And I really hate that I spent \$15,000 on your diamond necklace that you couldn't live without. But I'm learning to deal with it. So. Can I tell Tanaka we'll be there tomorrow night?
- Andrew: Tim Harper's mom gets home from work, pops open a can of pork and beans, and boom!, they're eating, everyone's happy.

3. Let's Summarize!

* Summarize Today's part of the episode in your own words. (本日学習したストーリーを要約してみよう。)

4. Let's Discuss!

- * Pick one topic from below and talk about it with your tutor. (以下から興味あるトピックを 1 つ選んでトークしましょう。)
- Do you think a marriage is all about compromise? Why? (あなたは妥協が結婚の全てだと思いますか?なぜですか?)
- 2) What would you do to keep your family happy if you were Bree? (家族が幸せになるために、ブリーはどうするべきでしょうか?)
- Would you want a mother like Bree at home? Why?
 (あなたはブリーのようなお母さんが欲しいですか?なぜですか?)
- 4) What would you say to your family if you were Rex? Why? (あなたがレックスならなんと言いますか?なぜですか?)



[Words & Phrases]

- order me around / ~私にいちいち指図する
- dig it up / 掘り起こす
- hook up / セックスする
- cannot afford to lose this job / この仕事を失う余裕なんてない
- basil puree / バジル・ビューレ (フランス料理)
- navy bean / 白インゲン豆
- ossa bucco / オッサ・ブッコ(料理の名)
- dignify / 威厳を付ける
- sullen / 不機嫌な、ぶすっとした
- pops open / ポンと空ける
- boom / ブーン
- cuisine / 大そうな料理
- warning signs / 悪いことの前兆
- as fresh as paint / 生意気(デスパレートな妻たちの脚本家が考えた造語)
- always acting like~ / いつもの~ように振舞っている
- run for ... / ...に立候補する
- the head of this household /この家の大黒柱

Thank you and have a great day!