

[Lesson 34] Episode5_2: Come In, Stranger (招かれざる客)

Lynette: I really do appreciate you guys staying and helping.

- **Bree:** Oh, please! I would have hosted it myself, but the kids are going to the mountains tomorrow and there's camping equipment everywhere.
- Lynette: It's nice of you. And since we're talking, there's something else nice that I'd like you to do. Your kids both went to Barcliff Academy, didn't they?

Bree: Yes.

Lynette: We need you to recommend Porter and Preston. We can't even get an interview.

Bree: Oh, you want me to recommend the twins?

Lynette: Yes, you can tell them how beautifully behaved the boys are.

Bree: So you want me to lie?

Lynette: Yeah. I thought that was understood.

- **Bree:** Well, it's just that I'm very well respected at Barcliff, and my word won't be good there anymore.
- Lynette: Yes, but by the time they realize their mistake, we'll be in. You're not having any more kids. What do you care?
- **Bree:** Well, I had hoped someday to get my grandchildren into Barcliff. But I suppose that doesn't matter to you, does it?
- Lynette: It really doesn't.

Gabrielle: Paul and Zach are fighting again.

Lynette: That's the second time this week. They never used to fight like that when Mary Alice was alive.

Susan: It's a shame. They used to be such a happy family.

Bree: Just because you didn't hear them fighting doesn't mean they were happy.

Narrator: The next day, as residents began to patrol Wisteria Lane in the hopes of foiling potential burglars, Gabrielle was about to experience a home invasion of her own.

Gabrielle: Mama Solis! What are you doing here?

Mama Solis: I came to visit my son and daughter-in-law. What does it look like?

Gabrielle: Does Carlos know you are coming?

Mama Solis: No. He likes to be surprised. Now, come. Gabrielle.

Family should always hug, regardless of how they feel about each other.



Tom: Wow. She's a beauty. 30-footer? Headmaster: 32. **Tom:** Sweet. I sail. I've got a Flying Scot. Headmaster: Well, we have several yachting enthusiasts here at Barcliff Academy. I'd be happy to introduce them to you. Lynette: Oh, that sounds great. Headmaster: If we decide to enroll your children. To be honest, Mr. and Mrs. Scavo, your children's educational background is a bit more common than we would prefer, but Mrs. Van De Kamp mentioned they were identical twins? Lynette: Yes. Completely identical. You can't tell them apart. They're like bookends. Headmaster: We do strive for diversity here at Barcliff. Identical twins could make for an interesting addition. Lynette: The boys are fascinating. They even have their own twin secret language, don't they, Tom? **Tom:** Yeah, yeah. It's pretty scary. Lynette: Not really so much scary as highly developed. Tom: Yeah, they bark and growl at each other. Lynette: Sorry, Tom, Mr. Lenz was trying to say something. Sorry, go ahead, Mr. Lenz. Headmaster: I'd love to meet these twins of yours. I tell you what, I'm going to put them on our 'must-meet list'. Tom: Terrific. Lynette: Thank you so much. What is a 'must-meet list'? Headmaster: We bring them in for observation. Lynette: O-observation? Headmaster: Mm. To see how they play with the other children, how they respond to authority. That sort of thing. Tom: Great. Lynette: That's wonderful. Rex: Hey. Bree: Hi. **Rex:** Kids ready? Bree: Almost. Thanks again for driving them to the bus. **Rex:** Happy to do it. I miss them. Bree: Did you hear there was a break-in at Mrs. Frome's the other night?

Rex: Yeah. I heard they didn't take anything.



- **Bree:** Well, that doesn't make it any less frightening. I mean, he could have been a sexual predator.
- **Rex:** What? And he ended up at Mrs. Frome's? Boy, that would have been a lose-lose situation.
- **Bree:** Oh, Rex! That's not the point. The point is I don't feel safe here, and I was wondering if you would spend the night.
- **Rex:** You're in the NRA, you own like four guns! If somebody broke in I'd expect you to protect me.
- **Bree:** Rex, the truth is, with the kids gone I'll be all by myself in this house for the first time in seventeen years.
- **Rex:** Honey, I know it's hard to hear, but the marriage counseling might not work out. You need to get used to being alone.
- Bree: You're right. That was hard to hear.
- Rex: What are you doing?
- Bree: That is for the kids' trip.
- **Rex:** Oh, come on! I'm staying in a motel! I haven't had a decent meal in weeks.
- **Bree:** Honey, the marriage counseling might not work out. You need to get used to bad cooking.

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1. Questions

- * Answer following questions. (質問に答えましょう)
- 1) Are Bree's kids going to the mountains tomorrow? (ブリーの子どもたちは明日山に行く予定ですか?)
- In what school does Lynette want to enter her twins?
 (リネットは自分の双子をどこの学校に入れたいのでしょうか?)
- Does Bree really want to recommend Porter and Preston to Barcliff Academy? (ブリーは本心からポーターとプレストンをバークリフ・アカデミーに推薦したいですか?)
- 4) Who is Gabrielle's surprise visitor? (ガブリエルが驚いた突然の訪問者は誰ですか?)
- 5) Do you think Gabrielle likes Mama Solis? (ガブリエルはママ・ソリスが好きだと思いますか?)

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:** So why weren't you sitting with Mike tonight? I thought you two were becoming an item.
- **Bree:** Rex, the truth is, with the kids gone I'll be all by myself in this house for the first time in seventeen years.
- **Rex:** What? And he ended up at Mrs. Frome's? Boy, that would have been a lose-lose situation.

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 like surprise visits from relatives or friends? Why or why not? When visiting someone at their home, should you call them beforehand? Explain your answer.
 (親戚や友人の突然の訪問は好きですか? 好き、あるいは嫌いなのはなぜですか? 誰かの家を訪ねる前に電話を一本い れるべきですか? なぜそう思うのか理由を説明して下さい。)
- 2) What kinds of outdoor sports are popular in Japan? What outdoor sport do you like? Why do you like it?

(日本で人気のアウトドア・スポーツは何ですか?あなたの好きなアウトドア・スポーツは何ですか?なぜそれが好き?)

 3) Do you fight with your parents or your children? What do you usually fight about? (自分の親や子どもとケンカをしますか? 何についてよくケンカをしますか?)



[Words & Phrases]

- in the hopes of ~ / ~することを願って
- foil / くじく、失敗させる、 (アルミ)箔
- invasion / 侵入
- regardless of ~ / ~に関わらず
- enthusiast / 熱心な人、ファン
- enroll / 会員にする、入学させる
- identical / 全く同じの、そっくりの、一卵性の
- strive for ~ / ~のために懸命に努力する、~を得ようと努力する
- diversity / 多様性
- make for ~ / ~に役立つ、~に向かって突進する
- growl / うなる
- bring ~ in ... / ~を…に持ち込む、~を…に呼び寄せる ★イディオム

• a sexual predator / 性犯罪者

- end up ~ / 結局[最後には]~で終わる ★イディオム
- a lose-lose situation / お互いに不利な状況
- hard to ~ / ~するのが難しい
- work out / うまくいく、運動する ★イディオム
- get used to ~ / ~に慣れる、~になじむ
- decent / きちんとした、まずますの、礼儀にかなった

Thank you and have a great day!