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00:00:00,000 --> 00:00:04,250 Hāi! Dàjiā hǎo! Huānyíng lái dào Mandarin Corner. 嗨! 大家好! 欢迎来到Mandarin Corner. Hi, everyone! Welcome to Mandarin Corner.

00:00:08,208 --> 00:00:13,541 Xiànzài dehuà shì, a ~ yǐjīng língchén yīdiǎn duō zhōng. 现在的话是, 啊~ 已经凌晨一点多钟。 Now it's already past 1am.

00:00:13,916 --> 00:00:18,875 Nà qíshí wǒ míngtiān zǎoshang hái yào yīzǎo de qǐlái shàng zǎo bān

那其实我明天早上还要一早地起来上早班

In fact, I need to work early in the morning.

00:00:19,333 --> 00:00:22,916 Dànshì, a ~ wǒ háishì juédìng lái lù zhège shìpín 但是, 啊~ 我还是决定来录这个视频 But, I decided to this video.

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Shì yīnwèi, ā ~ zài wǒ gānggāng kàn de yī běn shū dāngzhōng,

是因为, 啊~ 在我刚刚看的一本书当中,

The reason is that in the book I just read,

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A ~ táiwān yī wèi fēicháng zhùmíng de zuòzhě sān máo xiě de shū 啊~ 台湾一位非常著名的作者三毛写的书 It is written by a famous Taiwanese author

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"Sǎhālā shāmò",(zhèngquè shū míng yīnggāi shì "sǎhālā de gùshì") 《撒哈拉沙漠》, (正确书名应该是《撒哈拉的故事》) The actual name of the book is <Stories of The Sahara> 00:00:35,541 --> 00:00:39,666 Zài gěi dàjiā kàn yīxià, jiùshì zhè yī běn 再给大家看一下,就是这一本 Let me show you... this is the book

00:00:41,875 --> 00:00:48,833 Nà, a, zhī suǒyǐ wǒ xiànzài qǐlái lù zhège shìpín, shì yīnwèi 那, 啊, 之所以我现在起来录这个视频,是因为 So, I am recording this is because

00:00:49,791 --> 00:00:57,458 Wǒ bèi tā bǐxià de yī wèi shí suì de xiǎo gūniáng suǒ zhènhàn dào 我被她笔下的一位十岁的小姑娘所震撼到 I was shocked by a ten-year-old girl from her book

00:00:57,458 --> 00:00:58,250 wǒ zhēn... 我真。。。I really...

00:01:00,000 --> 00:01:03,375 Wǒ tǎng zài chuángshàng jiǔjiǔ bùnéng rùshuì 我躺在床上久久不能入睡 I couldn't fall asleep on my bed.

00:01:03,875 --> 00:01:05,333 Yuányīn shì yīnwèi 原因是因为 The reason is that

00:01:08,166 --> 00:01:11,666 Zài săhālā shāmò, yǒu nàyàng yīgè dìfāng 在撒哈拉沙漠,有那样一个地方 In the Sahara, there is such a place

00:01:15,375 --> 00:01:17,166 Tāmen de fēngsú shì 他们的风俗是 Their custom is that

00:01:18,541 --> 00:01:24,125 nǚ háizi dào bā suì hái yǒu huòzhě shì shí suì de yàngzi 女孩子到八岁还有或者是十岁的样子 Girls at the age of 8 or 10 00:01:25,000 --> 00:01:26,541 Jiù yào bèi pò jiéhūn! 就要被迫结婚! They would be forced to get married!

00:01:27,916 --> 00:01:28,708 Tiān nǎ! 天哪! OMG!

00:01:29,708 --> 00:01:35,000 Wǒ yǒngyuǎn jìdé nàgè xiǎohái zài shuō:"Wǒ bùxiǎng yào jiéhūn." 我永远记得那个小孩在说:"我不想要结婚。" I always remember that girl said: ' I don't want to get married.'

00:01:36,583 --> 00:01:39,125 Shí suì de háizi dàodǐ dǒng shénme?! 十岁的孩子到底懂什么? ! She was just ten, What does she know about this?!

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Tā zhīdào jiéhūn shì shénme ma? 她知道结婚是什么吗? Does she know about marriage?

00:01:42,041 --> 00:01:44,166 Zhīdào jiéhūn yìwèizhe shénme ma? 知道结婚意味着什么吗? Does she know what marriage means?

00:01:48,375 --> 00:01:49,750 Sān máo sùshuō 三毛诉说 Sanmao said,

00:01:50,583 --> 00:01:54,833 Nà wèi xiǎo gūniáng, zài jiéhūn dàngtiān 那位小姑娘,在结婚当天 That little girl, on wedding day

00:01:56,208 --> 00:01:57,416 Bèi yīqún 被一群..... 00:01:58,500 --> 00:01:59,541 Tiān nǎ! 天哪! Jesus!

00:02:00,083 --> 00:02:01,666 Wǒ doū kuài shuō bu xiàqùle. 我都快说不下去了。 I can't even continue talking about this.

00:02:01,666 --> 00:02:15,083 Bèi yīqún nán hái zǐ huán yǒu xīnláng gěi zhuā chū jiāmén! 被一群男孩子还有新郎给抓出家门! She was dragged out of her home by a bunch of guys and the groom

00:02:15,083 --> 00:02:16,083 Dàole xīnláng jiā, rù dòngfáng de shíhòu 到了新郎家,入洞房的时候 In the groom's family, during the wedding night

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Suðyðu de qīnqī péngyðu dōu zuò zài dàtīng shàng 所有的亲戚朋友都坐在大厅上 All relatives and friends are sitting on the hall

00:02:23,083 --> 00:02:24,666 Dōu zuò zài dàtīng lǐ 都坐在大厅里 Sitting IN the hall.

00:02:27,000 --> 00:02:30,958 Děngdài. Yīnwèi dāngdì de fēngsú shì 等待。因为当地的风俗是 Waiting. Because the custom is that

00:02:32,416 --> 00:02:36,041 Rù dòngfáng de shíhòu nǚ háizi shì yào dà jiào yīshēng. 入洞房的时候女孩子是要大叫一声。 The girl needs to scream during the wedding night.

00:02:36,583 --> 00:02:38,708 Dàjiā zhīdào zhè yìwèizhe shénme ma? 大家知道这意味着什么吗? Do you know what this means? 00:02:39,583 --> 00:02:42,958 Yìwèizhe yīgè bā suì de értóng! 意味着一个八岁的儿童! Means a 8-year-old child!

00:02:43,833 --> 00:02:45,541 Zhùyì shì értóng! 注意是儿童! A CHILD!

00:02:47,791 --> 00:02:52,083 Jiù zhèyàng shīqùle tā de dì yī cì! 就这样失去了她的第一次! Her first time was taken like this!

00:02:53,958 --> 00:02:58,750 Guòle wǔ tiān zhīhòu, sān máo zàilái bàifǎng zhè wèi xiǎo gūniáng 过了五天之后,三毛再来拜访这位小姑娘 Five days later, Sanmao visited this girl 00:02:59,541 --> 00:03:00,791 Tā wèn sān máo 她问三毛 She asked Sanmao

00:03:01,625 --> 00:03:03,833 Wǒ zhèyàng huì shēng xiǎohái ma? 我这样会生小孩吗? Will I get pregnant?

00:03:04,583 --> 00:03:06,125 Sān máo qiú qiú nǐ 三毛求求你 Sanmao, please

00:03:08,375 --> 00:03:13,791 Qǐng gěi wǒ bùnéng huáiyùn de yào chī hǎo ma? 请给我不能怀孕的药吃好吗? Can you please give me some contraceptive pills?

00:03:13,916 --> 00:03:18,000 Zhè jù huà ràng wǒ jīnyè shīmián 这句话让我今夜失眠 What she said gave me insomnia.

00:03:19,416 --> 00:03:21,166 Jiŭjiǔ wúfǎ rùshuì 久久无法入睡 I couldn't fall asleep for a long time.

00:03:21,666 --> 00:03:27,375 Xiǎngxiàng yīxià, shí suì, nàyàng de yīgè niánlíng 想象一下,十岁,那样的一个年龄 Image that a ten years old girl at that age

00:03:28,791 --> 00:03:33,125 Jìngrán yào jīnglì zhèyàng de, zhèyàng cánkù de xiànshí 竟然要经历这样的,这样残酷的现实 had to experience all this

00:03:34,708 --> 00:03:35,666 Tiān nǎ! 天哪! Oh, my God! 00:03:36,375 --> 00:03:39,750 Wǒmen hái zài zhè biān tǎolùn shèngnǚ 我们还在这边讨论剩女 We are still talking about Leftover women

00:03:40,916 --> 00:03:42,958 Tǎolùn jiéhūn de yālì! 讨论结婚的压力! Talking about the pressure from marriage

00:03:46,291 --> 00:03:47,958 Dànshì wǒ fāxiàn zhìshǎo 但是我发现至少 But I found that at least

00:03:50,250 --> 00:03:57,666 Women shì you quánlì, women shì you nénglì qù zuò zìjǐ de juédìng de 我们是有权利,我们是有能力去做自己的决定的 We have the right and the ability to make our own decisions.

00:03:59,750 --> 00:04:01,208 Ér nà wèi xiǎo gūniáng 而那位小姑娘 But that little girl

00:04:01,208 --> 00:04:05,666 yīnggāi shuō shēnghuó zài nàgè shídài, nàgè dìfāng de rén 应该说生活在那个时代,那个地方的人 Or the people who lived in that place and that generation

00:04:05,958 --> 00:04:09,500 Nàgè dìfāng de nǚrén, huòzhě shuō shì nǚ háizi, 那个地方的女人,或者说是女孩子, The women or girls in that place

107 00:04:09,500 --> 00:04:13,958 Gēnběn méiyǒu quánlì qù xuǎnzé zìjǐ de shēnghuó. 根本没有权力去选择自己的生活。

They don't even have the right to chose what they want

00:04:14,625 --> 00:04:17,041 Ér wǒmen shēnghuó zài zhèyàng de yīgè shídài 而我们生活在这样的一个时代 While we are living in this time 00:04:17,208 --> 00:04:19,416 Què yǒu hěnduō rén zài bàoyuàn 却有很多人在抱怨 A lot of people are complaining that

00:04:21,416 --> 00:04:23,916 Wǒmen méi fǎ xuǎnzé zìjǐ de shēnghuó! 我们没法选择自己的生活! We can choose our own life!

00:04:23,916 --> 00:04:28,916 Qíshí wǒmen kěyǐ xuǎnzé zìjǐ de shēnghuó 其实我们可以选择自己的生活 Actually we can make our own decisions

00:04:28,916 --> 00:04:32,666 Wǒmen kěyǐ zuò zìjǐ rénshēng de zhǔrén 我们可以做自己人生的主人 We can be the master of our own life

00:04:34,625 --> 00:04:35,375 Duì ma? 对吗?

00:04:39,416 --> 00:04:47,541 Zài zhèlǐ wǒ xiǎng duì suǒyǒu de zhōngguó nǚshēng shuō yījù 在这里我想对所有的中国女生说一句 I want to say to all Chinese girls that

00:04:50,208 --> 00:04:55,250 Rúguǒ nǐmen xiǎng yào guò shàng nǐmen xiǎng yào de shēnghuó 如果你们想要过上你们想要的生活 If you want to have the life you want

00:04:56,708 --> 00:05:01,166 Qǐng yǒnggǎn de, jiānqiáng de zuò chū zìjǐ de juédìng 请勇敢地,坚强地做出自己的决定 Please be brave and strong to make your own decision

00:05:01,875 --> 00:05:04,791 Bìngqiě wéi zhī fùchū zìjǐ de nǔlì 并且为之付出自己的努力 And work hard on it 00:05:04,791 --> 00:05:10,583 Xiāngxìn nǐ yīdìng huì dédào nǐ xiǎng yào de shēnghuó 相信你一定会得到你想要的生活 Believe yourself that you can eventually have it

00:05:13,500 --> 00:05:17,416 Zài kàn wán săhālā zhè běn shū 在看完撒哈拉这本书 After reading this book

00:05:18,166 --> 00:05:23,166 Yīnggāi shuō dāngzhōng de yīgè gùshì, wǒ fāshì 应该说当中的一个故事,我发誓 Or I should say one of the stories. I swear that

00:05:25,125 --> 00:05:28,166 Wǒ yīdìng yào huó chū wǒ zìjǐ de rénshēng! 我一定要活出我自己的人生! I will live my own life

00:05:29,708 --> 00:05:36,250 Zhìyú wǒ xiǎng yào zěnyàng de rénshēng, zài zhèlǐ wǒ jiù bù duō shuōle 至于我想要怎样的人生,在这里我就不多说了

About what kind of life I want, I am not gonna talk more about it.

00:05:39,000 --> 00:05:41,250 Zǒngzhī, gǎnkǎi wàn qiān ba! 总之, 感慨万千吧! However, right now I am a little bit emotional

00:05:41,750 --> 00:05:43,041 Qíshí (zhè piān wén) 其实(这篇文) Actually

00:05:43,041 --> 00:05:49,708 zhège shìpín bìng bùshì wèile ràng dàjiā xué dào duōshǎo zhōngwén 这个视频并不是为了让大家学到多少中文 This is video is not only to teach you guys Chinese

00:05:50,125 --> 00:05:54,500 Zhǐshì xīwàng zài kàn dào zhège shìpín de rén 只是希望在看到这个视频的人 I just hope people that are watching this video 00:05:55,875 --> 00:06:03,458 Yě nénggòu zhīdào zìjǐ shì shēnghuó zài duōshǎo xìngfú de yīgè shídài 也能够知道自己是生活在多少幸福的一个时代 Be aware of how lucky you are living in this generation

00:06:04,708 --> 00:06:09,916 Zhēnxī xiànzài de shēnghuó, zhēnxī suǒ yǒngyǒu de 珍惜现在的生活,珍惜所拥有的 Cherish what you have and your life

00:06:11,916 --> 00:06:16,333 Hǎole, a, xīwàng xiàqī zàijiàn 好了, 啊, 希望下期再见 Alright, hope to see you guys next time

00:06:16,333 --> 00:06:18,833 Nà rúguǒ nǐ xǐhuān wǒ de shìpín dehuà 那如果你喜欢我的视频的话 If you like my video

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háishì tóngyàng de qǐng gěi wǒ diǎn gè zàn 👍 ba 还是同样的请给我点个赞 👍 吧 Please give me a like

00:06:21,333 --> 00:06:23,750 Bìngqiě yīdìng yào guānzhù wǒ de 并且一定要关注我的 And subscribe

00:06:23,750 --> 00:06:26,541 a, wǒmen de píndào-Mandarin Corner 啊,我们的频道 – Mandarin Corner our channel - Mandarin Corner

00:06:26,541 --> 00:06:29,125 Nà hòumiàn dehuà wǒ yě huì wéi dàjiā 那后面的话我也会为大家 In the future, I will

00:06:29,125 --> 00:06:32,458 Nà a, lùzhì (yī) yī xìliè de shìpín 啊,录制 (一) 一系列的视频 record a series of videos

00:06:32,458 --> 00:06:35,375 Bāokuò wǒmen hòumiàn hái huì yǒuyī xìliè 包括我们后面还会有一系列 and later we will have a series of videos that

00:06:35,916 --> 00:06:38,291 Zhēnduì yú hànyǔ xuéxí de shìpín 针对于汉语学习的视频 focus on Mandarin study

00:06:39,458 --> 00:06:41,583 en~ fèihuà jiù bù duō shuōle 嗯~ 废话就不多说了 Okay! that's all

00:06:41,583 --> 00:06:44,583 Nà ~ bàibài ~ [《] 那~ 拜拜~ [《] Bye bye ! 00:06:46,000 --> 00:06:48,500

PS: This is the first time I edited by myself. HAHAHA~