

Week Five

You Were Shaped for Serving God

Note: First Tone - Will be in red.

Second Tone - Will be in green

Third Tone - Will be in Blue.

Forth Tone - Will be in Purple.

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New Vocabulary for Week Three

服【fú】 serve; clothes; dress; take (medicine); be convinced; obey; be accustomed to.

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随【suí】 to follow; to comply with; to allow; (surname).

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才能【cáinéng】 ability; talent; can.

才【cái】 ability; talent; capable person; people of a certain type.

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热心【rèxīn】 enthusiastic; ardent; earnest; warmhearted.

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享受【xiǎngshòu】 enjoy; enjoyment; treat.

享【xiǎng】 enjoy.

受【shòu】 receive; accept; suffer; be subjected to; stand; endure; bear; <dialect> be pleasant.

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奉【fèng】 give or present with respect; receive; esteem; revere; believe in; wait upon; attend to.

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心服【xīnfú】 be genuinely convinced; acknowledge one's defeat sincerely.

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无人【wúrén】 unmanned; depopulated; self service.

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够【gòu】 enough; sufficient; adequate; reach; be up to (a certain standard etc); quite; rather; really.

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发挥【fāhuī】 bring into play; give play to; give free rein to; develop (an idea, a theme, etc.); elaboration.

发【fā】 send out; issue; deliver; distribute; express; open up; discover.

挥【huī】 wave, wield; wipe off; command (an army); scatter, disperse.

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尽【jìn】 exhausted; finished; to the utmost; to the limit; use up; exhaust; try one's best; put to the best use; all; exhaustive.

尽【jǐn】 to the greatest extent; within the limits of; give priority to; at the furthest end of; <dialect> keep on doing sth..

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淋漓尽致【línlíjìnzhì】 incisively and vividly; thoroughly.

淋【lín】 pour; drench.

淋【lìn】 strain; filter.

致【zhì】 send; extend; deliver; devote (one's efforts, etc.); incur; result in; cause; manner or style that engages attention or arouses interest; fine; delicate.

尽【jìn】 **to the utmost**; to the limit; to the greatest extent.

Think of 尺 chǐ= ruler the two extra marks mean we are trying to extend past the ends of the ruler. We are really stretching it.

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才能【cáinéng】 ability; talent; can.

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经历 【jīnglì】 go through; undergo; experience.

经 【jīng】 scripture; canon; classic; <textile> warp; <Chin. med.> channels; <geology> longitude; manage; deal in; engage; constant; regular; menses; menstruation; pass through; undergo; as a result of; after; through; stand; bear; endure.

历 【lì】 go through; undergo; experience; all previous (occasions, sessions, etc); covering all; one by one; calendar

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配 【pèi】 join in marriage; mate (animals); compound; mix; distribute according to plan; apportion; find sth. to fit or replace sth. else; match; deserve; be worthy of; be qualified.

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透过 【tòuguò】 lookthrough; permeanc ; permeation; reachthrough.

透 【tòu】 penetrate; pass through; seep through; tell secretly; fully; thoroughly; in a penetrating way; appear; show.

过 【guō】 <informal> beyond the limit; undue; excessive; a surname.

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仆人 【pú rén】 (domestic) servant.

仆 【pū】 fall forward; fall prostrate.

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特征 【tèzhēng】 characteristic; feature; trait.

特 【tè】 special; particular; unusual; exceptional; for a special purpose; specially; secret agent; spy; very; especially; <formal> but; only.

征 【zhēng】 go on a journey; go on an expedition; levy (troops); call up; draft; levy (taxes); collect; impose; ask for; solicit; evidence; proof; sign; portent.

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提到 【tídào】 mention; refer to; touch; make a mention of.

提 【tí】 carry (in one's hand with the arm down); lift; raise; promote; shift to an earlier time; move up a date; put forward; bring up; draw out; extract; mention; refer to; bring up; dipper; rising stroke (in Chinese characters).

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挑战 【tiǎozhàn】 throw down the gauntlet; challenge to battle.

挑 【tiāo】 choose; select; pick; carry on the shoulder with a pole.

战 【zhàn】 war; warfare; battle; fight; a surname.

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挑【tiāo】 choose; select; pick; carry on the shoulder with a pole.

On the bases of this omen (兆【zhào】 sign; omen) I reached in with my hand (扌【tǐshǒupáng】 hand radical.) and picked the winning ticket.

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性【xìng】 nature; character; disposition; property; quality; sex; <gram.> gender.

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具【jù】 utensil; tools; implement; possess; have; <formal> provide; furnish.

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关心【guānxīn】 be concerning with; show solicitude for; be interested in; care for.

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途径【tújīng】 way; channel.

途【tú】 way; road; route.

径【jīng】 footpath; path; track; way; means; <adv.> directly; straightaway; diameter.

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寻找【xúnzhǎo】 seek; look for.

寻【xún】 look for; search; seek; find; an ancient measure of length, equal to about 2.66 meters.

找【zhǎo】 look for; try to find; seek; want to see; call on; approach; ask for; give change.

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本文【běnwén】 this text, article, etc.; the main body of a book.

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承认【chéngrèn】 admit; acknowledge; recognize; give diplomatic recognition.

承【chéng】 bear; hold; carry; undertake; contract (to do a job); <tao> be indebted (to sb. for a kindness); be granted a favour; continue; carry on.

认【rèn】 recognize; know; make out; identify; enter into a certain relationship with; adopt; admit; own; undertake to do sth.; accept as unavoidable; resign oneself to.

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软弱【ruǎnrào】 weak; feeble; flabby.

软【ruǎn】 soft; flexible; supple; pliable; mild; gentle; weak; feeble; poor in quality, ability, etc.; easily moved or influenced.

弱【ruò】 weak; feeble; young; inferior; <formal> lose (through death); a little less than.

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否【pǐ】 bad; wicked; evil; censure.

否【fǒu】 negate; deny; <formal> nay; no.

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隐藏【yǐncáng】 to hide; to conceal.

隐【yǐn】 hidden from view; conceal; latent; dormant; lurking.

藏【cáng】 hide; conceal; store; lay by.

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隐【yǐn】 **hidden from view; conceal.**

β = hill + 急【jí】 **impatient; anxious; worry** You get:

The Sundance kid was **anxious** to get over the **hill** for that is where the **hidden** treasure was **concealed** for Mary Yin.

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藏【zàng】 storing place; depository; short for the Xizang Autonomous Region; the Zang nationality.

弱点【ruòdiǎn】 weakness; weak point; failing.

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限制【xiànzhì】 place restrictions on; impose restrictions on; restrict; limit; confine.

限【xiàn】 limit; bounds; set a limit; restrict.

制【zhì】 make; manufacture; work out; formulate; restrict; control; system.

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彰【zhāng】 clear; evident; conspicuous.

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彰【zhāng】 clear; evident; conspicuous.

章【zhāng】 chapter + 彡【sān xiǎn】 hair

It was clear same character though he would live out the next chapter of his life with hair.

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实地【shídì】 on the spot.

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诚实【chéngshí】 honest.

诚【chéng】 sincere; honest; <formal> really; actually; indeed.

实【shí】 solid; true; real; honest; reality; fact; fruit; seed.

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练习

Exercises

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| 提到 | <input type="radio"/> | | <input type="radio"/> | be concerning with |
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| 服 | <input type="radio"/> | | <input type="radio"/> | go through; experience |
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| 经历 | <input type="radio"/> | | <input type="radio"/> | characteristic; feature |

问题 / Wèntí / Answer four Questions to Consider from Handout

Write the following Characters:

1.) bring into play

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2.) throw down the gauntlet;
challenge to battle

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3.) servant

4.) lookthrough

5.) weak

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Write the Character for the following pinyin:

1.) guānxīn

2.) tídào

3.) tiǎozhàn

4.) fāhuī

5.) xiǎngshòu

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| W5 | Chinese Characters 人生目的：4. 你被塑造是为服事神 | Pīnyīn Rénshēng mùdì #4. Nǐ bèi sùzào shiwéi fúshì shén | English Purpose #4 You Were Shaped For Serving God |
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| 29天 | 思想要点：服事不是随你选择要或不要的。 | Sīxiǎng yàodiǎn: Fú shì bú shì suí nǐ xuǎnzé yào huò bú yào de. | Point to Ponder: Service is not optional. |
| | 思考问题：有什么妨碍我接受神的呼召去事奉他？ | Sīkǎo wèntí: Yǒu shénme fáng ài wǒ jiēshòu shén de hū zhào qù shì fèng tā ? | Question to Consider: What is holding me back from accepting God's call to service. |
| 30天 | 我被塑造是为了服事神。 | Wǒ bèi sùzào shì wéi le fú shì shén. | I was shaped for serving God. |
| | 我如何才能热心服事他人，并享受此事奉？ | Wǒ rú hé cái néng rè xīn fú shì tā rén , bìng xiǎng shòu cǐ shì fèng ? | In what way can I see myself passionately serving others and loving it? |
| 31 | 世上无人能够成为我。 | Shì shàng wú rén néng gòu chéng wéi wǒ | Nobody else can be me. |
| | 我有什么从神而来的才能和个人经历可以服事教会？ | Wǒ yǒu shén mo cóng shén ér lái de cái hé gè rén jīng lì kě yǐ fú shì jiào huì ? | What God-given abilities or personal experiences can I offer to my church? |
| 32天 | 神配得我最好的。 | Shén pèi de wǒ zuì hǎo de | God deserves my best. |
| | 我如何能将神所赐给我的，发挥得淋漓尽致？ | Wǒ rú hé néng jiāng shén suǒ cì gěi wǒ de , fā huī de lín lí jìn zhì ? | How can I make the best use of what God has given me? |
| 33 | 我透过服事人去事奉神。 | Wǒ tòu guò fú shì rén qù shì fèng shén. | I serve God by serving others. |
| | 本文提到真仆人的六个特征，哪一个对你最具挑战性？ | Běnwén tí dào zhēn pū rén de liù gè tè zhēng, nǎ yī gè duì nǐ zuì jù tiǎo zhàn xìng ? | Which of the six characteristics of real service offers the greatest challenge to me? |
| 34 | 要作仆人，必须思想像仆人。 | Yào zuò pū rén , bìxū sīxiǎng xiàng pū rén. | To be a servant I must think like a servant. |
| | 我比较关心被服事，或寻找途径去服事人？ | Wǒ bǐ jiào guān xīn bèi fú shì , huò xún zhǎo tú jìng qù fú shì rén ? | Am I usually more concerned about <i>being</i> served or finding ways to serve others? |
| 35 | 当我承认自己的软弱时，神最能用我。 | Dāng wǒ chéng rèn zì jǐ de ruǎn ruò shí , shén zuì néng yòng wǒ. | God works best when I admit my weakness. |
| | 我有否隐藏弱点，限制了神在我生命中彰显大能？为了帮助人，我需要诚实地面对什么事？ | Wǒ yǒu fǒu yǐn cáng ruò diǎn , xiàn zhì le shén zài wǒ shēng mìng zhōng zhāng xiǎn dà néng ? wéi le bāng zhù rén , wǒ xū yào chéng shí dì miàn duì shénme shì ? | Am I limiting God's power in my life by trying to hide weaknesses? What do I need to be honest about in order to help others? |