

## UNIT 3

### REFERENCE LIST

(in Taipei)

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| 1. A: Huáng Kēzhǎng, nín xiàge Xīngqīliù yǒu gōngfu ma?             | Section Chief Huang, are you free Saturday of next week?                            |
| A: Wǒ xiǎng qǐng nín hé nín fūren dào wǒmen jiā lái chī ge biānfàn. | I would like to invite you and your wife to come to our house for a simple meal.    |
| 2. B: Nín hébì zhème kèqi?  | Why is it necessary to be so polite?  |
| A: Bú shì kèqi.   | It's not politeness.  |
| A: Wǒ yǒu yige péngyou gāng cóng Měiguó lái.                        | I have a friend who has just come from America.                                     |
| A: Tā xiānzài zài Táiwān Dàxué jiāo jīngjìxué.                      | She is teaching economics at Taiwan University right now.                           |
| A: Wǒ hěn xiǎng gěi nimen liǎngwèi jièshào jièshào.                 | I would very much like to introduce the two of you.                                 |
| 3. B: Nà tài hǎo le!  | That's wonderful!   |
| B: Hěn xīwang gēn ta tán.   | I wish very much to talk with her.  |
| B: Búguò, kǒngpà wǒde Yīngwén bù xíng.                              | However, I'm afraid that my English isn't good enough.                              |
| B: Búdàn shuōde bù hǎo, yǒu shíhou yě tīngbudǒng.                   | Not only don't I speak well, (but) sometimes I can't understand what I hear either. |
| 4. A: Nálì, nálì.   | Not at all, not at all.   |
| A: Nín shuōde gēn Měiguó rén yíyàng hǎo.                            | You speak as well as an American.   |
| 5. *A: Zěnmeyàng? Liùdiǎn bàn duì nín fāngbian bu fāngbian?         | How shall we do it? Would six-thirty be convenient for you?                         |
| B: Fāngbian, fāngbian.  | That would be fine.   |
| 6. A: Wǒ méi qǐng shénme rén. Hěn suíbiàn.                          | I haven't invited anyone special. It's very informal.                               |
| B: Nà jiù xiān xiè le.  | Well then, I'll thank you in advance.   |

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\*The remaining sentences in this exchange occur on the C-1 tape.

ADDITIONAL REQUIRED VOCABULARY  
(not presented on C-1 and P-1 tapes)

7. bù tóng	to be different
8. chá	tea
9. chī fàn	to eat, to have a meal
10. dànshi	but
11. érqiě	furthermore, moreover
12. fàn	(cooked) rice
13. hē	to drink
14. jiāo shū	to teach



# VOCABULARY

biǎnfàn	a simple, informal meal
búdàn...yě	not only...but also
búguò	however, but
bù tóng	to be different
chá	tea
chī fàn	to eat, to have a meal
dànshi	but
érqiě	furthermore, moreover
fàn	(cooked) rice
hē	to drink
héibì	why is it necessary (to)
jiāo shū	to teach
jièshao	to introduce
kǒngpà	to be afraid that (something is or is not the case)
suíbiàn	to be informal/casual; as you like, as you wish, whatever suits you, "according to convenience"
tài hǎo le!	wonderful!
tīngbudǒng	cannot understand
tīngdedǒng	can understand
xīwàng (xīwang)	to hope, to wish to
yíyàng	to be alike/equal
yǒu shíhou (yǒu shihou)	sometimes
<u>(introduced on C-2 tape)</u>	
cānjiā	to attend
dǎ (ge) diànhuà	to make a phone call
hǎode duō	much better
tīng diànhuà	to answer the phone
yānhuò	fireworks display
yóuyuánhuì	carnival
zhèng hǎo	just right