

### Unit 01

- 1
  - It's sad to say, but someone needs to remind him of his duty to help his family.
  - Seeing the dog in the street reminded him that he needed to buy some dog food.
  - Remind her to pick up milk when she goes to the store.
- 2
  - The shipment of illegal, bootlegged DVDs was traced back to a warehouse in Hong Kong.
  - = Police traced the shipment of illegal, bootlegged DVDs back to a warehouse in Hong Kong.
- 3
  - You won't believe it, but these new street signs are made entirely of plastic.
  - This story is made up of equal parts of fabrication, ugly rumor, spite, and just plain meanness.
- 4
  - He topped off his coffee with a nip of whisky from a flask.
  - = He topped his coffee off with a nip of whisky from a flask.
  - And, in keeping with the American tradition, the sundae is topped off with a bright red, marachino cherry.
  - He topped off the concert with a surprisingly touching rendition of Thelonious Monk's *'Round Midnight*.
- 5
  - Instead of my usual coffee, I think I'll have some juice this morning.
  - Going out the door, he planned to visit the tax office, but went straight to work instead.
  - = He had planned to visit the tax office. Instead, he went straight to work.

- 6
- There's no need for anyone to panic.
  - = It is not necessary for anyone to panic.
  - = We need not panic.
  - = We don't need to panic.
  - There's no need for him to come.
  - = It is not necessary for him to come.
  - = He need not come.
  - = He doesn't need to come.

### Unit 02

- 1
- We had set our hearts on going to Kenting; my sister will be *very* disappointed!
  - = We had our hearts set on going to Kenting; my sister will be *very* disappointed!
- 2
- I wanted to make a good impression, so I set out my best dishes.
  - He set out to make sure she knew exactly how he felt, and he succeeded.
  - We set out before sunrise, hoping to get there in time for dinner.
  - Charles Lindburgh set out for France on May 20<sup>th</sup>, 1927.
  - We set out on our journey around Taiwan on Wednesday morning.
- 3
- I let on that I wanted to be in the show.
  - My brother let on about the embezzlement plans he'd overheard that night in the meeting room, and in return for his whistleblowing, he got a very nice little extra bonus money in his *hong bao* that year.
- 4
- The ceiling fan factory laid off 45 workers last week.
  - = The ceiling fan factory laid 45 workers off last week.
  - = The ceiling fan factory had a lay-off last week; 45 workers were dismissed.
- 5
- You need to let go of these bad memories, so you can think about your future more effectively.
  - I let go of her hand, waved goodbye, and headed into the train station.

- 6
- There was no hot water in the cabin, but rather than complain to the management, we just did without.
  - I think I can do without hearing her incessant whining for a couple of days. *[Note the sarcasm]*
  - Because of the difficult times, they often had to do without basic necessities, like flour and salt.
- 7
- I feel like swimming. How about you?  
= I feel like a swim. How about you?
  - It plain to see you feel like crap. Maybe you should go home and just get some rest; we'll do this tomorrow, OK?
  - I feel like he wants to tell me something, but isn't quite sure how to say it.

### Unit 03

- 1
- No wonder he's surprised that Sam got married; he hasn't been in touch with his old friends for a long time.  
= It is no wonder he's surprised that Sam got married; he hasn't been in touch with his old friends for a long time.  
= Little wonder he's surprised that Sam got married; he hasn't been in touch with his old friends for a long time.  
= Small wonder he's surprised that Sam got married; he hasn't been in touch with his old friends for a long time.
  - I wonder who left this note for me.
  - She's always wondered where her old teddy bear wound up.
  - I still sometimes gaze at the door and wonder when Sandy will walk through it again.
  - I wonder why he called. Guess I'll just call back and find out!
  - He's really in big trouble this time. I wonder how he'll resolve this one.
  - Hmm. The village fire truck is parked at the toy store. I wonder what's up.
  - I wonder if it will ever snow in Dongshih.
  - I have never wondered whether he would come; I knew he would.

- 2
  - I helped Grandma to a little bit of cake.
  - She helped herself to the wine.
  - I promised that I would be silent and keep my council. But when he started insulting his ex-girlfriend again, I just couldn't help myself; I had to say something.
- 3
  - How the canary got out of the cage is a complete mystery to me.  
= It's a complete mystery to me how the canary got out of the cage.
  - I wonder why he came.
  - Just leave the books where they are and follow me.
  - We'll find out the truth when he's ready to tell it.
  - My mother will decide who to bring.
  - I'm not sure what she can do right now.
- 4
  - I'm glad he doesn't know yet.
  - We're surprised she's sleeping.
  - She's quite happy with your decision.
  - They weren't clear about the guarantee.
  - I'm sorry for what they did to you, but I really had no control over that.
- 5
  - You should have seen the look on his face!
  - We should have gotten off at that last exit.
  - I shouldn't have eaten that tenth hot dog.
  - In the first place, Glen shouldn't have been there.

- 6
- No, I insist!
  - If you insist on playing your music so loud at 3am, I'll have to call the police.
  - His office insists upon a review of all notices that will be released to the public.  
= His office insists upon reviewing all notices that will be released to the public.
  - He insisted that his sister not bring her boyfriend to the family reunion.  
[roughly =] He insisted that his sister should not bring her boyfriend to the family reunion.
  - My father insisted on John's being present for the reading of the will.  
= My father insisted upon John's being present for the reading of the will.

### Unit 04

- 1
- I need to talk with someone who knows.  
= I need to talk with someone that knows.
  - This guy, who goes by the name "Prot," says he is from the planet K-PAX.
  - The dog which ate my lunch is still in the park.  
= The dog that ate my lunch is still in the park.
  - The woman, whom he already asked to be patient, is becoming abusive.
  - The customer to whom he sold the computer yesterday is calling to ask for some support.
  - The customer with whom he had the disagreement is asking to speak to the manager.
  - The method by which we achieve such great results is a company secret.
  - The hammer with which the evil deed was done is "Exhibit A" in the murder trial.

- 2
- At this point, our success depends on him.
  - I'm depending on her to make the phone call and tell Roger not to come.
  - = I'm depending upon her to make the phone call and tell Roger not to come.
  - Whether we get lunch or not depends on when they get here.
  - = Whether we get lunch or not depends upon when they get here.
  - What I'll wear depends on where we're going.
  - = What I'll wear depends upon where we're going.
  - Whether I'll believe the story depends on who tells it.
  - = Whether I'll believe the story depends upon who tells it.
  - You can depend on it that I'll be there on time.
  - = You can depend upon it that I'll be there on time.
  - You can depend on me being there on time.
  - = You can depend upon me being there on time.
  - I used to depend on her leaving the key under the flowerpot, but now I have my own key.
  - = I used to depend upon her leaving the key under the flowerpot, but now I have my own key.
- 3
- I supplied her with paints and brushes.
  - = I supplied paints and brushes for her use.
  - I supplied paints and brushes for her.
  - = I supplied her paints and brushes.
  - (= I supplied paints and brushes to her.)
  - [NOTE: That last one is a little weak.]
- 4
- We have waited here since about 6 o'clock.
  - I've been starving since early this morning!
  - They've dined out in restaurants since recently.

- 5
- We'll come if Dave finishes his work on time.
  - = If Dave finishes his work on time, we'll come.
  - We'll find out if he's ready in a minute.
  - = We'll find out whether he's coming in a minute.
  - = We'll find out whether he's coming or not in a minute.
  - = We'll find out whether or not he's coming in a minute.
  - We'll find out whether he's coming or he's staying in a minute.
  - Whether he's coming or not, we're going.
- 6
- As soon as Larry got home, he went right to bed.
  - = The moment Larry got home, he went right to bed.
  - = The minute Larry got home, he went right to bed.
  - = The instant Larry got home, he went right to bed.
  - = Larry had no sooner gotten home than he went right to bed.
  - = Larry had hardly gotten home when he went right to bed.
  - = Larry had hardly gotten home before he went right to bed.
  - = Larry had scarcely gotten home when he went right to bed.
  - = Larry had scarcely gotten home before he went right to bed.
  - = No sooner had Larry had gotten home, than he went right to bed.
  - = Hardly had Larry had gotten home when he went right to bed.
  - = Hardly had Larry had gotten home before he went right to bed.
  - = Scarcely had Larry had gotten home when he went right to bed.
  - = Scarcely had Larry had gotten home before he went right to bed.

### Unit 05

- 1
- He thinks he can turn water into wine, but he's mistaken.
  - This bad experience turned him sour on the whole idea of getting into management.
  - Over the years, he turned shy and reclusive.
  - Amazingly, after about 8 months in storage this bitter paste turns into a smooth and flavorful sauce that goes well on almost any dish.

- 2     • He plays the part of the dutiful son well, but you can tell his heart is elsewhere.  
      = He plays the role of the dutiful son well, but you can tell his heart is elsewhere.  
      • We all had to take part in a week-long sales seminar, which I still think was a waste of valuable time.
- 3     • He complimented her on her excellent writing on her blog.  
      • He congratulated her on the award she won for her excellent blog.  
      [NOTE that these are not quite equivalent. You *compliment* people for their general qualities, like overall abilities or qualities of character or behavior. You *congratulate* people for specific successes and achievements, like winning an award or prize, or a notable specific achievement in politics, academia, or business.]
- 4     • We have complete confidence in her abilities.  
      = We have complete confidence that she will do this job to the best of her abilities.  
      = We are completely confident of her ability to do this job well.
- 5     • What a fantastically well-received book it turned out to be!  
      • Exactly how big a fool he was is yet to be determined.  
      • What a major disappointment the concert was....!  
      • What fantastic work they had done!  
      • How right you are!  
      • How quickly she picked through her options in her mind.  
      • How much success can one man take before pride takes over and undoes the good work?  
      • “How many roads must a man walk down/before you can call him a man?” –Bob Dylan
- 6     • We couldn’t have made it to the top of the mountain without our oxygen tanks.  
      • I couldn’t have done it without your help and dedication; and thank you, so much.



- 7
- They can continue to develop this new medical technology only if I can find the funding from private individuals.
  - If only my mother were here to see this!
  - If only we had the wisdom to see the folly of our present course.
- = I wish we had the wisdom to see the folly of our present course.  
= I wish that we had the wisdom to see the folly of our present course.

### Unit 06

- 1
- I suggest you quickly decide on the one best way to do this job, and stick with it until you finish.
  - Lisa's explanation seemed implausible, but she stuck by it.
  - They started the long, difficult work of putting the wall back together, and stuck to it, day after day, until it was finished.
- 2
- Chris succeeded in business, beyond anyone's expectations.
  - Chris failed in business, as everyone expected.
- = Chris failed to keep his business afloat, as everyone expected.
- As long as the prince waits patiently and does nothing foolish, he will in time succeed to the throne.
- [Note that, while "fail in" is analogous to "fail to"—they both have to do with not being successful—"succeed in" is not analogous to "succeed to"; the first relates to *success*, and the second refers to *succession*; where someone assumes (takes) a role left empty by another's death or departure.]
- 3
- After the reorganization at work put him under Jim Barnes as manager, Grace quickly applied for a transfer to another department.
  - Don't apply to them for a job! I can hire you here, and you can make more money.
  - The following rules apply to all maintenance staff.
  - He carefully applied the medicine to his infected toes every morning and evening, according to the doctor's orders.
  - Apply yourself diligently to this daily practice routine, and I guarantee you'll find your skills steadily improving.

- 4
- I went into the office Saturday morning to check my email.
  - She has already entered into her full professorship at the college.
  - We went in and took our seats five minutes before the concert started.
- 5
- She offered the house for 10 million dollars (NT).
  - I offered 8 million dollars for the house.
  - He offered me the house for 12 million dollars (NT).
  - I offered him 10 million dollars for the house.
- 6
- This company abounds in remarkably talented people.
- = This company abounds with remarkably talented people.
- [NOTE: First, word “abounds” is very rarely used. 99% of the time you find it in middling-quality nature documentaries. If you insist on using it, it would be best to avoid the first formulation given in the Far East book: “<something> abounds in/on <someplace>.” The second formulation (shown in example here) is a little more natural-sounding.]

### Unit 07

- 1
- He wants to create a completely new kind of service. I think it's a good idea, and we should help him with that.
- = He wants to create a completely new kind of service. I think it's a good idea, and we should help him to achieve it.
- The closer she gets to the date of her wedding, the more I can't help thinking she's making a big mistake.
- 2
- Who knows what he wants?
  - What my mother would like is an apology.
  - I care very much what they think about this.
  - Fortunately, I really don't care much about what the robbers took.
  - Everybody heard what he said, and everybody was shocked beyond reckoning.

- 3
- I sincerely wish that he finds what he's looking for.
  - = I sincerely wish he finds what he's looking for.
  - = I sincerely wish him to find what he's looking for.
  - = I sincerely hope that he finds what he's looking for.
  - = I sincerely hope he finds what he's looking for.
  - She wishes to see her grandfather one more time before it's too late.
  - = She hopes to see her grandfather one more time before it's too late.
- [NOTE: While the above seems to show that "wish" is the same as "hope", the reality is that while they're close—and the above expressions are almost completely interchangeable—the words "wish" and "hope" are, of course, not exactly equivalent.]
- 4
- If she leaves now, my father will be very disappointed.
  - If Brad came, I wouldn't be surprised.
  - = If Brad should come, I wouldn't be surprised.
  - = If Brad were to come, I wouldn't be surprised.
  - If Brad had come, I wouldn't have been surprised.
  - If brains were dynamite, he wouldn't be able to blow the wax out of his ears.
  - If good intentions were gold, he'd be a millionaire.
- 5
- I will allow them to dig on our property, if they sign some papers from my lawyer.
  - They allow swimming, but only during certain designated hours.
  - We allowed their expressing challenging opinions, but eventually excused them so we could continue our meeting in peace.

Unit 08

- 1
  - Someone should warn him of that company's history of abusive labor practices.
  - = Someone should warn him about that company's history of abusive labor practices.
  - = Someone should warn him that this company has a history of abusive labor practices.
  - = Someone should warn him to avoid that company because of its history of abusive labor practices.
  - = Someone should warn him not to work for that company because of its history of abusive labor practices.
  - = Someone should warn him against that company because of its history of abusive labor practices.
- 2
  - Allowing for traffic delays, he should be here in about an hour.
  - = He should be here in about an hour, allowing for traffic delays.
  - = He should, allowing for traffic delays, be here in about an hour.
  - Having seen the movie before (and not particularly liking it), he offered to meet us in the coffee shop in 90 minutes.
  - Given as he was to fits of depression, he didn't respond well to this bad news.
  - = He didn't respond well to this bad news, given as he was to fits of depression.
  - Completely taken by her grace and charm, he asked her if she'd like to pose for a painting.
- 3
  - We were surprised at the cool way he took the news of winning the Nobel Prize in Literature.
  - He was surprised to discover that his wife had enrolled for a pottery class.
  - I'm surprised that you think so poorly of him; I think he's an honest, smart fellow.

- 4
- I'm very eager to meet this new friend of yours.
  - ≈ I'm very anxious to meet this new friend of yours.
  - We're all very eager for serious political change in this town.
  - ≈ We're all very anxious for serious political change in this town.
  - I've been longing to eat my mother's cooking for the last half year!
  - = I've been yearning to eat my mother's cooking for the last half year!
  - = I've been longing for my mother's cooking for the last half year!
  - = I've been yearning for my mother's cooking for the last half year!
- 5
- Believe me; he's worthy of all the praise heaped on him over his handling of this matter.
  - I think your article is worthy to print. Submit it.
  - = I think your article is worthy of being printed. Submit it.
  - = I think your article is worthy to be printed. Submit it.
  - = I think your article is worthy of being printed. Submit it.
  - = I think your article is worth printing. Submit it.
  - I think this earache is worth a trip to the emergency room.

- 6
- The mugger relieved me of my wallet, my watch, and my wedding ring.
- ≈ The mugger robbed me of my wallet, my watch, and my wedding ring.
- The doctor was able to cure me of that nasty cough.
  - His brother's failure to call and tell him what happened bereft him of even the words to express his disappointment.
- = His brother's failure to call and tell him what happened deprived him of even the words to express his disappointment.
- For the next couple of months, his broken leg will deprive him of his regular livelihood. He'll have to find some other way to make money until he can walk again.
- [NOTE: "Bereft"—the Simple Past/Past Participle of "bereave"—is difficult to use and is probably best avoided. Note the better substitution of "deprived" above. In the U.S.A., literary prose may refer to someone who has lost a loved one to death as "beveaved," or "bereft." It can be used in other instances (as shown above), but should probably be avoided.]

### Unit 09

- 1
- I know it's a hassle, but you need to fill out a form to borrow tools from this toolshed.
  - Before starting the test, be sure to fill in your name at the top of the paper.
- 2
- He subscribes to *National Review*, so you have a pretty good idea where he stands, politically.
  - I subscribe to the principle that all persons in a self-respecting democratic republic—from the President to the common street vendor—have to obey the law.
  - Very few people subscribe to these kinds of views, but I think they should be covered in the major media.

- 3
- They gave five or six reasons for their concern, all of which are worthy of consideration.
  - They gave five or six reasons for their concern, some of which are worthy of consideration, anyway.
  - They gave five or six reasons for their concern, only one of which deserves serious consideration, in my opinion.
  - They gave five or six reasons for their concern, none of which were worthy of serious consideration, in my opinion.
  - They gave two reasons for their concern, both of which are worthy of serious consideration, in my opinion.
  - They gave two reasons for their concern, one of which is worthy of serious consideration, in my opinion.
  - They gave two reasons for their concern, neither of which are worthy of serious consideration, in my opinion.
- [NOTE: That last usage—“*neither* of [two things]”—is not covered by Joy’s treatment of the partitive, and I usually touch on it in class.]
- 4
- We’re supposed to wear a suit and tie to work. I don’t like it, so I’m going to dress a little more casually and see if they say anything.
- ≈ We’re expected to wear a suit and tie to work. I don’t like that, but I guess I just have to swallow my pride and do it.
- ≈ We’re required to wear a suit and tie to work. I don’t like it, but I really have no choice.
- 5
- All the family except my youngest brother was there.
  - Except for the some of the decor, this is a perfect restaurant.
  - I don’t know what he’s planning to do except that he’s taking the HSR to Kaoshaung tomorrow.
  - Besides some of his peculiar table manners, he was a charming dinner guest.
  - Besides that one complaint, I’m generally happy with the service.
  - There was no one from my family at the meeting besides me.
  - = Besides me, there was no one from my family at the meeting.

- 1
  - This kind of behavior is looked down on by decent people everywhere.
  - = This kind of behavior is looked down upon by decent people everywhere.
  - I chanced to look down and noticed my shoe was untied.
  - We looked down into the Grand Canyon.
  - He really looks up to his brother.
  - I had to admit that I didn't know, so I grabbed the dictionary and looked it up. He was right; the correct word is "amenable," not "aimable."
- 2
  - The speech, which had been intended for the expected defeat, was tossed out, and she immediately began work on the new one.
  - The intended to come, but news of their father's accident changed all their plans.
  - Many people at the time said that he was destined for greatness.
  - I really can't understand why people are so puzzled. I always thought Mark was destined to excell in academics.
- 3
  - I saw him walk into the bank.
  - = I saw him walking into the bank.
  - I heard he went to Austrailia to study English.
  - I often hear him talk about movies.
  - = I often hear him talking about movies.
  - My father was seen to leave before the show was over.
  - = My father was seen leaving before the show was over.
  - My mother was heard to say that she didn't believe a word of it.
  - = My mother was heard saying that she didn't believe a word of it.
- 4
  - Some kid playing baseball in the street broke the window.
  - I saw someone leaving the meeting early.
  - People easily given to anger over wrongdoing shouldn't consider becoming public safety officers (policemen/policewomen).
  - People taken by surprise by this kind of official skulduggery are politically naïve.



- 5
- A helmet can protect you from serious head injuries.
  - = A helmet can protect you against serious head injuries.
  - = A helmet can preserve your head from serious injuries.
  - = A helmet can preserve your head against serious injuries.
  - = A helmet can prevent serious head injuries from happening.
  - = A helmet can prevent against serious head injuries.
  - = A helmet can stop serious head injuries from happening.
  - She was prohibited from entering the restricted area.
  - = She was prohibited against entering the restricted area.
- [NOTE: Please notice the difference between “prevent...from” and “prevent against.” Also note there is no “stop ...against” sample above; I couldn’t think of one.]
- 6
- The bamboo pole was about 4 meters long.
  - = The bamboo pole was about 4 meters in length.
  - He’s 186 centimeters tall.
  - = He’s 186 centimeters in height.
  - The pool is 2 meters deep at this end.
  - = The pool is 2 meters in depth at this end.
  - Jade Mountain is 3,952 meters high.
  - = Jade Mountain is 3,952 meters in height.
  - The icing on the cake was a centimeter thick!
  - = The icing on the cake was a centimeter in thickness!
  - I later found out that the woman was 92 years old!
  - = I later found out that the woman was 92 years of age!
  - At its widest point, the Grand Canyon is 24 kilometers wide.
  - = At its widest point, the Grand Canyon is 24 kilometers in width.
  - The Giant Sequoia tree, in California, can grow to be up to 28 meters around, at the base.
  - = The Giant Sequoia tree, in California, can grow to be up to 28 meters in girth, at the base.

Unit 11

- 1
  - Her new boyfriend is ten times nicer than Reggie!
  - His balloon was three times bigger than hers.
  - He's only half as sure of his success today as he was yesterday.
  - Our project took three times as much money to complete as we had originally budgeted.
  - People had brought three times the amount of food we needed for the party!
  
- 2
  - All you have to do is call, and I'll come help you.
  - = All that you have to do is call, and I'll come help you.
  - Jim knows that what he has to do is pay his debt and then he can wash his hands of that whole mess.
  - = Jim knows that what he has to do is to pay his debt and then he can wash his hands of that whole mess.
  - The only thing we have to do at this point is wait.
  - = The only thing that we have to do at this point is wait.
  
- 3
  - We don't have a lot of time; you should probably just get what looks good, and do it quickly.
  - = We don't have a lot of time; you should probably just get whatever looks good, and do it quickly.
  - We don't have a lot of time; you should just get your mother whatever looks tasteful and not too expensive, and do it quickly.
  - Whatever floats your boat!
  - What often seems right to you isn't necessarily what's right for everybody.
  - I'm willing to go with whatever he thinks is right.
  - = I'm willing to accept whatever he thinks is right.
  
- 4
  - They're selling excellent New Zealand apples at the corner market really cheap, by the kilo.
  - He estimates the value of your house by taking recent local home sales in your area, determining a by-the-square-meter rate, and applying that rate to your house.
  - We can deliver the DVD, though it's not free: We charge a small fee, by the kilometer.

- 5
- It's high time to head out to lunch.
  - = It's high time for us to head out to lunch.
  - It's high time that she should get out and get a job.
  - = It's high time that she get out and get a job.
  - = It's high time that she got out and got a job.
  - It's high time that we took our heads out the sand and faced this situation head on.
- 6
- He curled up in a doorway and died with nothing but the clothes on his back.
  - Everyone knows that restaurant has a Key Lime Pie to die for.
  - The report said she died from pneumonia, but her family and confidants understood this was a complication of AIDS.
  - He died quietly in the company of his immediate family.

Unit 12

- 1
- I don't think red bean flavored ice cream could ever catch on in the U.S.A.
  - It took a couple of minutes for the kids in class to catch on to the new game. But once they caught on, it took off like wildfire.
  - Sorry about the tear in my pants; they caught on a fence I was walking near on my way to work.
  - His tongue caught on a few of the more difficult words, but I think that with a little bit of training, he'll become an excellent reader for the blind.

- 2
- We've been having him over for dinner a lot lately.
  - We had them neatly in our little trap.
  - They had me stunned, for a moment.
  - We had her begging us for mercy.
  - Don't mess with that; I'll call an electrician in the morning and have it done.
  - I will never have it said that I never lifted a finger to help my fellow man.
- = I will never have it be said that I never lifted a finger to help my fellow man.
- I had the dry cleaner get that nasty stain out of my best pants.
  - Remember; if you need to get a package to someone in town, fast, feel free to have one of the secretaries deliver it for you.
- 3
- This official foreign policy position goes all the way back to a time many years before the first republic.
- = This official foreign policy position can be traced back to a time many years before the first republic.
- The phone company was able to trace the phone call back to a phone booth downtown.

- 4
- No matter what he says, I assure you I had nothing to do with the missing keys.  
= Whatever he says, I assure you I had nothing to do with the missing keys.
  - No matter who they hire, I just keep doing the best job I can do.  
= Whoever they hire, I just keep doing the best job I can do.
  - No matter whom she plans to see, government health insurance will cover at least the basic services.  
= Whomever she plans to see, government health insurance will cover at least the basic services.
  - No matter whose cake this is, it's been in my refrigerator for 2 days, so I think I'm entitled the right to take a little piece!  
= Whosever cake this is, it's been in my refrigerator for 2 days, so I think I'm entitled the right to take a little piece!
  - No matter which road you take, we'll get there as long as we keep bearing northeast.  
= Whichever road you take, we'll get there as long as we keep bearing northeast.
  - No matter where you go, remember to keep in touch.  
= Wherever you go, remember to keep in touch.
  - No matter when they get here, we have to be ready to feed and provide beds for them.  
= Whenever they get here, we have to be ready to feed and provide beds for them.
  - No matter how you feel about it, you're going to need to be ready to respond to your mother's next medical emergency.  
= However you feel about it, you're going to need to be ready to respond to your mother's next medical emergency.

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- That's where I went to elementary school.
  - = That's the place where I went to elementary school.
  - That's how your mother and I met.
  - = That's the way your mother and I met.
  - = That's the way that your mother and I met.
  - That's why she wants to help us at this difficult time.
  - = That's the reason why she wants to help us at this difficult time.
  - That's when everyone should jump out of hiding and yell,  
"Surprise!"
  - = That's the time when everyone should jump out of hiding and  
yell, "Surprise!"