

معانى الكلمات بالانجليزى قراءة

Vocabulary Definitions

مجموعة مفردات اللغة

The !Kung people of Namibia: a tribe native to southern Africa

To live up to: to achieve a goal or value in one's personal life

Ochre: a kind of clay or mineral that is orange-yellow in color

The Peace Corps is a volunteer organization created by U.S. President John F. Kennedy. Peace Corps volunteers go to developing countries to do volunteer work in the fields of education, health, agriculture, and technology.

Abuelito = grandfather for Spanish

Esta muerto = Spanish for "He is dead"

Spears = The author is probably referring to calla lilies. These long, white, slender flowers are often used in death ceremonies in Mexico.

in the long run: over a long period of time

primary care: general, or non-specialized medical care

to stick to: persist or commit to doing something for a long period of time

The 100 meter event: A foot race of a short distance

To top of: To accomplish a goal in a way that exceed minimum requirement

The anchor leg: A position on a relay race

A relay race: A race in which runners pass a baton to another runner who then continues the race

Vincent: The narrator's brother

Life Savers: A kind of candy

Captured men: In chess, when a player takes the opponent's piece, that piece is called a "captured man"

Check: When a person wins a game of chess, he say "check"

Exhibition games: Practice games before the real tournament

To bite back one's tongue: to keep quiet when one wants to speak

Yawning: large and open

Foreign tongue: a foreign language

Sounds that seemed to gurgle from its belly: low bubbling sounds came from deep inside the school

¿cómo te llamas?: Spanish for What's your name?

Tortilla: a kind of bread commonly used in Mexico

La tristeza de la vida: Spanish for the sadness of life

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