

[1] Before We Start...

What is the meaning of the Japanese phrase “*nasake wa hito no tame narazu*”?

[2] Definitions:

bona fide

psychic

telepathic

absolutely

trivia

the face you show

yet

tenderness

value

goodwill

resonate

wavelength

attract

certainly

[3] Watch the presentation**[4] Read the text**

IT COMES AROUND

Unless you're a bona fide psychic or else telepathic, you have no way of seeing when and how things you do or say will come back to you. One thing however, is certain. Things absolutely do boomerang back.

Some little useless trivia or information about something that it seems only two people on the entire planet would be interested in, could lead to something very important in your life tomorrow, or seven years from today. A small act of kindness that you do this afternoon might come back to you in five months as some fantastic opportunity.

No one knows exactly how life will send back to you the face you show it. Yet in the long run, it always comes back to you.

The good, the value, the care that you put into life becomes the good, the value and the care that you experience from life. The more tenderness, goodwill and hope that you give, the more tenderness, goodwill and hope you are able to know.

Remember that the words that you speak do not end when they simply come out of your mouth, and that your actions do not stop when you have finished doing them. Your words and actions travel out into the universe and start to connect you with the people, situations and things that resonate with your words and actions. Same wavelengths attract.

Live your life knowing that the things that you learn and experience, say and do, will in some way, surely return to you because they certainly will.

Think about: Most religions and philosophies teach this same concept. Why?

[5] Circle the correct word:

- Bona fide psychics [*know* / *don't know*] the future.
- Things absolutely [*do* / *do not*] boomerang back to us.
- Something that you said to someone [*yesterday* / *tomorrow*] could change that person's life ten years in the future.
- If you did a [*nice* / *bad*] thing for someone on a train, someone will do a nice thing for you. Maybe not on a train, but surely somewhere and someday.
- Our words and actions [*resonate* / *do not resonate*] so things can happen in faraway places.

[6] Phrase match:

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| A. a small | _____ return to you |
| B. what you do or say | _____ you put into something |
| C. lead to | _____ something very important |
| D. the care | _____ will come back to |
| E. will surely | _____ act of kindness |

[7] Listen and fill in the blanks:

A _____ _____ kindness that you do this afternoon might come back to you in five months as _____ opportunity. No one knows _____ how life will send back to you _____ it. Yet in the _____, it always comes back to you.

TODAY'S ASSIGNMENT

In pairs or in a small group, answer or do the following:

1. For the 4 words/phrases below, write meanings in English + write an original sentence that includes that word. Make good sentences!

boomerang back

in the long run

same wavelengths

resonate

2. Do you believe that psychics really exist? Have you ever met one? What's the difference between a psychic and a fortune teller? Do you consult fortune tellers? Do you read your fortune in magazines? Do you believe in fortune telling? Write answers for each of these questions.

3. Think of at least one real-life situation in your life where something you did or said came back to you in an unexpected way.

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