

ENJOY ENGLISH

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ENJOY ENGLISH STORY OF THE WEEK— THE MOUNTAIN

Kevin began climbing mountains as a **teenager**. When he decided that it was time to get married, he found a woman who shared his **passion** for **heights** and adventure. For the **honeymoon**, they climbed Mt. McKinley, the tallest mountain in the United States. During the next 3 years, they reached the **peaks** of many other mountains together. After 3 years, Kevin's wife gave birth to a beautiful baby girl and there was suddenly very little time to climb mountains. Last year, some friends invited Kevin to climb Mount Everest, the highest peak in the world. Kevin wanted to go but his wife was very **nervous** about the idea...

What do you think?

1. What was the best decision for Kevin to make?
2. How would you feel if you were Kevin's wife?
3. Is it ok to take risks in life? What are some good risks to take?
4. Have you ever taken a risk before?
5. What is one risk that you would never take?

T.S. Elliot said:

"Only those who will risk going too far can possibly find out how far they can go."



Learn the Words

Teenager—A person who is 13-19 years old.

Passion— Really enjoying or loving something.

Heights—A place above (usually high above) where you are standing.

Honeymoon—A special vacation for a newly married couple.

Peak— The top of something; a mountain or hill for example.

Nervous —Worried, not comfortable, fearful of something or someone.



ENGLISH WORD OF THE WEEK

Perception

How you think about something compared to what other people think.

For Example:

Your perception of love is different than mine because you are younger

ENGLISH EXPRESSION OF THE WEEK

Get the Sack

How to Use:

We use this to describe what happens when someone gets fired from their place of employment.

Example:

Since John got the sack on Friday, our company will be hiring a new engineer to replace him.

ENGLISH TIDBITS OF THE WEEK

Did You Know?



47

That is the number of teeth that a mosquito has.

The Bible is the best-selling book in world history.

Riddle of the Week

LOL!

What goes up but never goes down?

Look for the answer in next week's *Enjoy English!*

Last week's Answer:

None. A hole is empty.

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