## [episode 16]

Cooper: My parents are going abroad this Christmas. I'd like to throw a Christmas party at my place.

May: Our parents gave us the green light already!

Nana: How many people are you thinking of inviting?

Cooper: The living room is big. There'd be no problem with 20 people.

Dean: Is the party in the evening?

Cooper: Of course, but everyone's welcome to come over in the afternoon.

Nana: Wow, we need to prepare quite a lot then, snacks, drinks, desserts.

May: We can get it catered. Let's have Chinese and Western cuisine.

Dean: What kind of entertainment do you have in mind?

Cooper: May, could you play the violin?

May: Sure, but you have to accompany me on the piano.

Cooper: No problem! Should we have a theme for the party?

May: Hmmm, a theme party. I like that idea!

Nana: In Western cultures, Christmas is a time for families to be together.

Cooper: Right, it's not a time to go wild.

Dean: When in Rome, I can do as the Romans do. Let me take charge of the

decorations and lighting.

May: I'll be responsible for the music. Once I decide on that, you can coordinate the decorations.

Nana: How about if we match the music with a certain slogan, and then everyone dresses in a way to fit that?

May: Right! Of course right! This year it'll be "young women of elegance and grace."

Dean: Young women of elegance and grace? Where will their gentlemen be?

Cooper: I think "elegance and grace" is enough. Don't doll yourself up like a

Christmas tree. After all, we're all 20 years old.

Nana: The lights will be elegant. It'll be fun!. It's a great idea!

Dean: I'm looking forward to seeing an elegant and graceful May, the light of the party!

May: Go right ahead and look forward to it!

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