

LANGUAGE FOR LIFE: CONVERSATIONS

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C: I don't _____ if I want to _____ it ... I mean, I do, but then ...

B: Oh, come on, it's not such a _____ deal, is it?

I mean, everybody does it even my mom has _____.

C: Yeah, but the _____ is, once you get one, there's no going _____ ...

You know, what's done is _____ and all that ...

B: Ah, yes, sorry, I obviously hadn't thought through all the possible _____.

I mean, this could _____ a truly life-changing _____, couldn't it?

C: Oh, stop! It's just that, you know, once it's there, I can't _____ rid of it, you know?

And what if I decide I don't like it _____?

B: Well, you'll just have to _____ with the consequences, I guess!

But no, seriously, I think it'll look _____ good. Go for it. Go ahead. You know you want to!

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M: So, have you had a _____ to think _____ it?

A: Yeah, but the thing is, I keep going around and around in _____ ...

I mean, you know, it's a big _____.

M: It certainly is. I mean, you know, it's the next four years of your life ... and not only that ... it will _____ what choices you have afterwards as well ... but remember, it isn't the end of the world if you choose one and then decide it isn't for you ... Lots of people _____ their minds, you know. I think you have to go for the choice that you feel happiest with now – what feels best for you right now.

A: Yes, I suppose you're _____ ...

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A: I've been thinking about _____ you said ... you know ... how I should stop dithering all the time ... how I should learn to be _____ assertive ... stand up for myself and all that ...

R: ... and?

A: Well, I've made _____ my _____ ... I'm going to tell them tomorrow!

R: You mean, you're _____ going to resign?

A: Yep, that's right! At long last!

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P: It's a _____ honor ...

I'm very flattered that you think I'm _____ ... but I need _____ to think about it ...

S: Look, _____ don't _____ sleep on it? ...

Talk to your _____ about it. You can let us know tomorrow ...

P: OK, thanks. I will. I'll call you first thing in the morning. Once I've had a chance to think things over ... I mean, it really is a great honor ... but, you're right, I need to talk to my wife about it.

S: That's fine ... we understand. It's a big _____.

P: OK, thank you. I'll call you in the _____.