

## 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 \_\_\_\_\_.