

ENGLISH INTRODUCTIONS

1. Time may fly , days may pass but memories of the events which transpired on 15 December 2019 had lingered in my mind and they still have a permanent place there.
2. The clouds above me were now as black as tar and the rain had increased from a drizzle to a down pour. Lightning shot down like someone slicing the curtain with the point of a knife. A terrific rumble of thunder rampaged overhead. It was on ----
3. It was extremely hot, the sky was clear and on its background, the hot sun was very distinct. Chamaida walked across the fields sweating oblivious of the heat.
4. The sky was partly cloudy; the wind was blowing softly from the east to the west promising to be a wonderful day which indeed turned out to be as I attended a wedding celebration.
5. Light showers of rain were experienced here and there. Birds on the other side were heard singing their usual melodious songs promising to be a great day which indeed turned out to be.
6. If there is a day I will want to quickly rub off my memories, it is Tuesday 14 July 2019 when my parents and I went shopping/ when I celebrated my sixth birthday.
7. Friday 12 December 2019 left unforgettable memories in my life which I will live to remember for the rest of my life.
8. Wednesday 31 January 2019 will remain ringing in my mind as it is a day which left great memories in my life. On this day I attended my sister Rumbidzai's wedding ceremony.
9. From the very moment I jumped out of my bed a great feeling gripped my soul and I could sense a great / wonderful day ahead .It indeed turned out to be as I celebrated my brother's wedding .
10. If there is a day I will live to cherish and live to remember for the rest of my life, it is the day when I received a token of appreciation on our prize giving day ceremony.

11. It will take me ages if not decades to completely rub off memories of the last/first week of June 2010 which I would like to rank as one of my best days in the entire history of my life.
12. I could sense it the moment I jumped out of my bed that something great would happen. Indeed that same day I received interesting news that I would be a bride maid/groom on my aunt's wedding.

INTRODUCTIONS OF SAD MEMORIES

13. If there is a day I will want to quickly rub off my mind, it is the last Tuesday of June 2019 when I witnessed a terrible/ horrific road accident which will take me ages if not decades to completely forget.
14. Had I known the horror that had awaited me on this fateful day , I would have just called off a journey to Macheke which was unfortunately already scheduled .On this particular day , I witnessed one of the worst road accident which I will want to quickly forget .
15. Wednesday 5 November 2019 left terrible memories in the history of my life which I would want to quickly rub off my mind. On this particular day even the weather was unfavourable as heavy rains were pouring from dawn without any signs of stopping.
16. Had I taken note of an unusual feeling that gripped me the very moment I jumped out of my bed, I would have just cancelled off an already scheduled journey to Mutorashanga which is my home area.
17. Deep inside her heart, Ruth could feel a sensation. Whether it was a pain , grief or fear she could not tell. Whatever it was, she found it devastating that for the third time she cried bitterly.
18. The day itself resembled hell as it was gloomy all day. On 11 June I was attacked by a bull.
19. "come here! ," roared the man with a thunderous voice. "Why are they coming to our world? "Echoed the voices all over the forest. I was in the middle of a mysterious dark forest which gave the place an evil look.
20. Darkness gathered slowly, menacing figures seemed to emerge from every tree and shrub. A distance away, thunderous roars of approaching night were heard. They echoed in a nearby hill.
21. It will be very difficult for me to completely forget the sad memories of 5 July

2004 when I received shocking and disturbing about my aunt's death . She had been ill for quite some time.

22. How I regret having ignored the strange feelings that gripped me early morning of 5 July 2014. On this day I received sad news about the death of my uncle.

23. Strange feelings gripped my soul the moment I woke up on Friday 10 May 2014. I could sense that something terrible would happen indeed. I witnessed one of the worst road accidents later that day which left many people dead and others seriously injured.

24. It will take me decades and decades to completely forget the sad memories of the last Saturday of May 2011 which keep on ringing in my mind. That day I witnessed a terrible accident . Many families were left crying for their beloved ones who had perished in this fatal accident.

25. I opened my eyes and saw blood cascading down my cheeks . I trembled tremendously with trepidation and my heart pounded as if it was electrically driven . It even palpitated as if it was going to come out of its rib cage leaving me with intense frustration.

26. What had promised to be a seemingly bad day soon turned out to be a lovely one when---

27. The sun rose gently and like a pair of scissors cut the blanket of dawn into invisible fragment. I got ready for---

28. I jumped out of bed , sleepy eyed, reluctant and stifle limbed from a previous hard work. However I still had to go for---

29. It was bitterly cold and frost lay scattered on the ground like clusters of silver beads. The damp morning mist hung early like ghost around us. I hesitated to go ---

30. Birds shrilled while crickets chirruped. Not to be undone, frogs also blasted out their terrible music to herald a new day. Annoyed by the noise, I reluctantly woke up and got ready for-----

31. Birds filled the air and occasional rustling of animal life could be heard. Streams spurted out of new cracks cascading down slope. It was now evident that we were at the village.

32. By merely looking at our village / country/Nyanga , one can safely say, "Nature paints better than my artist".

33. The old ram shackled bus finally sprang into life after a sputter, cough and a wheeze. It shook, quivered and finally hobbled its way forward. We were travelling to---

34. Thursday 10 May 2012 left a black spot in the history of my life which is taking too long to clear as I received sad news of my sister's untimely death.

CONCLUSIONS

35. It will take me a decade to forget this wonderful day.

36. The event left a black mark in the history of my life.

37. I will never forget the events which took place on that day.

38. I returned home contented/discontented with what had transpired on that day. "Thank you lord I escaped", I said to myself.

39. It will be difficult for me to forget 9 March 2013, a day I will want to rank as one of my best days

40. If there is a day I will want to live to cherish for the rest of my life ,It is the first Friday of June 2014. On this day I celebrated my birthday.

OTHER EXPRESSIONS

41. They hung their heads like leaves on a tree.

42. My heart pounded vigorously like feet of marching soldiers.

43. My heart slipped a beat

44. My heart leapt to my throat

45. My heart raced at different speeds.

46. The noise was like a forceful roar of a might waterfall.

47. The power of her/his word could knock down an elephant.