

Earth, the Nourishing Mother

大地，哺育的母親

Azure sky is embedded with fluffy clouds. Taiwan is situated in fault area with lots of crust movement resulting in devastating earthquakes. Typhoons flood towns and homes. But just as dramatic, rich landscapes with high mountains and plains nourishing rich geological system, natural resources provide the population with abundant and energetic spaces. Let's bring healthy, happy lives for the land and the people!

Green hills and turquoise water, what a flush paradise. In the springtime, flowers blossom all over the island; in winter, migrating birds bring delights to the countryside. The rugged coastline creates beautiful reef rock. The classical and literature wealth in towns profuse the minds. This beautiful island is not only the place for healthy body, it also provides mental fragrance cure to the mind.

Depending on this piece of land, we stand up in times of difficulties. The richness of this tiny island is the source of endless liveliness of Taiwan.

O Formosa, the beautiful island stands upon wavy ocean. A land of diseases in old times, it is now the beautiful island with brilliant sunshine!

藍天如洗，白雲若絮。雖然台灣地處地殼經常運動的斷層帶，地震總帶給我們驚嚇；還有颱風，水災也常淹沒我們的城鎮與家鄉，但是，正如台灣陡起與陡落的豐富地形，高山與平原，千迴百轉，孕育著豐富的生態，自然資源提供給島嶼的子民充沛活力的生活空間。讓土地與人，健康自在的活出自我的生命！

青山碧水，綠野仙蹤。在春天，島嶼繁花盛開鬧繽紛；在冬天，候鳥來棲見野趣；海岸地形嶙峋多采，造就美麗的礁岩；鄉鎮古典的人文丰采豐富心靈。這個美麗島嶼，不僅是身體的舒展所在，也是心靈的經絡芳療。

藉由這片土地的依賴，我們得以在困境中不斷站起來，這樣蕞爾小島的富饒，就是台灣無窮生命力的泉源！

娑婆之洋，美麗之島，古云瘴癘地，今之豐盈陽光美麗島！



Paces of life in Taiwan have become faster and faster when economic conditions take flight.

台灣的經濟起飛，生活步調逐漸加速起來。





In the bustling MRT stations, fast and convenient transportation networks make people safer and more convenient.

捷運站裡人們熙來攘往，便捷的交通網使人們更安全方便。



Teenagers playing skateboard,
enjoy as much of their youth.

藍天下青少年隨著滑板飛上青
天，恣意的揮灑汗水。



The elderly enjoy hot spring bath in Peitou.

北投溫泉浴場內，老人家們則在冬日裡享受暖呼呼的溫泉。



Children play on top of salt mountains in Chigu, Tainan.

台南七股鹽場內，兒童們在堆積如山的鹽山上嬉戲。



Visitors play with sheep in the Ching-ching Farm on holidays.

假日中，清境農場裡，遊客逗弄著可愛的綿羊。





Thousands of people swimming across the Sun Moon Lake in September or October is the carnival on water in the mountains. They swim like fish in the water.

每年九或十月，萬人泳渡日月潭是台灣山中的水上嘉年華，人如魚群，紛紛鑽入水中。



Children toss balloons into the gold shaded sky in the Fishermen's Wharf in Tamshui, Taipei.

台北淡水漁人碼頭上，小朋友在夕陽下將手中氣球拋向金黃色天際。



In the brilliant Lantern Festival, people set sky lanterns hoping for prosperity and happiness for the people and the nation. People of Taiwan cherish this land that nourishes them.

元月十五鬧元宵，在炫爛活動中，以天燈祈求國泰民安。
台灣的人民，珍愛這塊哺育他們的土地。

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