

第 75 篇 [描述一熟悉情景] [Describ a Familiar Scene ]

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Describe a familiar scene (your bedroom, neighborhood or regular vacation spot) from a different person's perspective (friend, relative or neighbor)

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My wife and I are living in one of the five units of a condominium each of which has about 1400 square foot excluding the double car garage. It has two stories above ground and one story underground for the garage and a storage room. The first floor is a typical set of family room, dining room, study room, kitchen and a toilet. The second floor includes three bedrooms, a den and two bathrooms. Since we moved in, my wife has been using the downstairs study room for reading, check writing, book keeping and miscellaneous work, and I using the upstairs den and one of the two guest bed rooms as my study space (also called work shop) mostly on reading and writing. A part of the time, we both stay in the family room watching TV and or chatting.

There are some features of my dwelling space. In addition to those hang-ups on walls like paintings, photos, trophies and calendars, I put some calligraphies and many maps including those of the world, America, China, Taiwan, Hunan and my native city Liling. There are eight bookshelves in my house, four in the garage, and two in her study room two my workshop. Six grab bars are on walls not including the two in the bathtubs to facilitate my wife to move since she was sick two years ago.

I name my second floor study space as "work shop" because it is installed with copy machine, fax machine, printers, scanners, drafting tools, beside two PCs with one as a standby or showing reference information when another on writing. The above outfit makes me productive. Since my wife was sick two years ago, I cannot spend too much time upstairs leaving her alone down. I installed a router on my computer and a wireless laptop on the dining room and use the dining table doing a lot of my writing and reading. My wife sometimes jokes me taking too much room in my house but knowing that is for her good. We have radio, music set and karaoke that were used several years ago to entertain gusts and amuse ourselves. They are no long used today.