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# MAZATECO PEDAGOGICAL GRAMMAR

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#### LESSON I

hello

a<sup>3</sup> to 4?oa<sup>42</sup>nta<sup>3</sup> how are you?

to 4?oa<sup>42</sup>nta<sup>3</sup> I'm fine.

a<sup>3</sup> ja<sup>3</sup>ja<sup>2</sup>?ao<sup>43</sup> Have you (pl.) come (back)?

ja<sup>3</sup> ja<sup>2</sup>?ai<sup>4</sup> jin<sup>4</sup> Now we have come (back).

ja<sup>2</sup> ?ai<sup>4</sup> jin<sup>4</sup> We have come.

me<sup>3</sup> na<sup>3</sup> na<sup>3</sup>nta<sup>13</sup> I want water

lo<sup>2</sup> xa<sup>4</sup> oranges

3 = very brief 43 glile or dip. Or breatty 3 versus non breatty,

me<sup>3</sup>ena<sup>3</sup> na<sup>3</sup>nta<sup>13</sup> I want water

lo<sup>2</sup>xa<sup>4</sup> oranges

na<sup>4</sup>chja<sup>4</sup> bananas

xon<sup>4</sup> paper

yao<sup>34</sup> meat

xqui<sup>3</sup> medicine

#### VERB OBJECTS

-na<sup>3</sup> lst sing.

-l1<sup>2</sup> 2nd sing.

-le<sup>4</sup> 3rd sing. or plural

-na<sup>1</sup> lst pl. incl.

-na<sup>3</sup> jin<sup>4</sup> lst pl. excl.

4-no<sup>3</sup> 2nd Plural

(ni<sup>3</sup>)na<sup>1</sup>xa<sup>3</sup>ca<sup>2</sup>t?e<sup>1</sup>chji<sup>1</sup>\*li<sup>2</sup> thank you (let God pay you)
li<sup>2</sup>c?oa<sup>4</sup>\*jin<sup>2</sup>\*i<sup>3</sup> You're welcome (don't say that)

a3 s<sup>2</sup>a<sup>4</sup>ja<sup>2</sup>?ao<sup>43</sup> a<sup>2</sup>a<sup>4</sup>ja<sup>2</sup>?ai<sup>4</sup>-jin<sup>4</sup>

Have you just come?
We have just come.

#### LESSON II

me<sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> lo<sup>2</sup>xa<sup>4</sup> I want oranges

tjin<sup>1</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> " I have "

sa<sup>3</sup>sen<sup>1</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> " I like "

tsin<sup>2</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> " I don't have "

qui<sup>3</sup>sa<sup>3</sup>co<sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> " I found "

qui<sup>3</sup>cha<sup>3</sup>jin<sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> " I forgot "

ma<sup>3</sup>chjen<sup>1</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> " I need "

interrogative (a<sup>3</sup> tjin<sup>1</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> do you have?)

li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup> negative (li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup> me<sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> I don't want)

cjai nea<sup>3</sup> superlative (cjai nea<sup>3</sup> me<sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> I want very much)

a<sup>3</sup> lo<sup>2</sup>xa<sup>4</sup>-ni<sup>1</sup>

Is it an orange?

ti<sup>2</sup>fi<sup>3</sup>-nia<sup>13</sup>

I'm going.

jo<sup>1</sup> si<sup>3</sup>

What do you say?

jme<sup>1</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup>

What?

mai<sup>3</sup> or ma<sup>3</sup>jain<sup>2</sup>

No.

jaon<sup>3</sup>

Yes.

## LESSON III

li<sup>2</sup>e?oa<sup>4</sup>ni<sup>2</sup>coai<sup>4</sup>
c?oa<sup>4</sup>tao<sup>2</sup>
li<sup>2</sup>e?oa<sup>4</sup>-jin<sup>2</sup>si<sup>3</sup>
c?oa<sup>4</sup>-jin<sup>2</sup>
c?oa<sup>4</sup>-s?in<sup>2</sup>
c?oa<sup>4</sup>-s?in<sup>2</sup>
c?oa<sup>4</sup>-ti<sup>4</sup>?an<sup>34</sup>
t?in<sup>3</sup>/la<sup>2</sup>ntai<sup>3</sup>
ta<sup>3</sup>nqui/la<sup>2</sup>ntao<sup>3</sup>
li<sup>2</sup>e?oa<sup>4</sup>-jin<sup>2</sup> n?iain<sup>23</sup>
ja<sup>4</sup>xt?a/3-la<sup>2</sup>nca<sup>1</sup>

Don't touch it.

That's what it says.

Don't say that. You're welcome

Agreement

That's the way.

Me too.

Go well (sing.) (Que le vaya bien)

Go well (pl.)

Don't do that.

Goodbye.

#### LESSON IV

2 2	
jol-ni <sup>3</sup>	how?
3yal-ni <sup>3</sup>	who?
jme -ni <sup>3</sup>	What?
Jña <sup>1</sup> -ni <sup>3</sup>	Where?
al-ni <sup>3</sup>	Why?
e?ia <sup>l</sup> -ni <sup>3</sup>	When?
Jña <sup>1</sup> -le <sup>4</sup>	Which?

jo<sup>1</sup> tso<sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_\_ nca<sup>3</sup> cao<sup>4</sup> en<sup>13</sup> How do you say \_\_\_\_\_
in Mazateco?

jo<sup>1</sup> ?mi<sup>2</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> What is your name?

Sa<sup>2</sup>ra<sup>4</sup> ?mi<sup>2</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> My name is Sara.

# Lesson IV (cont.)

jo <sup>1</sup> tjin <sup>1</sup> ma <sup>3</sup> -ni <sup>3</sup>	How many are there?
jo tjin chji -le4	How much do they co
jo -la tjin ma -ni 3	How many do you sug
jme <sup>1</sup> xi <sup>3</sup> me <sup>3</sup> -li <sup>2</sup>	What do you want?
Pya xi <sup>3</sup> me <sup>3</sup> -le <sup>4</sup>	Who wants it?
ma-la 1e 2 xi me 3-li2	I wonder which you
Jha-le xi3 me3-li2	Which do you want?
jme <sup>1</sup> xi <sup>3</sup> tjin <sup>1</sup> -le <sup>4</sup>	What does he have?
?ya <sup>1</sup> xi <sup>3</sup> tjin <sup>1</sup> -le <sup>4</sup>	Who has it?
?ya <sup>l</sup> -la <sup>4</sup> xi <sup>3</sup> tjin <sup>l</sup> -le <sup>4</sup>	I wonder who has it
jnale xi3 sa3senl-li2	Which do you like?
jmel xi <sup>3</sup> qui <sup>3</sup> sa <sup>3</sup> co <sup>3</sup> -li <sup>2</sup>	What did you find?

any are there? ich do they cost? any do you suppose there are? lo you want? ents it? ler which you want? do you want? loes he have? as 1t? ier who has it? do you like?

 $10^3$ - $1a^2$ ni<sup>3</sup> Quien sabe? How it's done? ?ya1-1a2 who? jme1-1a2 what? e?1a3-1a2ve4 when? jna -la2 where?

## LESSON V

ime -sa3 Who else? ?yal-sa3 Who else?  $j_{na}^{\sim 1}-sa^{3}$ Where else? ma1-sa 1e4 Which else?

# LESSON V (cont)

11<sup>2</sup> jme<sup>3</sup> Nothing 11<sup>2</sup>?a<sup>3</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup> Just because 11<sup>2</sup>?ya<sup>3</sup>
11<sup>2</sup> jo<sup>#</sup>so<sup>2</sup> No one It doesn't mean anything. 11<sup>2</sup> jña<sup>3</sup> nowhere. a<sup>3</sup> me<sup>3</sup>-sa<sup>3</sup>li<sup>2</sup> Do you want more?  $me^3$ -as $^3$ na $^3$ I want more. tjin13-sa31e4 He has more. ma<sup>3</sup>chjen<sup>1</sup>-sa<sup>3</sup>li<sup>2</sup> You need more. qui sa co \*sa 3 le He found more. jok tso<sup>2</sup> cjes<sup>4</sup> joh tso<sup>2</sup> cjoa<sup>4</sup> How goe sit? li<sup>2</sup>jme<sup>3</sup> cjoa<sup>4</sup> tjin Nothing Is it nothing? a<sup>3</sup> li<sup>2</sup> ime<sup>3</sup> a3 c?oa4tso2 Is that the way it's said? jmel-sa3 xi3 qui3sa3co3-li2 What else did you find? jnal-sa3le4 xi3 qui3cha3jin3-li2 Which else did you fomet?

# POSSESSIVE ENCLITICS

-na <sup>4</sup>	my	•na our (incl.)
-114	your (sing.)	-na jin 4 our (excl.)
-le <sup>4</sup>	his, theirs	4-no <sup>3</sup> your (pl.)

#### LESSON VI

 $a^3$  tin<sup>1</sup>  $10^2$   $xa^4$ timl tsin<sup>2</sup> cjailnes3 tjin1 nta 3 tjin 1 2en 13 a3 ma3-1e4 2en13 c.1e3 ma3-11221e4  $ma^{3}$  inco<sup>3</sup>  $180^{2}$  -  $16^{4}$  $to^4 inco^3 iao^2 ma^3 - 1e^4$ to4 inco3 lao2ma3-na3 tin1 xi3 ma3-le4 na3scalna3c113na3 na<sup>3</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>na<sup>3</sup> cii<sup>3</sup> a3na3scalna3 cii3li2

Are there oranges? There are. There aren't any. There are a lot. Say " !" OK, that's good. Word, language Mazateco Does she know Mamateco? She doesn't know yet. She knows a little. I know a little. She knows some. It's pretty to me. It's pretty. Is it pretty to you?

# IN TEACHING READING

inalle4 je2 Which is that? jo<sup>1</sup> ?mi<sup>2</sup> je<sup>2</sup> What's that one called? li<sup>2</sup>co1<sup>3</sup>?ve<sup>3</sup> I don't know. jol/tso2 ya4 What does it day there? jottso2 je2 What does that say?

li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup> qui<sup>3</sup>cha<sup>3</sup>jin<sup>#3</sup>-le<sup>4</sup> xqui<sup>13</sup>-na<sup>4</sup> He didn't forget my medicine.

a<sup>3</sup> tjin<sup>1</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> lo<sup>2</sup>xa<sup>4</sup>-na<sup>4</sup> Do you have my orange?

# LESSON VI (Continued)

li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup> qui sa co<sup>3</sup> ma lo<sup>2</sup>xa na jin I didn't find our (excl.) orange.

jo<sup>1</sup> tjin<sup>1</sup> chji<sup>1</sup>-le<sup>4</sup> lo<sup>2</sup>xa<sup>4</sup>-le<sup>4</sup> how much do his oranges cost?

jol tjin mažni lo xa4-no How many of your (pl) oranges are there?

me<sup>3</sup>-sa<sup>3</sup>le<sup>4</sup> xon<sup>4</sup>-na<sup>4</sup> He wants more of my paper. a<sup>3</sup> qui<sup>3</sup>sa<sup>3</sup>co<sup>3</sup>-sa<sup>3</sup>no<sup>3</sup> na<sup>4</sup>chja<sup>4</sup>-na<sup>4</sup> Did you (ph.) find

more of my bananas?

cjailnes sa3senlele na chja4-no3 He likes your (pl)

bananas very much.

jol tiinl chiil-le4 lo2xa4 How much do oranges cost? jao2 nea3 aon2 2 for 5 te te sen 3 tao 23 10 cents each a tsi<sup>2</sup> coan jan<sup>2</sup> nca aon<sup>2</sup> What about 3 for 5? ch?aif Take them. jnco<sup>3</sup> taon<sup>4</sup> 12 cents 1862tean 25 cents no3 taon4 50 cents no taon cao te 60 cents Jaon 3 taon 4 75 cents Jnco<sup>3</sup> vi<sup>2</sup>xo<sup>4</sup> 1 peso taon<sup>4</sup> money

te<sup>3</sup> taon<sup>4</sup> 1.25

te3 jao2 taon4 1.50

# LESSON VI (Cont inued)

ma<sup>3</sup> jnco<sup>3</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup> first. second ma<sup>3</sup>jan<sup>2</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup> third  $ma^3\tilde{n}o^3-n^3$ fourth

- jnco<sup>3</sup> 1
- jao<sup>2</sup> 2
- jan<sup>2</sup> 3
- ño<sup>3</sup> 4
- 5
- ?aon<sup>2</sup> jaon<sup>43</sup> 6
- $\widetilde{n}a^3to^3$ 7
- jin<sup>2</sup> 8
- ña<sup>3</sup> jan<sup>3</sup> 9
- 10 te<sup>3</sup>
- 11 te<sup>3</sup>jnco<sup>3</sup>
- 15 chja<sup>3</sup>?aon<sup>2</sup>
- 40 na3chan2
- can 3 20

## LESSON VII

ti<sup>4</sup>jnchi<sup>2</sup>sjai<sup>3</sup> Look for it! (find)
ti<sup>4</sup>jnchi<sup>2</sup>sjai<sup>3</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>3</sup> tso<sup>2</sup> Look for the one that says boy. ti4cao4-lai4 Touch it. tiltso2 He is saying jmel xi3 tiltso2 What's he saying? 14,4 Here. ya ye There (near) janl tanl nta<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> You know well. c?ca4-s?in2 That's the way. 102xa4 tso2 It says orange. 102xa tso2 je25-v14 This one says orange. lo<sup>2</sup>xa<sup>4</sup> tso<sup>2</sup> je<sup>2</sup> ve<sup>4</sup> That one says orange. 101 tao2 1023 evi4 What does this one say? a<sup>3</sup> cfoe xquia<sup>42</sup> Shall we read? a me<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> v?exquiai<sup>4</sup> Do you want to read? 8784-182n13 After while. a3 ma3-112 ron4 Can you read? ma3\_na3 I know how. to4c?os4-ls4 tjin1 That's probably all. Je<sup>32</sup>coan<sup>3</sup> It's all done. s?a42coan4-le4 Soon she'll be able. choltsen3-1at4 Look at it!

#### LESSON VIII

1032 ma3-1-4 Now she knows. je<sup>32</sup> me<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-le<sup>4</sup> Now she almost knows.  $me^3$   $ma^3-1e^4$ She almost knows.  $me^{32}$   $me^{32}$   $ma^{3}$ -1e<sup>4</sup> In just a little while she'll know. je3 tin1-le4 Now he has them. te<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>ch ten<sup>1</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> Now I need it. e?ea<sup>4</sup>ti<sup>1</sup>s?in<sup>1</sup> He is doing, making. e?oa<sup>4</sup>ti<sup>2</sup>s?ian<sup>3</sup> I am doing, making. e?ea4ti3n?iain23 You (sg.) are doing, making. crea4ti3nrian2 we (incl.) are doing, making. e?oa4ti3n?iain24=jin4 We (excl.) are doing, making. croa4ti3n?iaon23 You (pl.) are doing, making. croa4tjio13s?in1 They are doing, making.

jme<sup>1</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>1</sup>s?in<sup>1</sup>
jme<sup>1</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>3</sup>n?iain<sup>23</sup>
c?oa<sup>4</sup>s?ian<sup>43</sup>
c?oa<sup>4</sup>n?iain<sup>23</sup>
nta<sup>3</sup> n?iain<sup>23</sup>
c?oa<sup>4</sup>t?iain<sup>4</sup>

What is he doing?
What are you doing?
That's the way I do.
That's the way you do.
You do well.
Do it that way.

#### LESSON IX

a3 ti3 ina3-ni13 Are you here? (sitting) ti<sup>2</sup>ina<sup>4</sup>-nia<sup>13</sup> I'm here (sitting). 112 10 1tso2 It doesn't mean anything. jnal til jna3 victo2ria4 Where is Victoria? li<sup>2</sup>?ya<sup>3</sup> tjin<sup>1</sup> She isn't here. (Here is no ne) 14t1 ina3-v44 she is here. ti silscal na ste la 4 Stella is playing. ti<sup>2</sup>si<sup>3</sup>sca<sup>13</sup> I am playing ti<sup>3</sup>ni<sup>2</sup>scai<sup>13</sup> You are playing. ti<sup>3</sup>ni<sup>2</sup> sca We (Incl.) are playing. ti3ni2scail4jin4 We (excl.) are playing. ti3ni2seso13 You (pl) are planing. tiio<sup>13</sup>ai<sup>1</sup>sca<sup>1</sup> They are playing. Ca2 a11 seal They, or he, played a little while ago. ca<sup>2</sup> , 3 , a 13 I played. ca<sup>2</sup>ni<sup>2</sup>scai<sup>13</sup> You (sing) played. ti4 ma13 Sit down. ti<sup>1</sup>si<sup>1</sup>xa<sup>1</sup> He is working. Work t12 13 x 13 I am working. t13n12ra113 You are working. ca<sup>2</sup> = 1 - 1 He worked. cjailnea silseal xti 34 Children play a lot. a3 tilsilses1 Is he playing? 14t11s1 sca13-v14 He is playing here.

# LESSON LX (Continued)

li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup> si<sup>1</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>
me<sup>3</sup>le<sup>4</sup> si<sup>1</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>
?ya<sup>1</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>1</sup>si<sup>1</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>
qui<sup>3</sup>sa<sup>3</sup>co<sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> xa<sup>13</sup>
ti<sup>1</sup>si<sup>1</sup>sca<sup>13</sup>-sa<sup>3</sup>
ti<sup>3</sup>ni<sup>2</sup>sca<sup>13</sup>-sai<sup>3</sup>
ti<sup>1</sup>si<sup>1</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>-la<sup>4</sup>
nta<sup>3</sup> si<sup>1</sup>xa<sup>1</sup>
ma<sup>3</sup>-le<sup>4</sup> [al<sup>3</sup>]
a<sup>3</sup> si<sup>1</sup>xa<sup>1</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup>
je<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>1</sup>si<sup>1</sup>xa<sup>1</sup>

He doesn't play.

He wants to play.

Who's playing?

I found work.

He is still playing.

You are still playing.

He is probably playing.

It works well.

He knows how to work.

Does it work?

It is working now.

#### LESSON X

jme<sup>1</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>n?ian<sup>2</sup> What can we do about it? I can't do anything about it. Nalxi3ca2t?e1chji1-li2 Thank you. (Let God pay you). tjin -li<sup>2</sup> cjoa nta +3 Excuse me, or please. (Have græce) a3 ma3 I'M unoccupied. 11<sup>2</sup>co1<sup>3</sup> a<sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> I'm busy. a<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>?a<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> Are you unoccupied? io vi<sup>3</sup>xon 13 (Span.) How do you say ? jol tso2-ni3 (Maz.) What does \_\_\_\_\_say? ngui<sup>2</sup> inco<sup>3</sup>c?a<sup>2</sup> Again. nqui<sup>2</sup> inco<sup>3</sup> Another. ti4 jntai13 Sing it. a tsi2 si1xa1 Doesn't it work? a3tsi2 ma3-112 Don't you know? a tai 2 me 3-112 Don't you want it? a3tsi2 c?oa4s?in2 Isn't it thus? a<sup>3</sup>tai<sup>2</sup> sa<sup>2</sup>ra<sup>4</sup> ?mi<sup>2</sup> Isn't her name Sara? a3tsi2 lo2xa4-ni1 Isn't it an orange?

# LESSON XI

coi 4 inta Lets sing. m.jm?2 No. 11<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>cho<sup>4</sup>va<sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> I don't understand. a3 ma3nca3-1+2 Are you happy here? (used td it) ma3nca3-ma3 I'm happy here. a<sup>3</sup> coan nea -li<sup>2</sup> Will you be happy here? Te 4 Jao4 N1<sup>3</sup>?ya<sup>1</sup> Huautla Ntal je 42 Kio Santiago. ma4-xo ni3 Poor thing. ti4tjai13 Come in (sing.) ti4t tao13 Come in (pl.) c?oa4t?iain4 Do it thus. ti4xa113 Work! t14 gcg113 Play! ea2ta3a11xa1 Let him work. ca2<sub>te</sub>3<sub>g1</sub>lsca<sup>1</sup> Let him play. ca<sup>2</sup>ta<sup>3</sup>ma<sup>3</sup>=1e<sup>4</sup> Let him learn. ca2ta3ma3-112 Let you learn. ca2ta3ma32a3a1a4 Let him get unbusy. c?oa4oa2ta3tao2 Let him say so. t14xa115-v14 Work here: nta3 tso2 It says well. nta<sup>3</sup> cli<sup>3</sup> It looks well. nta3 chon3 A good climate, place. nta<sup>3</sup> tjin<sup>1</sup> OK. nta3 silxal It works well.

# LE SSON XI (Continued)

nta<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup> It goes well. na3scaltso2 It wounds pretty. na<sup>3</sup>sca<sup>1</sup> cji<sup>3</sup> It is pretty. na<sup>3</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>na<sup>4</sup>cji<sup>3</sup> nta tso2-na3 I think it says well nta<sup>3</sup> cji<sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> It looks good to me. na3scaltso2-134 She likes what it says. na<sup>3</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>na<sup>4</sup>cji<sup>3</sup>-le<sup>4</sup> She likes its looks. nta<sup>3</sup> chon-na<sup>3</sup> I like the place. I like the weather here. (or whatever you like about it) na scalna chon -na 3 I think the place is pretty.

na<sup>3</sup> sca<sup>1</sup> na<sup>4</sup> chon<sup>3</sup> na<sup>3</sup> I think the place is pretty.

nta<sup>3</sup> cjoan<sup>3</sup> They are good.

na<sup>3</sup> sca<sup>1</sup> na<sup>4</sup> cjoan<sup>3</sup> They are pretty.

## LESSON XII

TI si xa -ni	He is working indeed.
ti <sup>2</sup> si <sup>43</sup> xa <sup>13</sup> -nia <sup>13</sup>	I am working indeed.
ti <sup>3</sup> ni <sup>2</sup> xa <sup>13</sup> -ni <sup>13</sup>	You are working indeed.
ti <sup>3</sup> ni <sup>2</sup> xa <sup>1</sup> -nia <sup>1</sup>	We (incl) are working indeed.
ti <sup>3</sup> ni <sup>2</sup> xa <sup>1</sup> -ni <sup>14</sup> jin <sup>4</sup>	We (excl.) arge working indeed.
ti <sup>3</sup> ni <sup>2</sup> xa <sup>1</sup> -nio <sup>13</sup>	You (pl) are working indeed.
tjio <sup>13</sup> si <sup>1</sup> xa <sup>1</sup> -ni <sup>1</sup>	They are working indeed.
cje <sup>3</sup> jin <sup>2</sup>	not yet
11 <sup>2</sup> jin <sup>2</sup>	imperative negative
ni <sup>4</sup> jin <sup>2</sup>	Not even.

# LESSON XII (Continued)

$$cje^3 si^1xa^1 - jin^2$$
  
 $cje^3 si^43xa^1 - jian^{23}$   
 $cje^3 ni^2xa^1 - jin^{23}$ 

He doesn't work yet.

I don't work yet.

You don't work yet.

eje<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-jin<sup>2</sup>le<sup>4</sup> eje<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-jin<sup>2</sup>na<sup>3</sup> eje<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-jin<sup>2</sup>la<sup>2</sup>

He doesn't know yet.

I don't know yet.

You don't know yet.

cje<sup>5</sup>
cje<sup>3</sup> tsin<sup>2</sup>
cje<sup>3</sup> tjin<sup>1</sup>

Not yet.

There isn't any yet.

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eje<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>? a<sup>3</sup>-jin<sup>2</sup>na<sup>3</sup>

I'm still busy.

li<sup>2</sup>ni<sup>2</sup>xa<sup>1</sup>•jin<sup>23</sup> li<sup>2</sup>ni<sup>2</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>•jin<sup>23</sup> li<sup>2</sup>ni<sup>2</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>•jion<sup>23</sup>

Don't work.

Don't play.

Don't play (pl)

li<sup>2</sup>?an<sup>3</sup>-jian<sup>23</sup>

Not me.

#### LESSON XIII

c?oa4-la4 That's probably right. I guess so.

silxqui3 He medicines.

silnta3 he makes, builds

ti<sup>4</sup>xqui<sup>3</sup>=nai<sup>13</sup>

Medicine me!

ti<sup>4</sup>xqui<sup>3</sup>=lai<sup>4</sup>

Medicine him!

si<sup>3</sup>xqui<sup>3</sup>=le<sup>23</sup>

I'll medicine him.

ti<sup>1</sup>si<sup>1</sup>xqui<sup>3</sup>=na<sup>3</sup>

She is medicining me.

ti<sup>1</sup>si<sup>1</sup>xqui<sup>3</sup>=li<sup>2</sup>

She is medicining you.

ti<sup>4</sup>nta<sup>3</sup>-nai<sup>13</sup>

Make me one.

jña<sup>1</sup> ti<sup>1</sup> jna<sup>3</sup> mi<sup>3</sup>

tso<sup>2</sup>

Where is \_\_\_\_?

c?ia cho va cho

(literally: Then we'll talk)

#### LESSON XIV

valnchjin1 Khoa3jeo3 Gringa (white headed women) va neh jin 13 women Khoa<sup>3</sup> cji<sup>3</sup> white her head 1821 t132m13 Where are you going? mal ti3ma3nguion13 Where are you going? (pl) Ntal je 42 ti 3 ma 3 nquin 4 jin 4 We are going to Rio Santigo. fa22a14con3-1-23 I\*ve come to see you. ja xt?a 2-la 2nca tso 2 c?oa #ell goodbye. ti<sup>2</sup>va<sup>3</sup>ne<sup>3</sup>ion<sup>3</sup>-nia<sup>13</sup> ntsa<sup>4</sup> I'm washing my hands. t12 ma 3 no 3 m 1 a 13 I'm washing. ti<sup>2</sup> = 3 ne 3 va 23 - nia 13 I'm washing dishes. ti24293 che2mis 13 I'm sweeping. ti<sup>2</sup>v?e<sup>3</sup>nta<sup>4</sup>3-nia<sup>13</sup> tso<sup>3</sup> mi<sup>23</sup> I'm cooking dinner. (making things) ti<sup>2</sup>v?e<sup>3</sup> quia I'm reading. t12e 11a3 I'm writing. ti<sup>2</sup>va<sup>3</sup>co<sup>3</sup>va<sup>23</sup> xti<sup>34</sup> I'm teaching kids. t1<sup>2</sup>co<sup>3</sup>t?a<sup>†3</sup>va<sup>23</sup> ?en<sup>13</sup> I'm studying Mazateco.  $a^{3}$ <sub>ti</sub> $^{3}$ <sub>va</sub> $^{3}$ <sub>ne</sub> $^{2}$ <sub>eni</sub> $^{13}$ Are you washing? 3 + 13 ma ne 2 va - ni Are you washing dishes? 3 +13-2-2 cha 3-n,13 Are you sweeping? a3 ti 3v?e2nta43-ni13 teo3 tmi23 Are you cooking dinner? 3 t13 r2e 2 x 0 1 1 1 4 Are you reading? 43, ti3 7702 xquia 4 eni 13 a3 ti3ch 113-n113 Are you writing? a3 ti3cho2t?a3yai3 ?enl3 Are you studying Mazateco ? Where did she go? tjin<sup>1</sup>jin<sup>3</sup>-le He remembers. a ti va co ya - ni xti xti Are you teaching Kide?

#### LESSON XV

wi<sup>3</sup>jta<sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> I'm tired. 113 1ta3-na3 (completed aspect, I'm tired). cholejea4-na3 I can physically endure. 13 ta<sup>3</sup>co<sup>2</sup>-nai<sup>23</sup> Show me. ta3002-1a14 Show him. ta3co2va3-nai13 Teach me. ta3co2va3-la14 Teach him. t2812-nai13 Give it to me. t?ai2-lai4 Give it to him. ta3nai23 Wash! ta3ne2-1a14 Wash for her! t?e2xquia4-lai4 Read it! choltrai3 Try. ch 111 Write. a je ji jta -li<sup>2</sup> Are you tired now? a<sup>3</sup> jeho<sup>1</sup>ejoa<sup>4</sup>eli<sup>2</sup> Can you do it? ti<sup>2</sup>va<sup>3</sup>ne<sup>3</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup>cai<sup>3</sup> I wish I were washing. (I<sup>\*</sup>m washing but I<sup>\*</sup>m not) ca<sup>2</sup>v?e<sup>3</sup>cha<sup>23</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup>cai<sup>3</sup> I should have swept. eh joai 13 Take it. a<sup>3</sup> jcho<sup>2</sup>cjoa<sup>4</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> jtsi<sup>13</sup> Can you take the rain? a jeho cjoa 4-li ntoa 21 Can you take the sunshine? a<sup>3</sup> jcho<sup>2</sup>c joa<sup>4</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> nta<sup>1</sup>si<sup>3</sup> Can you take the mud?

#### LESSON XVI

SI<sup>3'</sup> s?in<sup>1</sup> He's a nuisance.

si<sup>3'</sup> n?iain<sup>23</sup> You're a nuisance.

nta<sup>1</sup>si<sup>3</sup> mud
si<sup>3</sup>ma<sup>3</sup>•na<sup>3</sup> It bothers me.

a<sup>3</sup> si<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> nta<sup>1</sup>si<sup>43</sup> Does the mud bother you?

ch?ao<sup>3</sup> s?in<sup>3</sup> He's bad (strong word, carried a punch)

ch? ao<sup>3</sup> n?iain<sup>23</sup> You're bad. ch?ao<sup>3</sup> cji<sup>3</sup> It's ugly.

ch?ao<sup>3</sup> tso<sup>2</sup> A bad or incorrect word.

ch?ao<sup>3</sup> chon<sup>3</sup> bad weather.

ch?ao<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup> continuation of bad things

xi<sup>3</sup> inco<sup>3</sup> the other one.

Jñal ca<sup>2</sup>fi<sup>2</sup> xi<sup>3</sup>jnco<sup>3</sup> Where did the other one go?

na<sup>3</sup>nta<sup>1</sup> ch?ao<sup>34</sup> dirty water
na<sup>3</sup>nta<sup>1</sup> tsje<sup>3</sup> clean water

a<sup>3</sup>tsi<sup>2</sup> nch?ce<sup>1</sup> ?en<sup>33</sup>-na<sup>4</sup>jin<sup>4</sup> Doesn't she understand our language?

3 2 2 Didn't she understand?

112co13 ca2nch?ce3 I didn't hear (understand).

li coi<sup>3</sup> něh?oe<sup>3</sup> I don't understand.

a3tsi<sup>2</sup> no<sup>2</sup>?yai<sup>23</sup> Don't you understand?

ti<sup>4</sup>no<sup>1</sup>?yai<sup>23</sup> listen! (obey me).

#### LESSON XVII

17i<sup>13</sup> light, fire  $ya^1xi^2le^4$ chair ma<sup>2</sup>qui<sup>4</sup>na<sup>4</sup>1?i<sup>13</sup> electrid ty table cho<sup>4</sup>1?i<sup>13</sup> lightening bug valva2nca4 bench  $ya^{1}lo^{2}pi^{4}$  pencil  $na^{3}xo^{13}$  flower  $ya^{1}lo^{2}xa^{4}$  orange tree  $xo^{1}li^{13}$ ember yalvi2to4 mouth organ xolnto4 soapsuds nto<sup>4</sup>jo<sup>4</sup> soap  $ya^1t 10^31? 1^13$  match ntalnto soapsuds, soapy water valte43 board val3 tree

te<sup>43</sup> wide

si<sup>1</sup>te<sup>43</sup> she pats torts (makes something wide)

a<sup>3</sup> nto<sup>4</sup>jo<sup>4</sup> ni<sup>1</sup> Is it soap?

jme<sup>1</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>ma<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> What happened to you?

a<sup>3</sup> ch?ao<sup>3</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>ma<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> Did something bad happen to you?

li<sup>2</sup> c?oa<sup>4</sup>-jin<sup>2</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> Relax.

xi<sup>3</sup> jcha<sup>13</sup>•na<sup>4</sup> my parents nts?ai<sup>3</sup> your brother

cho<sup>4</sup>ta<sup>4</sup>•na<sup>4</sup> my family nts?e<sup>4</sup> his brother

na<sup>4</sup>•na<sup>4</sup> my mother (p. 105, tone book)

n?ai<sup>13</sup>•na<sup>4</sup> my father ti<sup>2</sup>chja<sup>3</sup> my sister

nts?e<sup>3</sup> my brother ti<sup>2</sup>chjai your sister

ja<sup>4</sup>?nta<sup>3</sup>/\*•na<sup>4</sup> wife of my nt1<sup>3</sup>chja<sup>3</sup> his sister

husband of my sister or daughter

ntso<sup>15</sup>-na<sup>4</sup>

ny next younger sibling

ntiltjon<sup>23</sup>

first born

tiltjon<sup>2</sup>

first

their children

ntilb-le<sup>4</sup>

""

7ntileja<sup>3</sup>?me<sup>3</sup>fena<sup>4</sup> my niece or nephew

jmel xi<sup>3</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>ma<sup>3</sup>ele<sup>4</sup> nts?ai<sup>3</sup> What happened to your brother?

coe<sup>4</sup>ni<sup>3</sup> look

# LESSON XVIII

ts?e <sup>4</sup>	his (tone book p. 101)
ts?an <sup>4</sup>	mine
tsi <sup>4</sup>	yours
tsan <sup>42</sup>	ours (incl)
tsain <sup>4</sup> -jin <sup>4</sup>	ours (excl)
tsaon <sup>43</sup>	yours (plural)
t?ai <sup>2</sup> -nai <sup>13</sup> tsi <sup>4</sup>	Give me yours.
t?ai <sup>2</sup> +lai <sup>4</sup> ts?e <sup>4</sup>	Give him his.
jñal-ni <sup>3</sup> tsi <sup>4</sup>	Where do you live?
?yal ts?e	Whose is it?
me -na ts?an	I want mine.
li <sup>2</sup> ts?an <sup>4</sup> -jian <sup>23</sup>	It isn't mine.
li <sup>2</sup> tsi <sup>4</sup> -jin <sup>23</sup>	It isn't yours.
jo <sup>1</sup> eji <sup>3</sup> tsaon <sup>43</sup>	What's yours like? (plural)
a <sup>3</sup> neh?an <sup>13</sup> chon <sup>3</sup>	tsaon 13 Is it cold in your country?
$a^3$ ts? $e^4$ na $^4$ -le $^4$	In it his mothers?
a <sup>3</sup> tsi <sup>4</sup> - ni <sup>1</sup>	Is it yours?
jnal tiljna3 ts?	Where is his?
jna -n1 ts?e4	Where does he live?
jol tjin ohjile	tsi How much do yours cost?

#### LESSON XIX

1e32ve3

He's singing. t12 293" I'm singing. ti3jntai3 Your'e singing. ti<sup>4</sup> intai<sup>13</sup> Sing! a<sup>3</sup> je<sup>3</sup>ca<sup>2</sup> jntao<sup>3</sup> Have you sung? nta<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-le<sup>4</sup> se<sup>3</sup> She knows how to sing well.  $a^3 me^3-1i^2 intai^3$ Do you want to sing? 11 v?e1 se3 He's whistling. 112 - 23 - 3' I'm whistling. ti3w?e2gai3 You are whistling. tre2 =3-1814 Whistle it! a to need son 2 v?e se 3 Are they whistled the same? a3c1a ?ai c1a ?ai v?e sao Do you whistle them differently? ti inta sai Sing more! te<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> tjio<sup>13</sup>se<sup>3</sup> He is singing ten of them. a<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> intai<sup>3</sup> je<sup>2</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>jneo<sup>3</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup> Do you know how sing the first? jna til jna je xi nta ca se 3 Where is the one who sang **4.3** He knows information. 2ve3 I know information. 7ya13 You know information. a<sup>3</sup> tsi<sup>2</sup> ?yai<sup>3</sup> Don't you know? 11<sup>2</sup>co1<sup>3</sup> }ya<sup>32</sup> We (incl) don't know. (Used in answer to "When is he coming?" "Will it rain?" etc.

Now I know.

#### LESSON XX

a<sup>3</sup> cjoa<sup>4</sup>qui<sup>2</sup>xi<sup>4</sup> Really? Is that so?

cjoa<sup>4</sup>qui<sup>2</sup>xi<sup>4</sup> Really.

cjoa<sup>4</sup> abstract thing.

qui<sup>2</sup>xi<sup>4</sup> straight.

tsa<sup>2</sup> if, probably

tsa<sup>3</sup> mai<sup>3</sup> probably not, if not

tsa<sup>2</sup> fi<sup>1</sup>sca<sup>14</sup> xti<sup>34</sup> li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>si<sup>1</sup>xa<sup>1</sup> If the kids play, you can't get work done.

chicai tsa me -li Take it if you want.

t?e<sup>2</sup>xquiai<sup>4</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> Read if you know how.

s<sup>3</sup> tsi<sup>2</sup> soa<sup>3</sup>-11<sup>2</sup> Aren't you ashamed?

tsa<sup>2</sup> tsi<sup>2</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> chjoai<sup>1</sup> ti<sup>2</sup>fi<sup>3</sup>nia<sup>13</sup> If you don't take it, I'm going.

a<sup>3</sup> tsi<sup>2</sup> coan<sup>4</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> jnco<sup>3</sup> vi<sup>2</sup>xo<sup>4</sup> Isn't one peso ok?

tsa<sup>2</sup> jnco<sup>3</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> jao<sup>2</sup> probably one or two.

tsa<sup>2</sup> tsi<sup>2</sup> cjoia<sup>13</sup> Suppose I don't go?

c?ia<sup>4</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> nch?an<sup>1</sup> chon<sup>3</sup> li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup> cjoia<sup>13</sup> If it's cold I'm not going.

t?e<sup>2</sup>xquiai tsa<sup>2</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>?a<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> Read if you are not busy.

si<sup>3</sup>xqui<sup>3</sup>-le<sup>23</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> me<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> I'll medicine you if you want.

tsa2 jnco3 tsa2 jao2 ma3-ni3 Probably there are one or two.

coi<sup>3</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> nta<sup>3</sup> si<sup>1</sup>xa<sup>1</sup> That's the one which works well.

tsa<sup>2</sup> coi<sup>3</sup> nca<sup>3</sup> ch?ao<sup>3</sup> cji<sup>3</sup> Probably because its ugly.

third person pronoun much less common than je<sup>23</sup>, Is perhaps more deictic than je<sup>23</sup>. May be possessed.

tsa<sup>2</sup> coi<sup>3</sup> ni<sup>4</sup>thjin<sup>34</sup> Probably, then.

ni<sup>4</sup>chjin<sup>34</sup> Time, day.

ca<sup>2</sup>co<sup>3</sup>t?a<sup>3</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> nta<sup>3</sup> I tried it to see if it was good.

# LESSON XX (Continued)

jha<sup>1</sup> ti<sup>1</sup>jna<sup>3</sup> coi<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>4</sup>
coi<sup>3</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> cjai<sup>1</sup> nca<sup>3</sup> nta<sup>4</sup>

Where is your thing?

That's the one that's very good.

coi<sup>3</sup> a particle meaning therefore. A Mazateco stutters "coi<sup>3</sup>.....coi<sup>3</sup>

tsa<sup>2</sup> coi<sup>3</sup> nca<sup>3</sup> tsin<sup>2</sup>-le<sup>4</sup>

Probably because he has mone.

coi<sup>3</sup>-xo<sup>1</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>fi<sup>2</sup>
coi<sup>3</sup> nea<sup>3</sup> si<sup>1</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>
ni<sup>4</sup>chjin<sup>3</sup> lo<sup>2</sup>ne<sup>4</sup>

They say that's why he went.

I'ts because she plays.

Monday.

# LESSON XXI

nta3 tsa2 even though \*quia nta tsa jtsi qui v?a I went even though it rained. je<sup>3</sup>ja<sup>2</sup>ai<sup>4</sup>jin<sup>4</sup> nta<sup>3</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> jain<sup>4</sup>-jin<sup>4</sup> Even we came. coan4-li<sup>2</sup> nta<sup>3</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> ji<sup>34</sup> Even you will be able. c?1a<sup>4</sup> Then c?ia4 nca3 When c?ia4nca3 jtsi13 qui3v?a3 When it rained. c?ia4 nca3 silxal when he works c?ia4 ca2va3ne3 Then I washed. c?ia4 cioia13 Then I'll go.

xea<sup>4</sup> leaf xca4cha34 broom xo<sup>4</sup>qui<sup>4</sup>cha<sup>4</sup> tin can ni<sup>4</sup>sin<sup>4</sup>va<sup>13</sup> market basket ti4xin23 get out of the way c?ia4 ma3chjen1 then it's needed xin xin move, separate yourself from it. cho<sup>4</sup>jnca<sup>4</sup> li ver 11<sup>2</sup>bra<sup>4</sup> a pound t.11 m2 en 3 he's sick n?ion tilm?en3 He's very si ck. nea<sup>3</sup>n?ion<sup>1</sup> strength a<sup>3</sup> nch?an<sup>1</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>ma<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> c?ia<sup>4</sup>nca<sup>3</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>ve<sup>3</sup>ne<sup>4</sup> Were you cold when you washed? coan4-sa3112 nta3 tsa2 11 even you can do more. qui<sup>3</sup>cha<sup>3</sup>jin<sup>4</sup><sup>3</sup>-na<sup>3</sup>jin<sup>4</sup> nta<sup>3</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> jain<sup>4</sup>jin<sup>4</sup> Even we forgot ma<sup>3</sup>ch jen<sup>21</sup>-le<sup>4</sup> nta<sup>3</sup> tsa<sup>2</sup> le<sup>2</sup> Even he needs it.

# L ESSON XXII

Ntalnai3	our section of Huautla
?ncho <sup>3</sup> ca <sup>2</sup> ye <sup>1</sup>	main street
nti tsin4	market
nti <sup>4</sup> tsian <sup>42</sup>	market (our incl.)
nt?ia <sup>3</sup> va <sup>3</sup> sen <sup>3</sup>	town hall
va <sup>3</sup> sen <sup>3</sup>	half; held in common
ntia <sup>42</sup> sia <sup>42</sup>	the salida
na <sup>4</sup> jnca <sup>4</sup>	San Andres
na <sup>4</sup> xi <sup>4</sup> ntsje <sup>4</sup>	Oaxaca
ntia <sup>42</sup> nta <sup>1</sup> vi <sup>42</sup>	the rocky trail
42 2 ntiat cro	the top road with the cross
ntia <sup>42</sup> nta <sup>1</sup> vi <sup>3</sup> nta <sup>1</sup>	the smooth trail
ntia32 qui 3	He went for keeps.
ntia <sup>32</sup> tsjoa <sup>3</sup> -le <sup>23</sup>	I'm giving for keeps.
ca <sup>2</sup> tsjoa <sup>1</sup> -na <sup>3</sup>	
	ai jin Look what we're giving you.
= -	Who gave it to you?
jñal-le <sup>4</sup> ntia <sup>42</sup> xi <sup>3</sup> fi	Geno <sup>3</sup> -ni nti <sup>4</sup> tsin Which road goes to market?
ntalnai3 tsai4-jin4	We live im ntanai.
nti4tsin4 ma3nqui14-j	in We're going to market.
t?in <sup>3</sup>	Go! (sing.)
ta <sup>4</sup> nquion <sup>13</sup>	Go! (plural)
ta nquin la ntao 13	Go well (plural)
nti <sup>4</sup> tsin <sup>4</sup> ti <sup>2</sup> fia <sup>3</sup>	I'm going to market.
tjin <sup>1</sup> jna <sup>3</sup> ti <sup>2</sup> fia <sup>3</sup>	I'm going someplace.

## LESSON XXII (Continued)

pa<sup>3</sup>sea<sup>32</sup> ti<sup>3</sup>ma<sup>3</sup>nqui<sup>14</sup>-jin<sup>4</sup> ts?e<sup>4</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>ria<sup>2</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>fia<sup>3</sup> na<sup>3</sup>nta<sup>13</sup> quia<sup>3</sup>

tjian<sup>1</sup>

a<sup>3</sup> ejoian<sup>1</sup>

a?a<sup>4</sup>cjoia<sup>13</sup>

c?ia<sup>1</sup> coai<sup>4</sup>

nchaon<sup>3</sup> jin<sup>2</sup> ni<sup>4</sup>chjin<sup>34</sup>

nqui<sup>3</sup> can<sup>3</sup> ni<sup>4</sup>chjin<sup>34</sup>

nqui<sup>3</sup> can<sup>3</sup> ni<sup>4</sup>chjin<sup>34</sup>

nti<sup>4</sup>tsin<sup>4</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>fi<sup>2</sup>

na<sup>3</sup>nta<sup>1</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>fi<sup>2</sup>

We're going for a walk.

I went to Mary's

I went for water

Let's go

Shall we go?

I'll go in a minute.

When is he going?

a week tomorrow

In two weeks

In three weeks

She went to market.

She went for water.

# LESSON XXIII

a <sup>3</sup> tjin <sup>1</sup> cjoa <sup>4</sup>	Is something on your mind?	
tjin <sup>1</sup> cjoa <sup>4</sup>	Something's in the wind.	
a <sup>3</sup> tjin <sup>1</sup> xa <sup>13</sup>	Did you want something?	
jnco <sup>3</sup> xa <sup>13</sup> tso <sup>2</sup> ?va <sup>3</sup> -nia <sup>13</sup>	I came for a reason.	
c?oa4 qui3tso2	That's what he said.	
$jo^1xin^3-1e^{23}$	What shall I tell you?	
e?oa <sup>4</sup> _t?in <sup>2</sup> -lai <sup>4</sup>	Tell him.	
e?oa4t?in2-nai13	Tell me.	
c?ia4 c?oa4 in1-le4	Then I'll tell him.	
Jol coi4tso4 na4-li4	What will your mother say?	
jo <sup>1</sup> vi <sup>3</sup> xon <sup>13</sup>	How do you say?	
vi <sup>3</sup> xin <sup>14</sup> -jin <sup>4</sup>	We say	
jol vi3xon <sup>13</sup> /a <sup>3</sup> cjoian <sup>1</sup> /a	3zo4 mai <sup>3</sup> What do you say, shall we go or no?  Let's hear you say it.	
0?0a4-la7si3	Let's hear you say it.	
je <sup>2</sup> 3a <sup>2</sup> ra <sup>4</sup> c?oa ca <sup>2</sup> tso <sup>2</sup> -	na <sup>3</sup> Sara told me.	
$a^3 me^3 - 1i^2 / a^3 xo^4 mai^3 - ni^1$	Do you want it or not?	
a <sup>3</sup> cjoa <sup>4</sup> qui <sup>2</sup> xi <sup>4</sup> / a <sup>3</sup> xo <sup>4</sup> to <sup>4</sup> xquia <sup>4</sup> c?oa <sup>4</sup> ti <sup>1</sup> tso <sup>2</sup> Is it true or is he only saying it?		

cho <sup>4</sup> si <sup>2</sup> rra <sup>4</sup>	bee	oh?in <sup>34</sup>	siekness
na <sup>4</sup> jeha <sup>13</sup>	grandmother	ch?13jtse13	cold
n?ai <sup>3</sup> jeha <sup>13</sup>	grandfather	oh?in3 nt?ai	fever sicknes
mi <sup>2</sup> yo <sup>4</sup>	friend	nt?ai4	fever
502ca4	sugar	na <sup>3</sup> jno <sup>34</sup>	cloth
co3 <sub>stia</sub> 23	Spanish	na <sup>4</sup> jño <sup>4</sup>	female turkey
ye <sup>4</sup>	snake	$xo^3$ mbe $34$	hat
ch?oin13	chayote	ejailnea3 n?a	in <sup>3</sup> very hard
njian <sup>4</sup>	chile	na <sup>4</sup> jme <sup>1</sup> 3	corn
t1 <sup>2</sup> ntso <sup>4</sup>	goat	na jma 13	beans

#### LESSON XXIV

nta 43 sa 3 yo 3 fao 23 Sleep well (plural) nta 3 so3 ma3fai23 Sleep well (singular)  $a^{3}$ nta<sup>3</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>so<sup>3</sup> ina<sup>3</sup>fai<sup>23</sup> Did you sleep well? (sing.) nta<sup>3</sup> ca<sup>2</sup>va<sup>2</sup> jna<sup>4</sup>fe<sup>23</sup> I slept well. 1na1 883vo#3 Where do you (pl) sleep? 14coa2ina4 ?an34vi4 I'm going to sleep here. jol chon3 qui3sa3yo43 What time did you (pl) go to bed? xaltil qui3sa3yoi34jin4 We went to bed early. je3tsa3ca3 ina3 He's gone to bed already. c?ial cjoa4?ail When will he come? nolcho4tse4 cioa47ai She'll come new year's. to 4 jneo 3 t jo 3 ca 2 fi 2 mi She went for just a minute. s?s4cjoa4?a11 She'll come soon. je3 je2?e4 Now I've come. jo<sup>1</sup> chon<sup>3</sup> cjoa<sup>2</sup>?ao<sup>43</sup> When will you (pl) come? 10 chon3-ni3 What time is it? nchaon<sup>3</sup> cjoa<sup>2</sup>?ai<sup>4</sup>-jin<sup>4</sup> Tomorrow we'll come. s?oilc?en3 cjoa2?ai4-ncalni3jin4 We'll come back at Halloween.

s?oil3 fiesta

tjin1 s?oil3 There is a fiesta.

c?en3 dead

silc?en3 He kills

?ntilc?en3 most any dead person.

## LESSON XXV

tilv?a3itsil It's raining. n?ion1 tilu?a3 It's raining hard. 83 e2084 itsi1 Will it rain? mai<sup>3</sup>-la<sup>4</sup> li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup>-la<sup>4</sup> c?oa<sup>4</sup> No it probably won't rain. coan 42n cho 43 You'll (pl) get wet. coan42ncha42 We'll (incl.) get wet. cjailnca3 nta3 ca2ma3?nchi4jin4 We go very wet. n?ion qui 3v?a nco jña 4 It rained hard yesterday.  $a^3$  neh?an $\frac{1}{2}$ 1i<sup>2</sup> Are you cold? neh?an1-na3 34 I'm cold. li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup>-la<sup>4</sup> nch?an<sup>1</sup>li<sup>2</sup> ji<sup>34</sup>vi<sup>4</sup> You're probably not cold cjailnca3 sice2 It's very hot.  $a^3 = 10e^2 va^3 - 11^2$ Are you hot? sjoe<sup>2</sup>-la<sup>2</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>-li<sup>2</sup> You're probably hot. cjail nta3 chon3, li2sjoe2-jin2, li2nch?anl-jin2 It's good weather neither hot nor cold.

cjailnea ni nto lit's very slippery.

cjailnea ncha nta si lit's very muddy.

tjinl tjinl la jao here are a lot of rocks.

na nta lai 23

Be careful.

# LESSONXXVI

1120013 ti4me3-ni3na3  $1i^2$ coi<sup>3</sup>  $ti^4$ c?oa<sup>4</sup>xin<sup>1</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup>le<sup>23</sup>  $11^{2}$ coi<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>4</sup>ts ioa<sup>3</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup>1e<sup>23</sup> li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>4</sup>coa<sup>4</sup>nqui<sup>1</sup>-ni<sup>34</sup>jin<sup>4</sup>  $1i^2eoi^3$   $ti^4ma^3-ni^3na^3$  $11^{2}$ coi<sup>3</sup>  $ti^{4}t$   $1in^{1}$ -ni<sup>3</sup> 112cc13 t14c1 xa1-n13  $1i^2$ co  $i^3$   $ti^4$ néh?ce $^1$ -n $i^3$ ti4 je21ni3 qui43  $ti^4 je^2 \hbar ni^3$  c?oa qui  $3 tso^2 - 1e^4$ ti41e25ni3 xi3 ca2fa\$2ai3 ti4c?ca42\_tso2=ni3 ti4c?oa42\_cji3-n13 ti4c?oa42 s?in1-ni3 ti42a2 qui 3-ni3 ti<sup>4</sup>?a<sup>2</sup> ja<sup>3</sup>?ai<sup>3</sup>ni<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>4</sup>?a<sup>2</sup> c?oa qui<sup>3</sup>tso<sup>2</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup>le<sup>4</sup> ti<sup>4</sup>?a<sup>2</sup> qui<sup>3</sup>nch?oe<sup>1</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup> jol ma<sup>3</sup>ni<sup>3</sup> nca<sup>3</sup> ?vai<sup>3</sup>

I no longer want any. I won't tell you any more. I won't give you any more. We aren't going any more. I don't know how any more. There isn't any more. He doesn't work any more. He no longer obeys. He went himself. He himself told him. He himself is the one who comes. It says the same as the other. It looks the same as the cother. It's done the same way. Immediately he went. Immediately he arrived. Immediately he told him. Immediately he heard.

How do you kinow?

#### LESSON XXVII

I know better than he.

ji3/ nqui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> na<sup>3</sup>sca<sup>1</sup>ti<sup>3</sup>soi<sup>3</sup> cao<sup>4</sup>ni<sup>3</sup>tsa<sup>2</sup> / an<sup>3/4</sup>

nqui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> nta<sup>3</sup> c joan<sup>3</sup> le<sup>2</sup>tra<sup>4</sup>-na<sup>4</sup> cao<sup>4</sup>ni<sup>3</sup>tsa<sup>2</sup> tsi<sup>4</sup>

i write better than you.

?ya<sup>1</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> nqui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> si<sup>1</sup>xa<sup>1</sup> cao<sup>4</sup>ji<sup>3</sup> cao<sup>4</sup>?an<sup>3/4</sup>

who works best, you or I?

/an<sup>3/4</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> nqui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>si<sup>4</sup>3xa<sup>13</sup> cao<sup>4</sup>ni<sup>3</sup>tsa<sup>2</sup> ji<sup>3/4</sup>

i knowhow to work better than you do.

jna<sup>1</sup>le<sup>4</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> nqui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> y?ai<sup>3</sup> cao<sup>4</sup>na<sup>4</sup>cho<sup>4</sup> cao<sup>4</sup> lo<sup>2</sup>xa<sup>4</sup>

which is biggent, an orange or a squash?

?nti<sup>1</sup> cjoan<sup>3</sup> lo<sup>2</sup>xa<sup>4</sup>, na<sup>4</sup>cho<sup>4</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> nqui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> y?ai<sup>3</sup>

oranges are small, squash are bigger.

jna<sup>1</sup>le<sup>4</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> nqui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> nta<sup>3</sup> si<sup>1</sup>xa<sup>1</sup> cao<sup>4</sup>ni<sup>3</sup>tsa<sup>2</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> inco<sup>3</sup>

Which works best, this one or that one?

je<sup>2</sup>/yi<sup>4</sup> noui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> nta<sup>3</sup> si<sup>1</sup>xa<sup>1</sup> cao<sup>4</sup>ni<sup>3</sup>tsa<sup>2</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> inco<sup>3</sup>

This one works better than that.

je<sup>2</sup>/<sub>p</sub> xi<sup>3</sup> jnco<sup>3</sup> nqui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> nta<sup>3</sup> va<sup>3</sup>co<sup>1</sup>ya<sup>3</sup> The other teaches better.

nqui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> ch?so<sup>3</sup> cji<sup>3</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> jnco<sup>3</sup> The other one is uglier.

nqui<sup>2</sup>sa<sup>4</sup> nc?s<sup>3</sup> cji<sup>3</sup> je<sup>2</sup>/<sub>p</sub>vi<sup>4</sup> This is taller.

#### LESSON XXVIII

li<sup>2</sup>coi<sup>3</sup>la<sup>4</sup> coan<sup>4</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> nt?ai<sup>4</sup>. to<sup>4</sup>sa<sup>3</sup>-la<sup>4</sup> nchaon<sup>3</sup> cjoia<sup>13</sup>

I don't think I can do it today. Rather I'll go tomorrow.

to sa ji 34 xi coan to li You're the one who knows rather than I.

to sa croa xin -le 23 It's better that I tell you.

to sa nta That would be better.

to sa tjian nt?ai 4 4 Better that we go now.

to sa croe xquiai ntrai vi tsa mai cha jin 3-li2

Better that you read now. If not, you'll forget.

to xquia c?oa ti<sup>3</sup>si<sup>3</sup> You're just saying so.

to 4 xquia 4 c?oa 4 tso 2-li 2 He just told you so. (don't believe him)

to<sup>4</sup>xquia c?oa<sup>42</sup>ma<sup>3</sup>li<sup>2</sup> You just feel that way. (It isn't really so)

to xquia ti<sup>2</sup>fi<sup>3</sup>nia I'm going just for the fun of it.

je<sup>23</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> na<sup>3</sup>nqui<sup>3</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup> nt?ai<sup>4</sup> The one beneath that now.

coi<sup>4</sup>jnta<sup>1</sup> je<sup>2</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> t?sin<sup>3</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup> nt?si<sup>4</sup> We'll sing the one above that now.

ti ya 42-ni 3 It's in the same place. (in the song book, section of town.) also ti ya 4-ni 1

fi2 3 3 jan Move toward the back of the book.

fi<sup>2</sup>-sa<sup>3</sup>ni<sup>3</sup> jan<sup>1</sup> Move toward the back of the book.

nchoa43-sa3ni3 Move toward the front of the book.

#### LESSON XXIX

J13# N?a1 A3 xi<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>3</sup> jnai<sup>3</sup> næ?a<sup>3</sup> jmi<sup>3</sup> tsi4 son3?nte34 N13na13 (you) is in heaven (father) who owns the world (God) ncjin² c?a³ tsjoa²le²3 cjoa⁴tjao²cha³ nca³ I thank you many times qui<sup>3</sup>ni<sup>2</sup>ca<sup>3</sup>sen<sup>1</sup>nai jin<sup>4</sup> jaço<sup>3</sup> ?nti<sup>1</sup>li<sup>4</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> you sent us . your son tsta 3 sje 3 ntjai 2 na 13 1 jin 4. Tsjoa 3 le 23 cjoa 4 tjao 2 cha 3 I-thank you saved us nea<sup>3</sup> ji<sup>3</sup>ni<sup>13</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>3</sup>v?ai<sup>2</sup>-nai<sup>1</sup>jin<sup>4</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> ?yo<sup>3</sup> give us because you to drink  $xi^3$  chi<sup>3</sup>ne<sup>3</sup>. C?oa<sup>4</sup>-s?in<sup>2</sup> si<sup>3</sup>je<sup>1</sup>-le<sup>23</sup> nea<sup>3</sup> Thus I ask you that si<sup>4</sup>?i<sup>3</sup>sen<sup>3</sup>-nai<sup>1</sup>jin<sup>4</sup> je<sup>2</sup> ntia<sup>42</sup>-na<sup>4</sup>jin<sup>4</sup>, nca<sup>3</sup> you show us e?oa4+s?in2 qui2mi4 coan4nquin14-jin4. Si3je1-le23 we go the straight way. I ask you nca<sup>3</sup>yi<sup>3</sup>je<sup>3</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup> ni<sup>4</sup>ma<sup>4</sup>-na<sup>4</sup>, cao<sup>4</sup> jan<sup>3</sup>?ain<sup>1</sup>-le<sup>4</sup>

with the name of

with all my heart .

# LESSON XXIX (Continued)

#### LESSON XXX

to crosula tilin That's probably all.

to pa sea 23 tilina I'm just going for a walk.

li to crosula tilina I'm just going for a walk.

li to crosula tilina I'm just going for a walk.

li to crosula tilina I'm just going for a walk.

cjai<sup>1</sup> to<sup>4</sup>jcho<sup>1</sup>ve<sup>3</sup>na<sup>3</sup> It bores me. I'm very tired of it.
to<sup>4</sup>sa<sup>3</sup>sa<sup>3</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>jnti<sup>1</sup> na<sup>3</sup>jno<sup>3</sup>na<sup>1</sup> In just no time at all our clothes get dirty.

to <sup>4</sup> jme <sup>1</sup>ni <sup>3</sup>ve <sup>4</sup>

Just anything.

to <sup>4</sup> jma <sup>2</sup>ni <sup>3</sup>ve <sup>4</sup>

Just anywhere.

to je nca c?oa tso2na Just he told me.

to<sup>4</sup>?an<sup>3/4</sup> ti<sup>2</sup>jna<sup>4</sup> I' m alone.

ejailnea to 4nta 43 It's very good.

to<sup>4</sup> coi<sup>3</sup>la<sup>4</sup> nca<sup>3</sup> tsi<sup>2</sup> ma<sup>3</sup>nai<sup>3†</sup>jin<sup>4</sup> Probably just because we don't know.

to si xa ntsjai He just works all the time.
nca ntsjai Always.

to jo 3 li 2coi 3 qui 3so 3co 3le 4 He still didn't find any.

to jo 3 si xa 1 It still works.

to 4 jao 2 ni 4 ch jin 3 4 Just two days.

# LESSON XXXI

che che qui He went stealthily. che<sup>2</sup>che<sup>2</sup> ti<sup>1</sup>nchja<sup>4</sup> He's talking stealthily. tjio<sup>13</sup>nchja<sup>4</sup>che<sup>2</sup> They are whispering. cho ta che qui cao A thief stole it. ja4t?a431e4 Over against it. trak3na3nqu\_13 On the floor, to the ground. na<sup>3</sup> jno<sup>3</sup> ga<sup>3</sup>t?a<sup>†3</sup>na<sup>4</sup> My apron. ti tha tratana Forgive me.

qui si to cha tratana He forgives mer us. til ina trata yalxi2le we It is against the chair there. cji<sup>3</sup>?nta<sup>1</sup>t?a<sup>4</sup>3le<sup>4</sup> na<sup>4</sup>1e<sup>4</sup> She cries for her mother. Inside of on top ja son 2 4 on top of it image, saint ti<sup>4</sup>jna<sup>3</sup>soin<sup>23</sup> ya<sup>13</sup> Sit down on a chair. na<sup>4</sup>xin<sup>13</sup> tsa<sup>3</sup>qui<sup>3</sup>yo<sup>3</sup>soin<sup>24</sup>jin<sup>4</sup> We rode a horse. tsjoal son<sup>2</sup> He gives a bonus. ojoe<sup>1</sup>son<sup>2</sup> He cheats, takes more than he should. son<sup>2</sup>mta<sup>23</sup> altar na3ngui34 land

#### LESSON XXXII

TI<sup>4</sup>ntai<sup>13</sup> xom<sup>4</sup> Buy a book. a<sup>3</sup> tsi<sup>2</sup> coi<sup>4</sup>ntai<sup>13</sup> xon<sup>4</sup>sa<sup>1</sup> Won't you buy a calendar?

Are there any for twenty centa?  $a^3 + tin^1 \times a^3 can^3$ 

tiin xi3 can3. tjih xi3 can3te2, tjin xi3 no3taon4,

tim<sup>1</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> inco<sup>3</sup> vi<sup>2</sup>xo<sup>4</sup> There are some for 20,

some for 30, some for 50, some for one peso.

t?ai<sup>2</sup>-nai<sup>13</sup> jnco<sup>3</sup>xi<sup>3</sup> can<sup>3</sup> Give me one of the 20 cent ones.

a<sup>3</sup> si<sup>4</sup>c?a<sup>3</sup>ntjai<sup>2</sup>-nai<sup>13</sup> xon<sup>4</sup>vi<sup>2</sup>xo<sup>4</sup> Will you change

a peso for me?

tsin<sup>2</sup>-na<sup>3</sup> taon<sup>4</sup>xcoa<sup>4</sup> I don't have change.

si<sup>43</sup>c?a<sup>3</sup>ntiai<sup>2</sup>-le<sup>23</sup> I'll change it for you.

a<sup>3</sup>gi<sup>4</sup>c?a<sup>3</sup>ntiai<sup>2</sup>enai<sup>1</sup> 3 xon<sup>4</sup>?aon<sup>2</sup>. c?oa<sup>3</sup>incoa<sup>3</sup> Will se

you change a five peso bill \*\*\*\*\*\*\* I'll take one.

ie<sup>32</sup>tsa<sup>3</sup>ca<sup>3</sup>tse<sup>3</sup> I've already bought.

xon4 coa4tse4-le4 ?ntil-na4 I'll buy a book for my boy.

nqui<sup>2</sup>jin<sup>2</sup> ni<sup>4</sup>chjin<sup>3</sup> coa<sup>4</sup>tse<sup>4</sup>=le<sup>23</sup> In another week

I'll buy from you.

t?e<sup>2</sup>xquia<sup>4</sup>-nai<sup>13</sup> Read to me.

ca2ta3v?e1xcuia4-na1 Let her read to us.

a3tsin2 xi3 na4scal tso2 Isn't there one that talks pretty? a tsin xi nqui sa na scal tso Isn't there a prettier one?  $t?ai^{23} mi^{3} can^{3}te^{2-ve^{4}}$  Give (me) (my) 30 (change).

Or give me a 30 cent book.

n?ain3 tso2 to4nca3 na3sca1 tso2 It's hard but pretty.

# LESSON XXXII (Continued)

jña<sup>1</sup>-le<sup>4</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> coi<sup>4</sup>ntai<sup>13</sup> Which will you buy?

c?oa<sup>4</sup>-s?in<sup>2</sup> tso<sup>2</sup> That's what it says

a<sup>3</sup>li<sup>2</sup> xcon<sup>1</sup>-jin<sup>2</sup> xqui<sup>13</sup>-ve The medicine is not dangerous.

ma<sup>3</sup>chi<sup>3</sup>ne<sup>3</sup>cao<sup>4</sup> to<sup>4</sup>jme<sup>1</sup>-ni<sup>3</sup> You can eat anything with it.

ti<sup>4</sup>cji<sup>3</sup>?ntia<sup>1</sup>-nai<sup>13</sup> jnco<sup>3</sup> disco. Play me a record.

#### LESSON XXXIII

Nt?ai<sup>4</sup>,  $si^3 je^1 = le^{23}$   $jnco^3$   $cjoa^4 tjao^2 cha^3$ ,

Now I ask of you a favor (love-givt),

N?ai<sup>3</sup> xi<sup>3</sup> ti<sup>3</sup>jnai<sup>3</sup> nc?a<sup>3</sup>jmi<sup>3</sup>.

Father who is in heaven.

 $ca^2ta^3ma^3nca^3n?ion^1-na^3jin^4$   $je^2$   $xi^3$   $ti^3v?ai^2-nai^{14}jin^4$ Let us become strengthened with that which you are giving us

now.

Thus

ti<sup>4</sup>chi<sup>3</sup>con<sup>3</sup>t?ain<sup>3</sup>-nai<sup>14</sup>jin<sup>4</sup> nt?ai<sup>4</sup>. c?oa<sup>4</sup>-s?in<sup>2</sup> Bless us

ti<sup>2</sup>v?e<sup>3</sup>ts?oa<sup>2</sup> •le<sup>23</sup>. to<sup>4</sup>c?oa<sup>4</sup>tjin<sup>1</sup>.

That's all. I am asking of you.