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Premiere Screening
@ TCL Chinese Theater

I can't believe I saw the Universal Studios filmmakers and actors in the theatre today! the movie was great, but the greatest part was I was able to hear the introduction of their film. The director Jonathan said more about cooperation and gratitude to coworkers.

I realized not only professional abilities but also harmony, synergy with workers are important in movie production.



KE HUY QUAN

I never expected to see him - the one who inspired me through consistent efforts and won the Grammy last year. The first time I saw his speech at the awards, I cried to feel his passion and empathy as an immigrant in US though I am just an international student... His hope and believness really came to me. And now I see him in real life today, I felt wierd, awe, magical, hopeful, ... I saw him 3 times less than 5 feet! But I couldn't (didn't) ask for a photo because I WILL SEE HIM AGAIN IN MY FILM! I've decided to cast him as *FAM* in my script in 5 years.



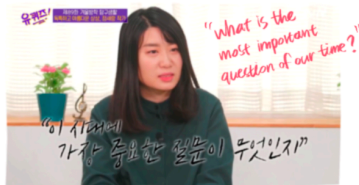
"Dreams are something you have to believe in" -Ke Huy Quan-

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I watched the TV show where Mz. Serang-Jung was a guest. She seems to have good intentions when writing the stories. Not only did she make her story interesting with good plots and characters, but also captured society's problems in it. On the talk show, she told us how she became a writer now, making a famous Korean drama recently. She read many books and submitted her writings to many contests for years and years. I think her genuine desire to improve society and address its problems has shaped who she has become today. I really like her intention in writing and willingness to make society better. I haven't seen her drama or books yet, but I would like to see what she pointed out about some of society's problems that we neglect.



So I finally went to a bookstore after a long time! I found 2 books of her but then I also found the other books right next to them. And I couldn't resist the temptation of those interesting book titles!! 'Cute Bunny,?' I had to pick that book too. It is SF & criticism of modern capitalism? Like how, what is this bunny I need to know... and the book name 'the Dollhouse' (Korean title: Dallergut's Dream Store-?) -Of course I bought it. I need to know what that store is. Also, I had to buy Bernard Werber's 'Dream2,' because I finished 'Dream1,' a few weeks ago. Just like that, I bought 3 books, and I had no more money to buy Serang Jung's book... I'm gonna buy and read hers the next time I go to the bookstore. Despite everything, I really respect and admire her conception of how to make a voice of others & for the society.



I am so into this draw-and-guess game! It's the next game I'm obsessed with these days after Rummikube. ☺ There's so many themes like songs, games, movies... and even the 'Harry Potter' themed! Every player in the room gets to draw the prompt in a limited time, and its so fun to watch others' drawing, expression + creativity!

I learned in film class that it is important to make the films "iconic" so that audiences remember them impactful & unforgettable ✨ (more importantly, marketing & goods) and it makes sense - most of the players guessed with those simple(?) drawings already. so iconic - the posters, characters... or the theme itself! So fun to share these ideas ♡

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My friend guessed 'the conjuring' from this drawing already..! :o

the excitement of when my favorite movie shows up as the prompt = dopamine double ☺!

