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【试题】

在中国,火锅已有 2000 多年的历史,最早起源于最寒冷的地区,然后在很多地区盛行,出现了具有地方特色的种类。吃火锅时,家人和朋友围坐在桌边,桌子中间放着热腾腾的火锅。吃火锅时,就餐者可以根据自己的口味放肉、海鲜、面条、蔬菜和其他配料,自己烹饪。人们可以一边尽情地聊天,一边享受美餐。

【译文】

In China, hotpot has a history of more than 2000 years, originating from the coldest areas at first. Since then, it has been enjoying great popularity in many areas with a variety of local hotpots. When having the hotpot, family and friends sit at the table, where there is a boiling hotpot in the middle. According to different diners' tastes, they would select their favorite meats, seafoods, vegetables, noodles and other ingredients to cook. People can freely chat while enjoying a good meal.

【解析】

①在中国,火锅已有2000多年的历史,最早起源于最寒冷的地区。

第一句是一个主谓宾的基本句型, 顺序翻译即可; 后半句修饰火锅的状态, 用非谓语动词主动形式翻译。词汇部分: 起源 originate from/ derive from

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第二句谓语动词是"盛行",用现在完成进行时写出,表示一直持续到现在;"出现"是描述火锅盛行之后伴随产生的现象,用 with 结构写出。

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第三句前一句是主谓宾结构,顺序翻译即可;后半句可以写成定语从句,修饰前半句的桌边,用 where 连接。词汇部分: 热腾腾的火锅 boiling hotpot

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④吃火锅时,就餐者可以根据自己的口味放肉、海鲜、面条、蔬菜和其他配料,自己烹饪。

第四句"根据自己的口味"可以翻译成介词短语,"自己烹饪"表示一种目的,用不定式写出。词汇部分:就餐者diner/eater 口味 taste

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⑤人们可以一边尽情地聊天,一边享受美餐。

第五句动词"聊天"和"享受"可以用并列结构写出,也可用非谓语动词译出。

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