

# THE VOICES OF TIME

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Time talks. It speaks more plainly than words.

The message time conveys comes through loud and clear.

Time can shout the truth where words lie.

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What people do is frequently more important than what they say.

Time can be the evidence of either “resistances” or “transference”.

Different people of different cultures have different time systems.

## AMERICAN TIME:

- Time is something fixed in nature, an ever-present part of the environment
  - Time is a road, stretching into the future, which are to be kept discrete (“one thing at a time”)
  - Necessity for scheduling
  - Orientation to the nearest future
  - Highly valued promptness
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## SOME OTHER CONCEPTS OF TIME:

- It isn't uncommon to have several simultaneous jobs
  - Plans may be extended for centuries
  - No schedules, the occur starts when everything is ready
  - Promises and other future benefits are not even worth thinking about
  - No words for “waiting” or “late” in the language
  - Day of week are called after the goods which are being sold in the nearest market
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