

Stranger-Come-Knocking



BE POSITIVE...

...in the fact that there is always one person in a worse situation than you.

Gallifreyan
Idioms
Proverbs
Jokes
Insults
And More!

Galifrejli
Suṭṭe
Ḍesosetṭe
Maḥbınṭe
ṭak'əri
ek Joriv!

Idioms / Suṭṣe

Love and Flirting

“two-hearted love”

romantic love, as compared to love for your friends or familial love

ene uṭ ḙnasu zi

lit: “love of the heartbeat”

Uḙiḙaḙi ebos uṭ eneḙḙ uṭ ḙnasu zi ebom zun.

(He has the love of the heartbeat toward her.)

“make stars”

to flirt, esp. with winking (because there are stars in your eyes)

ṭazow ḙomḙejḙḙ

lit: “to make stars”

“Σilomḙḙ'ip'a ebaḙḙḙ? ṭazowḙḙḙ ḙomḙejḙḙ.”

“Do you see them? They’re making stars.”

Breaking Things

“to stripe the painting”

ruining something where nothing is wrong, fixing something that isn't broken

orḙinow uṭ wotiḙarḙḙ

lit: “to stripe the painting”

Orḙinowḙḙ'ip' fo uṭ wotiḙarḙḙ.

(Don't stripe the painting!)

“to cast history into the untempered schism”

to screw up beyond all belief and repair

“evuw pidrowḙḙ uṭ kipaḙnuwom meleḙa oḙḙḙ”

lit: “to cast history into the untempered schism”

“Evuw pidro!”

(Screw it! I don't care! Whatever!)

And Making Them Right Again

“to grow red”

settling down (Gallifreyan grass is red)

san belḙmḙḙ

lit: "to become red"

Iraz ʒezıdanım eboz noçenəþ, sananın beləməþ uθ k'oçerwijoz.
(After he was judged innocent, the criminal grew red.)

"in the time to eat a banana"

doing something quickly, but not rushed

gıp' əθla aʒanı zi uh kızıxəþ

lit; "during the instance of eating a banana"

Iðananam ʒıfoþəþ gıp' əθla aʒanı zi uh kızıxəþ.

(He read the book during the instance of eating a banana.)

On the Road Again

"travel offwards"

to take one's time

muʒsun venorəl

lit: to travel away-wards

"Olak' ijodad lo ev?" (Where is he?)

"muʒsun venorəlamı ev." (He's traveling off-wards.)

"preja vu"

the sense that you're going to have been somewhere before

halit ʒılbm

lit: pre-post to see

"Σofok ijəlnodəb'alamı halitəþ ʒılbm."

(I'm sensing preja vu in that time/place.)

"feel the orange calling (oneself)"

wanderlust (the Gallifreyan sky is orange)

ʒəlnodəb' towa galwoʒarı uθ alomowıp'

lit: to sense (telepathically) that the orange is calling

"face the fear inside oneself"

face your fears/face the music because the fear is inside you and you cannot run from it

joznin uθ ʒernow ifuzəw oʒəp'

lit: to discover the fear inside oneself

Intellectual Advancement

"Vortex thoughts"

thoughts of such inspiration that they inspire fear and a touch of madness

е?wojçε Kιpα?nu

lit: thoughts Time Vortex

Oda? Kofijil e?wojçεjozna Kιpα?nu θulak'ozə? fə?.

(Koschei's Vortex thoughts were as drums.)

“find oneself”

initiation, the event in which you look into the untempered schism

joznin zərifu

lit: to discover oneself

Jik'a jozninam zəreβ Kofijoz, sanami εboz uðu [Master].

(When Koschei discovered himself, he became the Master.)

“the eyes of a TT”

uncanny foreknowledge (or hindsight) of an event ; having eyes in the back of one's head

uθ ?θçε Tardis zi

lit: the eyes of a Tardis

Passing the Time

“to throw time on the table”

to waste time doing pointless or reckless things (esp. gambling)

εvuw k'ip'ə? uθ α?ukəm ik'il

lit: to throw time onto the table

Proverbs/Թեսօսէրչէ

Life

B'i uθ binʔomna kuresil, odadi ʕajlɪzɑ hofzari.
Life begins at 750.

B'i uθ binʔomna kuresil, odadi p'əjzə hofzari.
Life begins at 1500.

Death

A+t+gɛkɑ uθ alotalʔwoz bami bɑ klaso.ət.
The dead only speak one language.
(Regarding lying or the futility of pleading for one's life, often before an execution.)

Trust

Nunatap'ip' fon uh k'ɔdət k'ip'ə zi!
Never trust a Time Lord!
(Said by regular Gallifreyans)

Arguments

A+t+gɛkɑ bami uθ alotalʔwoz bɑ klaso.ət.
Only the dead speak one language.
(An argument against making something universal)

Jokes / Μαῆβινçε

English

Q: What goes bang thud, bang thud, bang thud, bang thud, bang thud, bang thud, bang thud, bang thud, bang thud, bang thud, bang thud, bang thud, bang thud?

A: A Time Lord committing suicide.

Galifrejmi

Ek takinatit uθ aṭinan, “Uwumjan fo k’odçejəþ k’ip’ə zi.”

þaveiatit uðu Veniç əṭi oʔəp’.

Tongue-Twisters and Letter Practice

P'

Odadi uθ p'anəʒoz sojɪp' ek p'elɒg ek p'ek' p'əl'əʔ.

The old, important, stubborn wolf is fast.

K'

Odadi alop'ek'il uθ ark'ozna uh ek'lgelijəʔ k'ok'el fo aloʒoʊk'ɔm.

The assassin's stubbornness to not submit to jealousy is a revelation.

S, ʃ, ʦ

ʦəni sənətɪt əʃrɪ ʃʔʃʔoz ənəkəʔ ʃmɒlnɪʃm ek ʦɛrɪlɪʃm.

Inebriation makes people become wild and powerful later.

Internet Abbreviations (English-to-Gallifreyan)

ƎƦF = ƎdamisaƦıƦ, fowad?!	IKR = I know, right?!
ƦıƦ = ƦıƦaƦıƦaƦ	LOL = laugh out loud (am laughing)
ơơơ = ơơơsun ơơơoraơlamım ım.	BRB = be right back (I am traveling off-wards)
Sisi = [interj.]	OMG = Oh my goodness!
DFI = DamisaƦıƦ fo ım.	IDK = I don't know.
UOF = UƧ ora fəƦ	TBH = To be honest (as the truth)

Insults and Threats/Ήακ'αρι εκ Διθιμζε

With the Guys

Mελισδ! – Idiot!

Ζαζ! – [insult, approximated as “ass”]

Stuck in Traffic

Ζαμοναπ' uh ζοματ εψιν οζαπ'! – Rot in a black star!

Seriously Threatening

...nor εjobερjαk' ιμοζ λυρjατ uwina. – ...or I shall lay your soul to waste.

Dalek! – Dalek! [insult usually reserved for criminals, especially murderers]

Profanity and Such

Disclaimer: Most Gallifreyan profanity is cultural, involving the founders and/or leaders of Gallifrey and particular fantasies or fates befalling them.

Disclaimer 2: Conventional orthographic rules may or may not apply. Usually not.

<p><i>"Dae Rassilon!"</i> (For Rassilon's sake!)</p> <p><i>"Rassilonil bufrona!"</i> (Rassilon's ghost!)</p> <p><i>"Rassilonil alotatona!"</i> (Rassilon's death!)</p> <p><i>"Rassilonil za?slina!"</i> (Rassilon's name!)</p>	<p><i>"eḡimow eḡimo"</i> (Othering Other)</p> <p><i>"Pəɾju"</i> (Bitch/Bastard)</p> <p><i>"Evuw pidro!"</i> (Screw it!/Whatever!/I don't give a damn!)</p>
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