

## Movie story

## फिल्म की कहानी

काम कोई भी हो, पर उसके निरंतर अभ्यास और उसमें रुचि होने से वह काम आसान हो जाता है, चाहे वह कार्य अंग्रेजी सीखने का ही क्यों न हो। इसी बात को ध्यान में रखते हुए 'जानो इंग्लिश' के हर अंक में हम आपके लिए आपकी ही मनपसंद एक फिल्म की कहानी अंग्रेजी में पढ़ने के लिए पेश करते हैं। कहानी के बीच में आए कठिन शब्दों का समाधान भी कहानी के साथ संलग्न रहता है। इस बार हम मशहूर फिल्म 'चांदनी' की कहानी पेश कर रहे हैं, ताकि आप हिन्दी की तरह अंग्रेजी में कहानी पढ़ने का मजा लें और कुछ नए शब्द भी सीखें।

# चांदनी

Rohit meets Chandni at a wedding of his relative, and falls in love with her. He pursues her relentlessly until she agrees to marry him. His family is against the match because of the differences in their social status, but Rohit doesn't care.

One day, Rohit calls Chandni and asks her to wait for him on the terrace of her house. As she waits there, Rohit appears in a helicopter and showers rose petals over Chandni. He disappears from her view and she is once again surrounded by silence. She has an uncanny feeling that something has happened. Seconds later, Chandni receives a phone call and learns that Rohit is in hospital. Rohit's family instantly accuses her of being the reason why Rohit fell from the helicopter. Rohit is paralysed on his right side. His family continues to berate Chandni.

Finally, Rohit drives Chandni away for good, accusing her of ushering in his doom. She leaves, not knowing that Rohit, no longer able to stand the taunts towards Chandni, drove a wedge between them deliberately.

Chandni, intent on erasing every memory of Rohit, decides to move to Mumbai. She starts working for a travel agency which is headed by Lalit, a handsome and charming man, played by Vinod Khanna. He falls in love with Chandni

and asks her to marry him. She dwells on this question and finally says yes to the exultation of both himself and his mother. Coincidentally Lalit, on a business trip in Switzerland, meets Rohit who is there to receive treatment for his paralysis and now no longer needs the wheelchair. The men tell each other their stories, not knowing they are both singing about the same girl.

Back in India, Rohit shows up one evening at Chandni's door and to her utter amazement he stands up and does a little dance. Both are so overwrought with emotion at seeing each other again that Rohit proposes to her. Chandni remembers Lalit and informs Rohit that she now belongs to someone else. Rohit is taken aback. However, Chandni reminds him of the fateful day of their separation, asking him what he would have done if he had been in her place? Rohit mourns the memory and leaves with a regrettable shrug.

A day before the wedding, Lalit invites Chandni to meet his new friend. Rohit and Chandni pretend to be strangers. On the D-day Rohit, under the influence of alcohol, stumbles down a flight of stairs leading to the wedding procession. Chandni screams for Rohit to be saved. Lalit realises that Chandni belongs to Rohit and she was the same girl Rohit was singing about in Switzerland. In the end, he lets Chandni go and unite with Rohit.



Sr No.	Word	Meaning	Sr No.	Word	Meaning
1.	Relentlessly	लगातार	11.	Coincidentally	संयोगवश
2.	Disappears	अदृश्य होना	12.	Utter	पूरी तरह से
3.	Uncanny	विचित्र	13.	Overwrought	अत्यधिक भावुक
4.	Instantly	तुरंत	14.	Fateful	दुखद
5.	Paralysed	लकवा मारना	15.	Mourns	अफसोस प्रकट करना
6.	Berate	फटकारना	16.	Shrug	कंधा झाड़ना
7.	Doom	बरबादी	17.	Pretend	बहाना करना
8.	Wedge	दूरी बनाना	18.	Stumbles	लड़खड़ाकर गिरना
9.	Intent	इरादा	19.	Procession	बारात
10.	Exultation	खुशी	20.	Screams	चीखना

## बेफिक्र हो अपने रास्ते पर चलें

आपकी अंग्रेजी और बेहतर बने, इसके लिए हम 'जानो इंग्लिश' के माध्यम से आपको समय-समय पर कुछ नया देते रहते हैं। अंग्रेजी सिखाने वाली साइट्स की एक बड़ी शृंखला के तहत आपको अंग्रेजी बोलने से लेकर लिखने तक की हर सामग्री उपलब्ध करायी गयी। इन साइट्स के माध्यम से आपने उसका भरपूर उपयोग भी किया। अपनी आगे की पढ़ाई जारी रखने के लिए भी आपको कुछ जाने-माने विश्वविद्यालयों की साइट्स से परिचय कराया गया। आपका अंग्रेजी ज्ञान और बढ़े, इसके लिए हम आपको एक उपदेशात्मक कबीर का दोहा, साथ में उसका अंग्रेजी में अर्थ व व्याख्या दे रहे हैं। आपको इस प्रयास के माध्यम से अंग्रेजी ज्ञान के साथ-साथ व्यावहारिक ज्ञान प्राप्त करने में भी मदद मिलेगी।

## Due to और Owing to जानिये दोनों के प्रयोगों को

The words 'Due to' and 'Owing to' mean 'because of'. However, there exists a minor difference between the two. There are rules which must be observed while using them.

Phrases beginning with due to /owing to are often separated from the rest of their sentence by the use of comma.

For example:

1. The train was delayed, due/owing to bad weather.

2. The project failed, due/owing to lack of consensus among stakeholders.

However, there is an exception to the rule here. 'Due to' and 'Owing to' can't be used synonymously in a sentence. While 'due to' can be put after the verb form 'be', 'Owing to' cannot be used like this. For example:

1. The delay was due to bad weather. (and not The delay was owing to bad weather.)

2. His misery is due to his failure. (and not Owing to).

3. My success is due (and not Owing to) to my commitment.



कबिरा तेरी झोंपड़ी, गल कटियन के पास।  
जो करेंगे सो भरेंगे, तू क्यों होत उदास।।

Kabira Teri Jhompri Gal Katiyan Ke Paas  
Jo Kareng So Bhareng Tu Kyon hot Udaas

### Translation

O Kabir! Your Hut Is Next to the Butchers' Bay  
Why Do You Feel Down? For Their Conduct They Only Shall Pay

### Meaning:

In the Doha, Kabir attacks ritualistic elements that tend to infest religious practices over time. Religious heads, be it the pundit or maulavi, aggressively promoted ideas of purity, morality and righteousness. Kabir was largely unimpressed and irreverent to these external rules and regulations. Through his life and teachings, he emphasised the importance of internal purity. Kabir, indirectly counters these apocryphal priests, taking the discussion on the matter to a totally different level. Kabir teaches us, in a humble manner, the idea of detachment. In spiritual texts, this concept is likened to the existence of the Lotus - a beautiful flower that grows in swampy and dirty ponds yet rises above it. Here Kabir tells us to live in this world and focus on our own journey, without worrying about the good, bad or ugly aspects of life. One should acquire a sense of objectivity while dealing with affairs of the world. According to him, the world and its ways will take care of themselves, that's not our job. We should focus our attention only on the real reason behind coming into the world, that is, to realise our true identity.

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## New Words

## नये शब्द

## 1. Doldrums

## Pronunciation:

(DOLE-druhms) noun (used with a singular or plural verb).

## Meaning:

1. A period of stagnation or slump. A period of depression or unhappy listlessness.

2. A region of the ocean near the equator, characterized by calms, light winds.

Usage: The business company is going through doldrums these days.



## नये-नये शब्दों के साथ दोस्ती कीजिए

## 2. Kine

## Pronunciation:

(kien) noun

Meaning: A plural of cow. (Archaic)

Usage: I didn't know that the plural form of cow is kine.

## 3. Adulate

## Pronunciation:

adulate (AJ-uh-layt) tr.verb

Meaning: To praise or admire excessively; fawn on.

Usage: He is worthy of all adulation he has received for his work until now.

## 4. Catch-22

## Pronunciation

(kach twen-tee TOO) noun

## Meaning:

A situation marked by contradiction, absurdity, or paradox, where a solution is impossible to achieve. (From Catch-22, a novel by Joseph Heller.)

Usage: The height of Indian skyscrapers has surpassed the sounds, sights and stings of Bharat. Bridging this gap would be like a catch-22 situation.

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