

Cafe Funiculi Funicula

There is a city mystery in this underground cafeteria, if you can sit on a specific seat and get a cup of handmade coffee made by the cafeteria owner, then you can travel back to the past or travel to the future.

However, there are some rules for this time travel:



- ◆ *No matter what you will do, the results won't change.*
- ◆ *Even if you have traveled to that time, you have to sit there without moving.*
- ◆ *Have to finish the coffee before it's fully cooling down, otherwise you will become a ghost.*
- ◆ *The person you want to see had to be a visitor of this cafeteria too, otherwise you won't meet.*
- ◆ *If someone is sitting on that seat, you have to wait.*

Cafe Funiculi Funicula - The Lovers

In the book, the girl is beautiful and very talented, the boy is talented, hard working, ambitious, quiet and lack of confidence because of the scar on his head (do you think the actor looks like Harry Potter...). The boy is a developer, BTW.

On the day when the boy has achieved his goal and is about to leave for US to work there, he really wants to ask the girl to wait for 3 years, but dare not to say anything. The girl thought he is about to talk about breaking up, and didn't give him the chance to say anything...



Finally the girl had to travel back to the time, in order to know what did he really want to say.

*I just want to say,
when your boyfriend is a developer, don't
you know, that you should tell him
directly what you think?*

Cafe Funiculi Funicula - Husband and Wife

The man got Alzheimer's disease, and he could no longer recognize his wife.

However, almost everyday, he will come to this cafeteria, hoping to get the chance to sit on that seat, so that he could give his wife a letter at the time before he got the disease.

But he never got the chance to sit on that seat, his wife did, and got the letter.



What made me feel warmhearted was the moment, when his wife traveled back to the past, mentioned the letter, the man suddenly realized that his wife came from the future, and realized that he is going to forget about her in the future. So he gave her the letter immediately, persuading her to finish the coffee before it gets cold, so that she won't become a ghost, then he turned backwards, weeping.

Cafe Funiculi Funicula - Sisters



She escaped from home when she was 18, and let her sister to undertake all the family burden, because she loves freedom. Every year, her sister will come, trying to persuade her to go home, but she always hided.

If she knew her adorable sister would die on her way back home, would she reject her in the last time when she came?

Why we never cherish the moment when that person is in front of you, and always let that moment become the last time?



Cafe Funiculi Funicula - Mom and Daughter

The book and the movie are talking about 2 different stories in this part. The movie has explained who is the woman (a ghost) always sits on that time travel seat, reading a book.

But both stories are about, the daughters could no longer being touched by their moms, not because of anyone's fault, but because of the choices their moms made.

