

Speaker No.1

“Starting Japan from the beginning”

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While visiting many countries I came across several traveling friends. Last March, I visited Portugal with one of them. I was able to trace the relationship between Japan and Portugal during my stay. After I left her, I ran into a Chinese lady who moved to Portugal and we talked for a long time. I had never expected that I would have a Chinese friend and this event made my trip perfect. Without English, I may never have had these opportunities to make friends when traveling. If you take only one thing from my speech then it should be: Learn English. Use English. Make friends.