## Guangxu

The Opium Wars - C
Taiping Rebellion - C&G
democracy - C
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100 Days of Reform - G
Boxer Rebellion - C
Consort Zhen - G

G1- gungxu

G2- gungxu's advisor

C1- cixi

C2- cixi's advisor1

C3- cixi's asvisor2

# 1. Cixi' advisor tells Cixi that boxer rebellion was defeated by eight alliance

C2: Empress Dowager Cixi! Foreigners are trying to suppress the boxer rebellion! and I think in a few days they can succeed!

C1: Seriously?

C2: Yes, the 8 alliance nations, they have really good millitary technology, there are a lot of things I've never seen before...

C1: I see.. What should we do? If they can stop the boxers, we will be in trouble for sure.

C3: Yes... they are the only chance that will help us stop the foreigners from invading us.

C2: I think there is no way the boxer rebellion can win. They are a group of fools.

C1: Guangsu might be laughing right now...

C3: Maybe you should talk to him

C1: I have nothing to talk to him. He is literally foolish. Think that foreigners will help us... And see? what they want is only taking advantage of us. We will never lose to the foreigner. Heaven will be on our side!

C3: But I worry that we will have to leave the palace soon. Otherwise, both you and the emperor will be in danger.

C2: how about consort zhen. Do we have to bring her with us?

C1: forget about her. We will not let her go with us.

C3: But the emperor will not let us do that.

C1: then just kill her!!

### 2. C2 tells C1 about consort zhen

G2: Your majesty! We have just found the body of Consort Zhen at Ming Xia Palace, the northern part of the forbidden city!

G1: Whattt?

G2: there is a rumor from some nobles that she was murdered by the eunuch.

G1: How come?

G2: There is another rumor that your aunt, Empress Dowager Cixi, ordered him.

G1: I see...she always wants consort zhen to die. She doesn't like how consert zhen encouraged my attempt to introduce political reforms. But how dare she.

# 3. G and C fight

G1: Empress Dowager Cixi!

C1: ... Hello your majesty. Why do you come here today?

G1: I think you know why I am here. You murdered one of my people, Consort Zhen.

C1: I didn't, your majesty. Who told you that i did?

G1: There is no point answering your question.

C1: Then there is no point talking to you too, your majesty.

G2: Hey don't you know who you are talking to?

C1: Oh sorry, your majesty I just spoke my mind. Oh I almost forget about those foreigners. Haven't you seen what happened?

G1: Empress Dowager Cixi! I've told you many times that it's good to trade with them. The problem is the chinese not the foreigners.

C3: Excuse me, your majesty, but as I konw since we started trading with foreigners, they just tried to take advantage of us.

C2: For example, the opium war, if we hadn't traded with them, there would have been no war.

C1: It was all because of their selfishness. Your majesty, you should do something with them.

G1: You are looking at the problem at only one side. The boxer rebellion failed since they had no good weapons.

G2: Trading with the foreigners, we will receive a lot of good technology. The reason why the boxers are almost lost now is because they believe about beyond being too much

C1: But they also caused a lot of problems to china right? The history of China, we had never lost before. We were the biggest empire in the history.

G1: But we still have a chance to become powerful again, by reforming our government, economy, and society. I will call it "a hundred days of reforming".

G2: The technology we have now cannot even compare to what the foreigners have. If china modernize itself by accepting in the western influences, China will become strong again.

G1: for example japan a country that copes with the western ideas and modernizes into a democracy once became successful and right not it's greater than china

C1: why do we have to follow them? They are just foolish and pathetic people that follow other people s idea and couldnt resist the change and therefore making their country look very weak

C2: and im afraid that if we accept the western ideas our graceful tradition will be lost.

G1: It's only you that are still too conservative. Currently, some of the people in China had already accepted the ideas of change. For example, the Taiping rebellion that wanted to change the government

G2: they wanted to change because the current one is too weak

C3: Taiping people are stupid, they rebel because they think like you and would make China's tradition lost and will make China look very weak and pathetic.

G1: If you believe like that you shouldn't be their ruler. You don't even love our own citizen. I would take control of the Taiping and the lower parts of China myself.

C1: The emperor should not joke on someone, you know right?. If you said so, I will accept that. You take control of your people and I will take control of mine.

C2:i've got an idea we will take control of the nothern parts. They are more superior and more intelligent than the southern Chinese because they people are closer to Manchuria and therfore are true Chinese people.

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# G has a plan to modernize China by reforming its government, economy cp8and society. He calls the plan "a hundred days of reforming". It is very needed because China just lost a war agiast the Japanese. He believes that it is needed because China failed to self - strengthen itself. He believes that if China modernize itself by accepting in the western influences, China will become strong again. He thinks that there is a big disadvantage in technology because the western has far more advanced technology tha China and will make it very hard for China to fight with the western with their current technology. He wants China to start trading with foreigners so that there would be some exchange in ideas and technology that will strengthen China.

C disagree strongly with G. She believes that China is the greatest country and the strongest. She thinks that China is stronger than the western so there would be no need to accept the influences of the western and there would be no need to get the western technology to fight them since China is already strong.

G oppose with C ideas because China is losing from wars and fights with other countries and if China doesn't modernize, there will be more disadvantaging acts from the western because they see China as weak and foolish countries. G also give example of Japan, a country that cope

with the western ideas and modernizes its government into a Democracy one was successful and made Japan greater than China.

C said that the Japanese were just foolish and pathetic people that had to follow other people's idea and could not resist the change and therefore making their country look very weak. She also fears that the original tradition of the Chinese would be lost if they accept the western influence.

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4. G พูดถึง western technology กะ 100 days of reform+Democracy พูดถึงญี่ปุ่นว่าประสบความสำเรจ แบบมันมีข้อดี

**G** :

- 5. แบบประมานว่าtechnologyของจินมันกาก ก้เลยต้องรับtechเข้ามา
- 6. ให้gพูดว่าtaipingเกิดมาเพราะคนอยากเปลี่ยนแปลง
  2ฝั่งกับอกว่ามันเป็นภัยต่อราชวง ก็เลยตบกัน แล้วก็แยกแยกเปนnorth china(C)เพราะว่าอยู่ใกล้manchu กะ south china(G)เจริญกว่าเพราะว่าตปทเข้ามาขายของ