

The Popular Music of China; Shanghai, Hong Kong, and Beijing – Part 5F

Let's continue with our exploration of the contemporary music of China and the cultural aspects of it. Let's zoom by with these little notations...

China is a serious nation run by a government of high-achievers.

To many people in the West, China is a mystery. You have American Neocons, and liberals all (more or less) repeating the American main-stream narrative about China. That can be anything from a positive trading partner, to a saber-rattling war-monger. It's all about how the oligarchs want to manipulate the public.

However, real China is something else entirely. In fact, I would say that since [1] China has advanced technologically, economically and socially at break-neck speed, and [2] China was never understood by the West, [3] Western media is designed to manipulate not inform, that China is completely inadequately described in the West. It is not just an enigma, but it is wholly under-appreciated, and under-understood.

There are many things that I could go on, and on about. But one of the key

points is that China is a meritocracy. China is a serious, serious nation that is run by the highest achievers in their respective fields.

It begins in kindergarten, and from there, the culling begins. People are immediately classed by ability, and you must develop both your EQ and IQ to succeed. Otherwise you WILL end up begging in the streets, or doing manual shit-labor. You must push and strive in China just to exist.

Those in leadership positions have gotten there through years in this kind of crucible. They are not like the Obama or Clinton governmental appointments. They got there by ability, and hard... hard work.

They are nothing to be trifled with.

Culture is important to the Chinese.

Here's a great song by HK singer Jay Chou. It's applied to this cute wedding where flower petals fall out from umbrellas instead of rice being thrown about. This is one of the various traditional rituals that are performed during weddings in China.

Jay is a very famous singer that has many many movie videos and roles within movies. Movies including "Now you see me 2". He is famous for his love ballads and stories about the boy fights against all odds to be with the girl type themes. I am a real sap for these kinds of movies, stories and videos. I love this theme, where you the guy can come to the rescue the pretty girl, and protect her.

Here's a pretty good MV about just this kind of theme. The name of the video (and song) is 古力娜扎 . (An ugly title, I am afraid.) If you can't watch it using the free Chinese servers (often blocked or delayed in the US-A), just copy and paste into You-Tube and watch it there.

You can view it [HERE](#), or [HERE](#), as well.



Jay Chou likes to sing about sappy Chinese ballads about rescuing the pretty girls. I really like this theme as it brings out the "protector" role in me; a role that all men have. Scene is a screen shot from the music video.

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Now this role-play, and this theme isn't just popular to me because I am a old-fuddy duddy traditional conservative. It is a theme that all traditionalists aspire to. When I have shown you the micro-videos of the girls playing role-play and dress up in traditional garb, it is this kind of music, and this kind of theme, and YES, this kind of relationship that they all are aspiring for.



Boy meets girls, they fall in love. Bad people try to come between them. He defends his family. This is the role that men and women have had for centuries. Scene is a screen shot from the music video.

The gals and the guys are looking for THE ONE.

Girls, come on! You know what I am talking about, eh? This transcends culture. It is biologically ingrained into our very being.

- The Man goes forth. He works and fights. He protects his family and gives everything that he has, his hopes and his dreams and his money and earnings for his family. He fights for them and protects them.
- The woman nurtures, supports and heals the man. She takes care of the home and the family. She is the anchor that he knows will be there for him.

In this traditional relationship, there is no room for a woman belittling her man. No. That is a progressive liberal lifestyle. In traditional conser-

vative households the woman honors her husband and supports him and allows him to protect the family. It seems so strange to Americans today simply because America has been a progressive liberal nations for the last five decades or so.



In the world, the man must always defend his family, his love and his life from those on the outside. They will always try to take from him. They will try to steal his money, and they will attack his family, and they will covet his wife. A man must fight to protect his family. Chinese girls, being very traditional, understand this role. Scene is a screen shot from the video.

I would say that this single video, if you watch it, well explains modern Chinese musical culture, in terms and in ways that only the Chinese can understand, and which is often misinterpreted by the progressive-liberals in America and out in the West.

In China, and in other parts of the globe, everyone aspires to this lifestyle that Jay Chou sings about. Thus, you can see it manifest in different ways... including historical role-play.

What are the Chinese girls really like?

Here the theme behind this song is to show just “who you really are”, well maybe this micro-video says it all...

Maybe all the fun and games of the modern life can be swept aside when you study what the real feelings and emotions of the Chinese people are. For underneath everything you have a very conservative and traditional people.

Discos and Clubs are fun.

I like to sing and play in the clubs. Here is a good idea what it is like...

Dancing and Exercise are consid-

ered nearly identical in outcome.

When I say that everyone in China dances, I am not using hyperbole. Dancing and exercise is a fundamental part of life in China, as well as in other conservative nations. Even the most fundamental Muslim nations have singing and dancing as part of their traditional rituals.

It is the progressive liberal reality... one geared towards a very bland "utopia" where no one likes to sing or dance. But, China is traditional and conservative.

Fads and fashion come and go, but most revolve around music.

The below is a hospital college. Like the rest of China, they have gotten all caught up in the latest songs, and fashion of the year.

What friends are for...

I love this. Dudes, you need to spend time with your friends. Go out, and spend \$20 on some beer and pizza and just talk. You must go forth. Time is being wasted. Make your life count. Do it TODAY.

This is not hyperbole. You need to develop your friendships. You need to build up a strong network of friends. You need to just hang out with them. You need to live life. Yes... YOU do.

Even if that means buying a bag of Doritos and watching reruns of old Vincent Price movies on the computer monitor. You must do that, even if it means that you will need to drag your dog and your kids along. Go and bring a fishing pole why don't ya? Don't a a permit, well being your tackle box as an excuse to trade spinners.

Relationships don't just happen, you need to create them.

One of the things that often happens in the United States is that we get so caught up at work, and unless we have an active church and spiritual life, our friendships eventually wither away and die. The Chinese do not let that happen. They try to cultivate their friendships every opportunity that they get.

This next video is from Vietnam. Heck the rest of the world is having fun, why not you? Are you too good to have fun? Are you better than everyone else. Or are you waiting for the USA government to declare war on some other nation so you can get a free trip over and “see the world” on Uncle Sam’s dollar? Eh?

What? Don’t want to go to Yemen, Syria, Afghanistan, Libya, and the handful of others? I hear that the Neocons want a war in Venezuela. Hey! You do love to throw your tax dollars away don’t ya!

Not one single war, since World War II, ever made any difference in my personal life. It’s all about us “regular Joes” fighting and dying for the rich oligarchs.

Hey! Here’s Vietnam. Loving it. Chilling and having fun. What’s your fucking excuse?

Life is short. Have fun.

Why not? Are you afraid some troll will say bad things to you. Maybe disparage you in some way. Call you names. make fun of your labors, accuse you of stupid things.

Who gives a fuck about shut-ins? Live life. It’s your choice.

Oh, and the MV conclusion...

Oh yes, for those of you who didn't watch the MV from Jay Chou mentioned above, please note that their relationship had both good and bad times. For life, is anything but peaches and creme. They had a family, but the bad guys came and the hero had to fight to save his family. He fought long and hard. He fought and he fought. But he was mortally wounded. He saved his family, but he died in the process.



Sometimes, all that a man can give is not enough. What matters is that he protects his family; that he protects the children, the babies and the little kittens. It is his role as a man.

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Links about China



The Dance Craze that is Sweeping China

China is a big country, and as such it has passing fads and events that everyone seems to participate in. The latest is a dance craze that is based on a silly song involving Tarzan like yodeling. Everyone is doing it from kids, to policemen, doctors and entire school classrooms.



The Tale of the End-of-the-Day Potato

When you finish a good day's work, how do you like to be rewarded? How about a nice beer, and a nice well-cooked meal? How about your dogs or cats near by? How about a kiss on the cheek, a nice frosty alcoholic beverage in your hand? Or, as I have found, my end-of-the-day potato.



News as Every-Day Dog-Shit

Has the news that you read every day benefitted you? Has it made your life better, happier, calmer or helped you to make more money? What benefit do you derive from reading it? Chances are that it provides no benefit at all; you are just a slave to habit for others to manipulate.



Attack of the Dancing Grandmothers

One of the things about China is that the old folk love to dance and exercise. They get up at the crack of dawn and dance to loud disco until every goes out to work. Then they rest. They return to dance at dinner time until night. Here is my take on this crazy and popular Chinese pastime.



When the SJW Movement Took Over China

Many people are unaware that the SJW movement is not regional to the United States. It is global. It reoccurs in a generational cycle. China has experienced three such cycles in my lifetime. This is the sad story of what happened when the SJW's were permitted to run amok in China.



The Importance of a Family Meal Together

One of the most important things that I have learned is that friends, family and close-ones should share meals together. Further, they should do so with some sense of formality and purpose. Here is my take on this issue, and how I prefer to structure my family meals.



Freedom and Liberty in China

As Americans we have been raised into believing that America is an oasis of freedom in a world of chaos. We have been taught that other nations are shit-holes and that communist nations are the worst. Well, the 1960's narrative doesn't play well in the 2020's reality.



The Ben Ming Nian – The 12 Year Curse

The Chinese believe that all life have both a physical reality and a non-physical reality. As such it goes through a twelve year cycle. Every twelve years it sort of resets itself. A new phase of life thus begins. Here we discuss this from the point of view of interactive quanta and patterns.



Beware the Expat

There are a handful of expats that have left America to explore a new life outside of America. We do so for many reasons. Some of us want a new quiet life, while others want excitement. Still others want to unleash their criminal skills on an unsuspecting public. Be aware.



How a Business KTV Works in China

KTV's are all over China. They range from tiny booths, to family affairs to fancy palaces for friends. Here we discuss a kind of "seeder" side of the KTV phenomenon. We discuss the KTV used to discuss business and to reward high-performing employees; The Business KTV.



How to tell if Wine is Fake in China

There are many fake things made in China. From fake designer purses, to fake mouse-traps. If someone can make some extra money by making something fake, they will try it. Here, we talk about one of the most dangerous of fake goods; fake red wine.



How China Deals with Obesity

In the modern world, obesity is a real problem. People all over the world are getting fatter and heavier. The American solution is to ban fattening things, and make laws to control behavior. Here we discuss the Chinese solution; to provide areas to dance and exercise.



Great Wedding Ideas from Chinese Weddings

The Chinese have over 5000 years of experience in formalized weddings, culture, food and relationships. Here we spend some time looking at the contemporaneous Chinese wedding. We look at the fun and playful side of it for ideas that we can use in American weddings. Enjoy.



How Christmas is Celebrated in Communist China

Contrary to what most Americans believe, Christmas is celebrated all over the world. The progressive narrative of banning it, or turning it into a pale shadow of what it once was is a lie propagated by “diversity officers”. Here we talk about the celebration of Christmas in China.



What Chinese Apartment Houses are Like

After a thirty-year-long growth spurt, China has forged an enormous and growing middle class. This has, in turn, created a need for consumer appliances, automobiles, and apartments. Here we look at what Chinese apartment houses are like. They are quite different.



Snapshots of Chinese Culture

China is a land that changes every few months or so. The roads change, the buildings change. The society, culture and traditions seemingly move with the changes in all sorts of interesting ways. Here we talk about these changes in the form of micro-videos. It’s a fun post, most certainly.



What Rural China is Like

Unless you have lived in China, your impressions of what China is will have been colored by the news media. There would be mention of the new ultra-modern cities, and some discussion on the pollution in the industrial areas. No mention of anything else. Here we attempt to cover this omission.



Chinese New Year – cultural snapshots of society

The Chinese New Year (CNY) is a very important holiday in China. It has many cultural aspects regarding it that are unknown in the West. These things includes such things as spontaneous dancing upon arrival, quaffing hard grain alcohol and monkey parades. Here, present some videos of these events.

China and America Comparisons



Democrat Busybodies and the Destruction of Freedom

Wouldn't life be wonderful if you could just be left alone and live your life in peace? I think so. The founders of the United States thought so, however there is an army of busybodies who disagree. They have this vision of utopia where everyone listens to their commands.



Comparison between American and Chinese Playgrounds

The differences between American and Chinese playgrounds couldn't be more telling. It is a tale of how things are handled differently and the roles that parents take. In China the role of the parent is to equip the child for life. While in America it is to protect the child from life.



What Authentic Chinese Food is Like

The entire world feasts on “Chinese Food” served in “Chinese Restaurants”. This could be a Chinese take-out in Memphis, to a “Dim Sum” restaurant in NYC. As delicious as these establishments are, what is it like to eat real, Chinese food, in China? Well we talk about it right here.



The Last Straw – Why I Left America

We all come to cross-roads in our lives. We experience life in all of it's glory and pain. This is the story why I left the USA and moved to China. It's not that I hate the USA, I love it dearly and miss it terribly. However, a series of events and changes pushed me out. This is my story.



What it was like for me to leave America for China.

This is my story on the final moments of my life in the USA. I had just completed my retirement sequence for MAJestic and I was released to enter the monitoring section of my retirement. I decided to get the tattered remains of my life together and move to China and this is what it was like for me to do so.



What happens when you try to implement Diversity Initiatives in China

This is a very good story in what happens when a young millennial tries to implement diversity initiatives in China. There are many lessons here. From how pompous SJW's are to misconceptions about what China is.



What High School taught me about Democracy

Yes, I know, the United states is supposed to be a Republic. However, running for president in school was set up as a Democracy with majority vote. I learned a lot about the follies of a Democracy and what eventually befalls it. I wish to share those experiences with you.



Why an American man should leave America and Travel

America is great. It is large and wonderful. However, we all need to set outside of it to really appreciate what we have, and to face what we do not have. Only then can we really understand where our problems originate from and how to resolve them



Top Ten Misconceptions that Americans have about China

There are many misconceptions about far-away places. China, due to it's size, and relative importance as a source of manufactured products is often the target of many a ill-defined comment. The disconnect between reality and perception is enormous. Here we discuss it.



The Top Ten Misconceptions Chinese have about the USA

When the Chinese come and visit the United States, they are often spellbound in shock and amazement. They find that they LOVE, absolutely L-O-V-E the United States. I have many friends who have told me this. Another thing that they have told me is that it was not what they expected.



Comparisons Between American and Chinese Girls

Here we compare the differences in beauty between Chinese and American women. Since beauty is in the eye of the beholder, we spend some time looking at what makes women attractive to the opposite sex and why. Then we look at attractive girls comparatively.

The Chinese Business KTV Experience



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Introduction

Here is the first part of a 17 post detailed explanation of how business is conducted In China, and more specifically, how a Business KTV operates. We discuss many things from the cultural context, to society, to relationships, to industry and the rewards awarded to high performers to propaganda.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – The Tea Ritual

No matter if you go to a KTV, or just are visiting friends, you will be presented with the “Tea Ritual”. There are numerous tea rituals, and here in this instance, we discuss the events of drinking tea prior to meeting company bosses and using tea to wash out cups and dishes for dinner.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – The Dinner

Fundamental to conducting any social or business activity in China is the formal dinner. This is substantially different from anything in the West, and is often misunderstood. In China offering some food is more than just being polite and hospitable, it is a way of gaining guangxi. We talk about this here.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Respect and Food

To conduct business in China, you do need to have some idea of what is going on and why. China has centuries of culture and traditions. Theses have been established for many years and works towards defined purposes. Here we talk about some of the various aspects of why things work this way.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Pre-party Preparation

Here we talk about leaving the dinner celebration and getting ready to go to the KTV to have some fun. We discuss what is involved, the various issues that take place and how things work. This is more or less an intimate look at some of the various aspects of a Chinese business KTV.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – The Pretty Girls

One of the things that appeal to me about the Chinese business KTV is the ability to get to sing and dance (!) with intelligent, attractive and beautiful Chinese ladies. Here, we look at the girls and what they are like. The American narrative of flat-chested, pre adolescent appearing brown-skinned waifs is way, off-track.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Selecting a Companion

One of the great things about KTV's (and bars and clubs for that matter) is that you don't have to be alone. You can rent a companion to sing with. You can rent a companion to play games with you, to dance with you and to play jokes with. It's a great way to have fun, and we discuss this aspect of it.



How a Chinese Business KTV works – About the Girls

Here, we talk about the hostesses that work in the Chinese Business KTV's. They differ from girls that might work in the bars, the clubs or in other venues. It's an interesting subject, because I happen to like girls. Especially ones that can sing, dance and drink wine, and harder beverages with me.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Having Fun!

Here we discuss the various fun (!) aspects of a Chinese business KTV. We talk about the pretty girls, the playful games. We talk about the singing, the dancing, the drinking... Oh, and the smoking. We talk about the importance of it and why it is important for adults to have a release valve from life.



How a Chinese Business KTV works – NSFW Parties

Let's talk about adult entertainment. In the West, especially in America, all adult entertainment is restricted or banned. What is permitted is done in secret and in shame. It need not be that way. Here we discuss some ways that consulting adults have fun. I personally think that it is great.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Singing, Dancing and Money

Now we talk about the various aspects of a Chinese business KTV in much more detail. We talk about the costs that a Chinese boss would have to invest in this kind of activity. We talk about why this kind of event is important and how it inspires workers...



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Pretty Boys for the Girls

Of course, China might be traditional, but it is not sexist. For reasons of political expediency, In America tradition is associated with sexism. That is not the case, and China exemplifies that. In China you can have both female and male companions. Here we talk about the Hosts that are available to the well-heeled boss.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Going to the Hotel Room

All good things must end, but when you are dealing with the Chinese business KTV, the actual KTV event is only a part of the entire ritual. In fact, the real excitement comes later (provided you are worth it, proven yourself, and valuable). The real fun comes when you can relax and rest in your hotel room.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – The Next Day

Your eyes open up slowly. You find that you are nude and there are girls in the bathroom taking a shower. Your clothes are nicely folded off to the side, and there is purple vomit in the sink. You can't find your glasses, or your cell phone. You go and pee and are led back into bed. Here we talk about this...



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Crackdowns & Propaganda

The Western media is full of stories of sex exploitation in China. These stories are salacious and juicy. They speak of kidnapped child slaves that are used to service rich wealthy men. They speak of the poor girls that must service man after man, over and over, a living nightmare. It makes great copy, but is totally false.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Opinions of the Ignorant

Due to the enormous (profitable) media campaigns, there are many ignorant and incorrect ideas and opinions regarding China. This covers everything from those poor abused Muslims to milking rats. Here we talk about this. We spend time looking at how a traditional Chinese society is bemoaned by the progressive West.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – What the Girls are Like

There are so many misconceptions about what the Chinese people are like. Here is my attempt to clear up some of these misconceptions and take the time to describe what modern, contemporaneous Chinese women are like, what motivates them, and why there are fun to be with.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – The Ideal Girl

When you have 600 companions to select from, how do you choose? How can you find the “right” girl when every girl is a 9.7 or better? It’s a tough decision, I know, but it need not be impossible. Here are some guidelines that I use when selection a companion to play with.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Younger Girl

In a KTV, most of the girls are between 23 and 30 years old. However, sometimes you might come across a younger girl. These girls can be as young as 21. They are not as “good” or experienced as the more talented, established KTV hostesses. Here, we look at them and their unique qualities.



How a Chinese Business KTV Works – Conclusion and Summary
There are so many aspects to a Chinese Business KTV that it is common to reject everything due to our innate prejudices. Personally, I think the Chinese people are terribly misunderstood. I think that they are doing things RIGHT, and it is us in the West that need to take a good hard look at our life.

Learning About China



Learning About China through Looking at Pretty Girls -1

Here we discuss elevators, eating at work, subways, residential areas, apartment building hallways, riding on boats, family KTV's, getting out of cars, tennis courts, department stores and restrooms. It's pretty amazing what you can learn by looking at pretty girls.



Learning About China through Looking at Pretty Girls -2

Here we discuss suburbs and memorials. We discuss malls, Arabic culture, parking garages, bedrooms, living rooms, and living in Guangzhou. We discuss walking and talking. Finally a nice hypnotic dancing video for fun. It's pretty amazing what you can learn by looking at pretty girls.



Learning About China through Looking at Pretty Girls -3

Here we discuss more malls, farms and their kitchens, pools, apartment (3rd floor) parks and open areas, dance studios, military barracks, riding on a yacht, beaches, waterslides, and the garages outside a housing development. It's fun talking about China with all sorts of pretty girls.



Learning About China through Looking at Pretty Girls -4

Here we discuss public parks, gyms, work offices, apartments in Shanghai and the excellent views there, the Southern Chinese coast, Pizza Hut, speaking and singing in English (as a second language), sofas, safety at night, the ideal face, and buying gold in Hong Kong.



Learning About China through Looking at Pretty Girls -5

Here we discuss Shanghai, highways, hotels, exercise, and elementary school students dance-exercising, after-school dance classes, public squares and dancing and carrying on in public. We talk about rural kitchens, doors in apartments, and Chinese apartments in general.

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