

Haight Glossary

Amor a primera vista, de veras?

Love at first sight, don't you think?

Amorcito corazón, yo tengo tentación de un beso

Sweetheart, I am tempted to kiss you.

A reference to the famous Pedro Infante song

Bai chi

Idiot

Ben dan

Stupid

Bu yong xie

You are welcome

Chinese symbols

Strength



Peace



Happiness



Clarísimo güey

Obviously dude

Es una lástima que no sabes manejar

Literally, it is too bad you don't know how to drive. In this context it means you wouldn't know what to do with a woman anyway

Hen hao

Very good

Híjole que curvas y yo sin frenos

Literally, gosh what curves and me without brakes. In reference to a beautiful woman

Huauzontle

Mexican vegetable resembling broccoli

Jefe de la cocina

Chief cook

Ji zhu ni zi ji shi

Don't forget

Kufi

A brimless, short, rounded cap worn by men in Africa

Kyrie eleison

Literally, Lord have mercy upon us. Taken from the Roman Catholic mass. Greek.

Molto bene cameriere

Very good waiter. Italian

Ni hao or ni hao ma

How are you?

Ni ming bai le ma?

Do you understand?

No nos molesten

Don't bother us

Nopales

The fleshy leaves of a prickly pear cactus. Used in Mexican cooking

Relleno

Short for chile relleno. A stuffed chili pepper

Wan shang hao

Good evening

Xie, xie

Thank you

Zai jian

Goodbye