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It Don't Mean a Thing

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PINYIN / TERM	CHINESE	ENGLISH / MEANING
kāi mén yī dào	开门揖盗	To open the door and invite in a bandit. To "ask for trouble"
Wú Shū	吴书	Book of Wu, one of the three books that make up the Record of the Three Kingdoms
Sān Guó Zhì	三国志	The Record of the Three Kingdoms, written during the Jin Dynasty (晋朝)
Jin Dynasty	晋朝	Dynasty that lasted from 266-420
Luó Guànzōng	罗贯中	1330-1400, Author of the classic Ming Dynasty novel, "The Romance of the Three Kingdoms"
Kāi	开	To open
mén	门	Door, gate
Kāi mén	开门	To open the door
Yī	揖	When you Zuò Yī (perform a Yī), you're bowing and also extending your hands before you and clasp them. It is a polite greeting and show of respect
Dào	盗	a robber or bandit
Eastern Hàn	东汉	The second part of the Han Dynasty, also known as the Later Han, began on 25 AD after the overthrow of Wang Mang and the start of the reign of Han Guangwu
Yíng Zhèng	嬴政	Personal name of Qin Shihuang, the founding emperor of the Qin Dynasty
Liú Bāng	刘邦	Personal name of Han Gaozu, the founding emperor of the Han Dynasty
Sūn Quán	孙权	182-252, brother of Sun Ce, later Emperor of Eastern Wu (229-252)
Sūn Cè	孙策	175-200, elder brother of Sun Quan, military general and politician who got things going for the future Eastern Wu
Emperor Xiàn	汉献帝	Final emperor of the Han Dynasty who reigned 189-220

Cáo Pī	曹丕	First emperor of the Kingdom of Cao Wei. He was also the son of Cao Cao
Jiāng dōng	江东	The Eastern part of China comprising Jiangsu, and parts of Anhui and Zhejiang
吴郡	Wú jùn	Wú Prefecture
Sūzhōu	苏州	City in Jiangsu famous for many things
Dōng Wú	东吴	Eastern Wu, also known as Sun Wu. This was one of the Three Kingdoms contending for supremacy of all China
Xǔ Gòng	许贡	Died in 200 AD, a politician and minor warlord in Jiangsu
Dāntú	丹徒	A town just south of Zhenjiang on the Yangzi River
Zhāng Zhāo	张昭	156-236, Chief advisor to Sun Ce who later went on to serve Sun Quan
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