



ELEMENTARY LEVEL

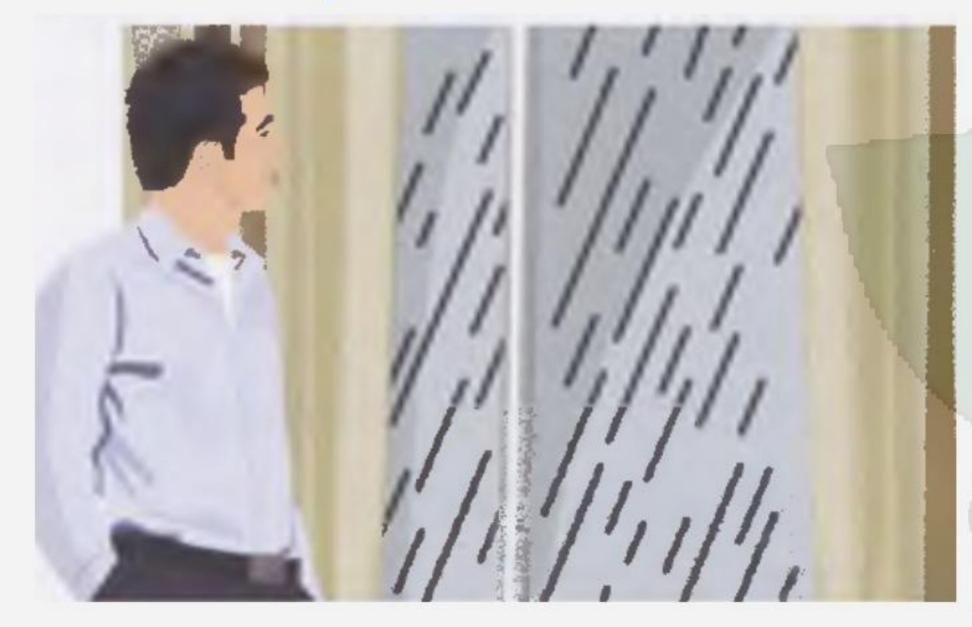
Unit 95- still / yet / already





A TRANG TÙ "STILL"

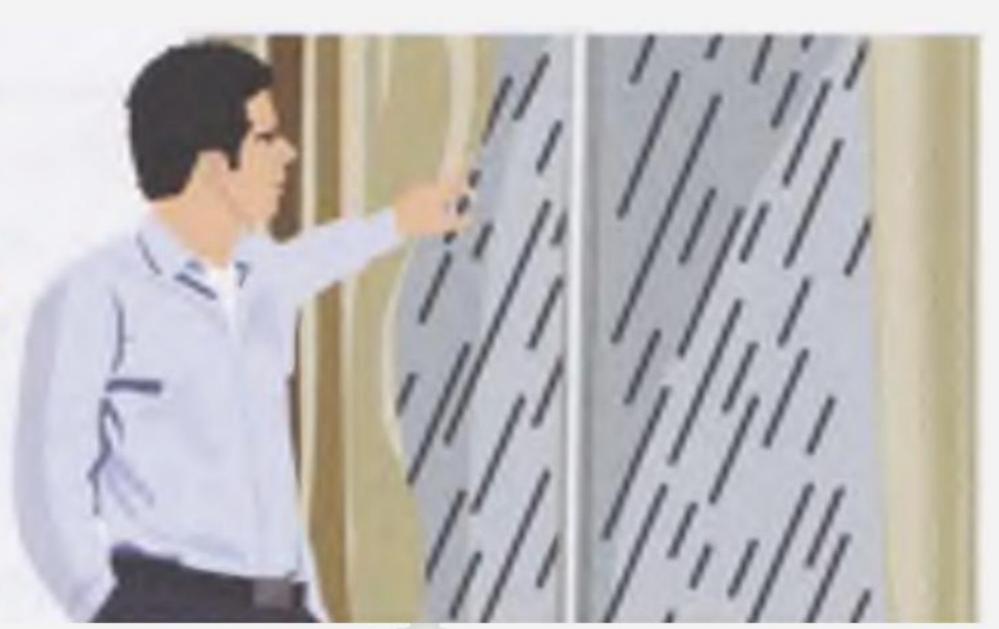




An hour ago it was raining.

The rain hasn't stopped





It is still raining now.

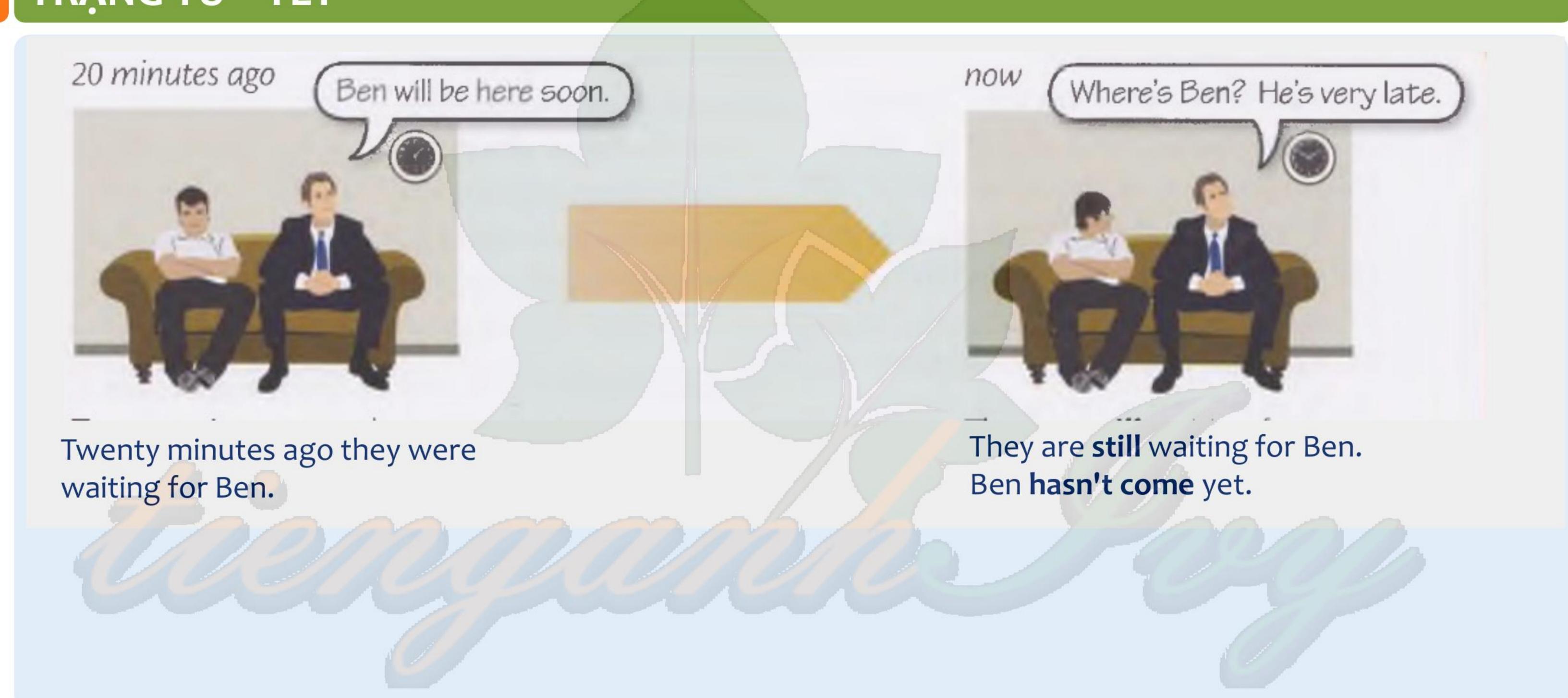
still = something is the same as before:

- Ex1: I had a lot to eat, but I'm still hungry. (= I was hungry before, and I'm hungry now)
- Ex2: 'Did you sell your car?' 'No, I've still got it.'
- Ex3: 'Do you still live in Barcelona?' 'No, I live in Madrid now.'



B

TRẠNG TỪ "YET"





B TRANG TÙ' "YET"

yet = until now

We use yet in negative sentences (He hasn't come yet.) and in questions (Has he come yet?). Yet is usually at the end of a sentence:

- Ex4: A: Where's Emma?
 - B: She isn't here yet. (= she will be here, but until now she hasn't come)
- Ex5: A: What are you doing this evening?
 - B: I don't know yet. (I will know later, but I don't know at the moment)
- Ex6: A: Are you ready to go yet?
 - B: Not yet. In a minute. (= I will be ready, but I'm not ready at the moment)
- Ex7: A: Have you finished with the newspaper yet?
 - B: No, I'm still reading it.

Compare yet and still:

- Ex8: She hasn't gone yet = She's still here. (not she is yet here)
- Ex9: I haven't finished eating yet = I'm still eating.



TRẠNG TỪ "ALREADY"

already = earlier than expected:

- Ex10: 'What time is Joe coming?' 'He's already here.' (= earlier than we expected)
- Ex11: 'I'm going to tell you what happened.' 'That's not necessary. I already know.'
- Ex12: Sarah isn't coming to the cinema with us. She has already seen the film.

always / yet + present perfect→ Unit 16

word order (still / already)→ Unit 94