xǔ pèi

许配

v. · to betroth a daughter to someone; (dated) to arrange a woman's marriage by parental decision

Example Sentences

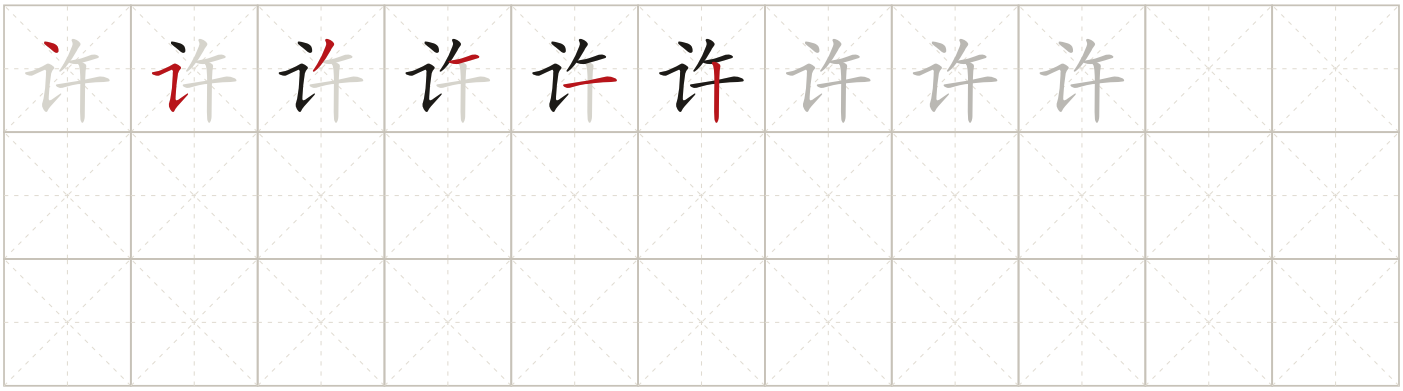
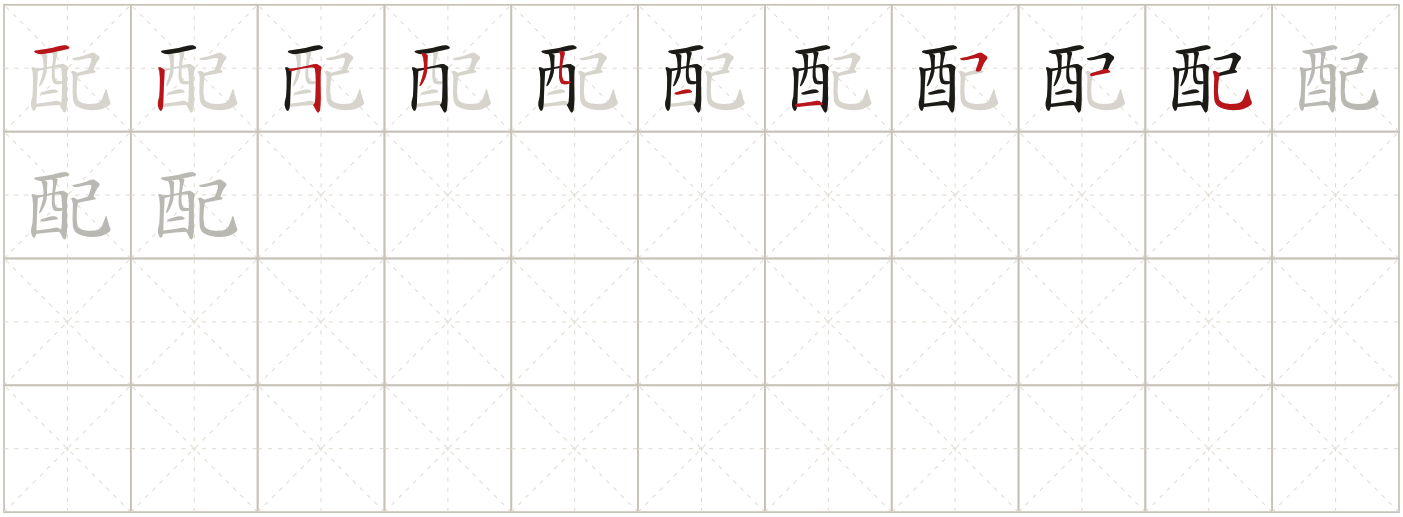
zài jiù xiǎo shuō lǐ fù mǔ cháng bǎ nǚ ér xǔ pèi gěi cóng wèi jiàn guò miàn de nán zǐ
在旧小说里，父母常把女儿许配给从未见过面的男子。

In old novels, parents often betrothed their daughter to a man she had never met.

zǔ mǔ shuō tā nián qīng shí bèi xǔ pèi gěi lín cūn de yī hù rén jiā
祖母说，她年轻时被许配给邻村的一户人家。

Grandmother said that when she was young, she was betrothed to a family in the neighboring village.

nà ge gū niang bù yuàn yì bèi xǔ pèi gěi yī ge mò shēng rén yú shì lí jiā chū zǒu le
那个姑娘不愿意被许配给一个陌生人，于是离家出走了。

That girl was unwilling to be betrothed to a stranger, so she ran away from home.

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