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SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_ /50

**A**  Listen to the conversation. Circle *True* or *False* for each statement.

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| 1 Chuck lost his phone case.                                   | True / false |
| 2 Chuck saw a friend when he was on Seventh Avenue.            | True / false |
| 3 Olga offers to help Chuck.                                   | True / false |
| 4 Chuck remembers buying a couple of items at the supermarket. | True / false |

\_\_\_\_\_ / 8 (2 points each)

**B** Circle the correct answers to complete the conversation.

**Mario** Are you OK, Sarah? What are you doing?

**Sarah** I'm trying to <sup>1</sup>*return / locate / drop* my passport! It <sup>2</sup>*disappeared / appeared / left*.

**Mario** Are you sure? Didn't you have it just last week when you went to Quito?

**Sarah** Yes, I did. And I had it when I came home, of course, but I've <sup>3</sup>*discovered / located / searched* everywhere for it, and I can't find it.

**Mario** All right. Keep calm. We're going to find it. Did you maybe <sup>4</sup>*leave / drop / discover* it at the office?

**Sarah** No, I don't think so. It's possible I <sup>5</sup>*left / dropped / returned* it when I was getting into the taxi.

**Mario** Yes, maybe. Someone will <sup>6</sup>*return / discover / search* it to you. People always <sup>7</sup>*appear / get / discover* stuff in the back of taxis and return it to the owner.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 7 (1 point each)

**C** Complete the conversation with the words in the box.

broke down   figured out   grateful   showed   sorry   take care   trouble   warn

**Juanita** Did you hear what happened to Maria, Robert?

**Robert** No! What? Is she OK? I hope she isn't in <sup>1</sup>\_\_\_\_\_.

**Juanita** I feel very <sup>2</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ for her. Her car <sup>3</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ on the highway this morning.

**Robert** Oh, no! Not again! I tried to <sup>4</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ her that the car needed to go to the garage.

**Juanita** She's pretty smart, and she <sup>5</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ what the problem was after about 15 minutes. Then she got lucky because someone stopped to help her. They <sup>6</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ her how to start the car again, and she made it to the garage.

**Robert** Wow! That was good.

**Juanita** Yes, Maria is very <sup>7</sup>\_\_\_\_\_. She's going to send a thank-you card.

**Robert** Poor Maria. She should <sup>8</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ of that car. It's getting old, and it needs a lot of attention. Maybe she should buy a new one.

**Juanita** Yes, I agree!

\_\_\_\_\_ / 8 (1 point each)

**D** Choose the correct verb for each sentence. Use the simple past.

disappear drop fall feel give locate search

- 1 What happened to your ring? \_\_\_\_\_ it \_\_\_\_\_ off your finger?
- 2 I lost my bike. It completely \_\_\_\_\_ from the place I left it.
- 3 Sam searched everywhere for his phone, but he \_\_\_\_\_ it.
- 4 We all \_\_\_\_\_ sorry for Carlos when his cat died.
- 5 Matt \_\_\_\_\_ his phone in the bathtub again.
- 6 Ana \_\_\_\_\_ me a ride to the airport, so I got there on time.
- 7 Sarah \_\_\_\_\_ everywhere for her lost dog.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 7 (1 point each)

**E** Complete the sentences with the past continuous or simple past form of the verbs in parentheses ( ).

- 1 When I \_\_\_\_\_ (get off) the train, Mike \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) for me in the parking lot.
- 2 I \_\_\_\_\_ (show) my cousin all the best places in town while she \_\_\_\_\_ (stay) with me.
- 3 What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (do) when I saw you downtown?
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep) when I \_\_\_\_\_ (call) you?
- 5 Lucas \_\_\_\_\_ (walk) home when the storm \_\_\_\_\_ (start).

\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 (2 points each)

**F** Read the interview. Then answer the questions.

### LOST AND FOUND

Meet Levi. He works at Back Bay Train Station in Boston. He deals with all the things that people lose or find on the trains and in the station every day. We asked Levi a few questions.

*Do you like your job?*

I love my job. I meet so many people. Just last week, I spoke to over 300 customers. I work 5 days a week, so that was at least 60 people a day. It's terrific to see how grateful people are when you give them back the stuff they lost. One day, in 2005, when I was working at New York's Penn Station, a woman arrived at my office with a big bunch of flowers for me. She just wanted to say thank you.

*How do you locate the people who have lost their stuff?*

Usually they come to me. They know they've lost, for example, their purse. They come to the office and tell me what they lost. They give me the date and the train they were on. And then I take their contact information. When we find the item, we give them a call.

*What do people lose and find most often?*

Oh, that's easy! Phones. Phones, phones, phones! Last week, I was looking through some boxes when my coworker asked me how many phones we had. We had 173 phones. I'm not kidding. But, you know, we have on average at least 350 items lost and found a week, everything from keys to laptops to kids' toys.

*Why phones?*

Well, I guess it's because people keep them in their pockets, and they fall out and drop on the floor. I met this guy the other day. He searched the whole train for his phone. After an hour, he still couldn't find it. Do you want to know where it was? In his pocket!

*What's the strangest thing someone's – found on a train?*

You're not going to believe this – a wild turkey. I guess the passenger didn't want to take care of it!.

- 1 How many lost phones were in Levi's office when they counted them?

A 173  
B 350  
C 60

- 2 Does Levi enjoy his job?

A No, he doesn't.  
B He liked his old job but not this one.  
C Yes, he does.

- 3 How did a woman show Levi she was grateful?

A She sent him a thank-you card.  
B She gave him flowers.  
C She took him out for a nice lunch.

- 4 How does Levi return lost property to people?

A He tells the train drivers to take care of it.  
B His coworker puts it in boxes and sends it to the people.  
C People usually pick up their property at the lost and found office.

- 5 What gets lost most on trains?

A phones  
B purses  
C wild animals

\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 (2 points each)