

Lesson 21- Reported Speech

Fill in the conversation with the words provided.

Conversation 1 - could / would / longer / gave / might / stuck / starving / snack / crackers

Woman: Where is Susan? She told me she was coming over.

Man: She just texted me. She said she _____ be a little late.

Woman: Oh, really? What was the reason she _____?

Man: She said she is _____ in traffic.

Woman: Did she say how much _____ it would take?

Man: She said it _____ take about 30 minutes.

Woman: Well, I hope she gets here soon. I'm _____.

Man: Me, too. She did say we _____ start without her.

Woman: No, we can wait. We can have a _____ to hold us over.

Man: Good idea. I'll go get some _____.

Conversation 2 - getting / told / leading / thrilled / being / congratulations / mention

Man: Have you heard? Beth got a promotion at work.

Woman: Really? Where did you hear that?

Man: Beth _____ me about it last night at dinner.

Woman: I heard that someone was _____ promoted, I just didn't know who.

Man: Yeah, the company told her that she was _____ promoted last Friday.

Woman: That's great news. Did she say what her new role would be?

Man: She said that she would be _____ a new team.

Woman: Wow. That's a big responsibility. Did she seem happy about it?

Man: Yes, she sounded _____ for the opportunity.

Woman: I'm happy for her. Did she _____ when she starts her new position?

Man: She said she would begin next month.

Woman: Well, when you see her, tell her I said _____.

Man: Will do.

Conversation 3 - dropping / planning / wanted / mentioned / destinations / time / she'd be

Man: I was talking to Yuki yesterday, and she said she's _____ out of school.

Woman: Wow! Why is she doing that?

Man: She said that she wants to take some _____ off to travel.

Woman: Really? Did she say where she's _____ to go?

Man: She said that she _____ to visit Europe.

Woman: That sounds exciting. Did she say which country specifically?

Man: She _____ Italy, France, and Spain as her top choices.

Woman: Those are beautiful _____. I am so jealous.

Man: Me, too. She said _____ thinking of us.

Woman: Funny.

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Conversation 4 - everyone / dating / mentioned / anyone / quiet / yourself / mouth

Man: I was told you were _____ Jason. Congratulations!

Woman: Who told you that?

Man: Carol _____ it to me yesterday.

Woman: What? I told her not to tell _____.

Man: Well, she didn't say it was a secret.

Woman: Well, it was. Now _____ will know.

Man: I promise I won't tell anyone.

Woman: Thanks. If you see Carol, tell her I said to keep it _____.

Man: I will. But maybe you better tell her _____.

Woman: You're right. I'll text her right now. She has such a big _____.

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Woman: Where is Susan? She told me she was coming over.

Man: She just texted me. She said she **would** be a little late.

Woman: Oh, really? What was the reason she **gave**?

Man: She said she is **stuck** in traffic.

Woman: Did she say how much **longer** it would take?

Man: She said it **might** take about 30 minutes.

Woman: Well, I hope she gets here soon. I'm **starving**.

Man: Me, too. She did say we **could** start without her.

Woman: No, we can wait. We can have a **snack** to hold us over.

Man: Good idea. I'll go get some **crackers**.

Conversation 2 - **getting / told / leading / thrilled / being / congratulations / mention**

Man: Have you heard? Beth got a promotion at work.

Woman: Really? Where did you hear that?

Man: Beth **told** me about it last night at dinner.

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Man: Yeah, the company told her that she was **being** promoted last Friday.

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Woman: Wow. That's a big responsibility. Did she seem happy about it?

Man: Yes, she sounded **thrilled** for the opportunity.

Woman: I'm happy for her. Did she **mention** when she starts her new position?

Man: She said she would begin next month.

Woman: Well, when you see her, tell her I said **congratulations**.

Man: Will do.

Conversation 3 - **dropping / planning / wanted / mentioned / destinations / time / she'd be**

Man: I was talking to Yuki yesterday, and she said she's **dropping** out of school.

Woman: Wow! Why is she doing that?

Man: She said that she wants to take some **time** off to travel.

Woman: Really? Did she say where she's **planning** to go?

Man: She said that she **wanted** to visit Europe.

Woman: That sounds exciting. Did she say which country specifically?

Man: She **mentioned** Italy, France, and Spain as her top choices.

Woman: Those are beautiful **destinations**. I am so jealous.

Man: Me, too. She said **she'd be** thinking of us.

Woman: Funny.

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Man: I was told you were **dating** Jason. Congratulations!

Woman: Who told you that?

Man: Carol **mentioned** it to me yesterday.

Woman: What? I told her not to tell **anyone**.

Man: Well, she didn't say it was a secret.

Woman: Well, it was. Now **everyone** will know.

Man: I promise I won't tell anyone.

Woman: Thanks. If you see Carol, tell her I said to keep it **quiet**.

Man: I will. But maybe you better tell her **yourself**.

Woman: You're right. I'll text her right now. She has such a big **mouth**.

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