

SCENE 28 • NUMBER 7

Biglietti per il lago

Last night Tommaso left you a voicemail with the plan: the 9:12 from platform 2, back at 17:40. "Please buy two return tickets. I am there at 8:57." Sunday, 8:50: you buy the tickets. 8:57: there he is.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAYS IT: 1a, 2a

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN: 1c, 2a

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT: 1b, 2a

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: E quando torna il treno?, Hai un piano B?

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST: 1: 25134

Words: Biglietti per il lago

VOCABULARY & WRITING

W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?: 1b, 2c, 3c, 4a, 5c, 6b

W2) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: Buonasera, 1: treno, 1: Per,
1: Buongiorno, 1: Solo

**W3) TOMMASO: "MY HOLIDAY STARTS TODAY! A TICKET TO
[[GREAT LAKE]], PLEASE.":** 1: Grande Lago, 2: cancellato, 3: piano,
4: bici

W4) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: Buonasera, 1: treno, 1: Per,
1: Buongiorno, 1: Solo

Grammar: In treno, a piedi

GRAMMAR

G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL PATTERN: 1) in treno, 2) a piedi, 3) in bici,
4) in autobus

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM: 1a, 2a, 3b, 4a, 5b, 6a, 7a, 8a

G3) COMPLETE THE MESSAGES: 1: in bici, 1: in autobus, 1: alle 9:12,
1: alle 17:40, 1: A che ora, 1: alle 8:57

G4) BUILD A SENTENCE: Domani andiamo al lago in treno., La
stazione è a cinque minuti a piedi., Tommaso oggi va in bici.,
Andiamo in autobus o a piedi?, Il treno parte alle 9:12., Ritorno alle
17:40.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?: 1a, 2b, 3a, 4a

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS: 1e, 2h, 3c, 4f, 5g, 6a,
7b, 8d

Translation

- Good evening. It's Tommaso. Here's the plan.
- The train at 9:12, from platform two. Back at 17:40.
- Please buy two return tickets. I'm coming to the station at three minutes to nine.

Sunday, ten to nine, at the ticket window.

- Good morning. Two tickets to the lake, please.
- ▲ One way or return?
- Return. When does the train leave, and from which platform?
- ▲ At 9:12, from platform two. Two tickets are twenty-four euros.
- And when does the train come back?
- ▲ Here's the timetable. Back at 17:40.

At exactly 8:57, Tommaso arrives with a rucksack and a thermos.

- Good morning. It's exactly three minutes to nine.
- Here are the tickets. Two returns.
- Very good. You're not late today!

An announcement echoes through the station.

▲ Attention please! The 9:12 train to Great Lake is cancelled today.

○ Cancelled? What does that mean?

■ It means there is no train.

○ And what do we do now?

■ Plan B.

○ You have a plan B?

■ I always have a plan B.

An announcement: the 9:12 to the lake is cancelled today.

Tommaso freezes. Then he takes out a second list. "Plan B."