

NUMBER 7 • BONUS STORY

A loja da esquina

A Saturday at the little shop on the corner by number 7: Karim, who came here from far away many years ago, his wife Aldona, and an old friend who comes every evening at six.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAID IT?: 1b, 2b, 3a

L2) RIGHT OR WRONG?: 1a, 2b, 3a, 4b, 5a

L3) WHAT HAPPENED FIRST?: 1: 41523

L4) UNDERSTAND THE STORY: 1a, 2a, 3a

Translation

It's Saturday morning. There's a small shop on the corner.

■ Hello. I'm Karim. I get up at five.

■ I go to the market at seven. By car.

■ I buy apples, tomatoes and potatoes.

○ I'm at the shop. We two work together.

■ I come back at eight. Ten kilos of apples!

The neighbour comes at ten.

▲ Hello. A bottle of milk, please.

■ Here you are. Anything else?

▲ Half a kilo of cheese. Are you from Ribeira Nova?

■ No. From Jordan. Now I live here.

▲ Why do you live here?

■ I used to be in Lisbon. I was a student.

○ I was a student too. Now we two are a family.

■ This is our shop. For thirty years.

▲ Do you two have children too?

■ Yes. A son and a daughter.

○ Our daughter lives in Lisbon. And our son beside the station.

■ On Sunday our daughter comes by train and our son by bicycle.

○ Everyone eats in the kitchen behind the shop.

▲ Where is the post office?

■ Go right. Then left.

■ It's between the bank and the pharmacy.

▲ Thank you. Do you know Chico too?

■ Of course. I have known him a long time. I don't know how old he is.

It's six in the evening. Chico is in front of the shop.

■ Chico, here again? Fish. Just a little!

○ Just a little every day!

● Mr Karim, is Chico your cat?

■ No. He lives at number seven. But he has dinner here.

● He eats at the café too. And at the market!

○ That is why he is big.

■ Chico, go home. Good night!

The shop is quiet. Karim and his wife drink tea.

■ Tomorrow is Sunday. The two children come.

○ Chico too!